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HON. EDGAR C. LEVEY, Speaker
ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk



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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—ASSEMBLY.

FORTY-EIGHTH SESSION.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 3, 1927.

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

In conformity with law, the following officers of the forty-sixth session were also present: Louis F. Erb, Minute Clerk, and Charles H. Wilkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Chief Clerk, prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Sacramento.

APPOINTMENTS.

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

Page, Charles E. Spear.
Stenographers, Geneva Bernard and Edith Mason.
Chief Stenographer, Madge Cross.
Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms, Alfred Gomes, C. E. Whiteside, Daniel Whelan and Eugene Mulvey.
Postmistress, Anna Perry.
Assistant Clerks, Edward Lynch and William Monahan.

CERTIFICATE FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

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

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, Frank C. Jordan, Secretary of State of the State of California, do hereby certify that the following is a complete list of those duly elected at the general election, held on the second day of November, A. D. 1926, to represent the people of the State of California as members of the Assembly of said State at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of said State, as appears from the statement of vote, received from the county clerks of the county or counties and the registrar of voters of the city and county of San Francisco, comprising the several assembly districts of the State of California, said statement of vote being a record of and on file in my office, viz:

MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY-ELECT.

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

MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY-ELECT—(CONTINUED).

Name	District	County or counties comprising district
Roy J Nielsen	Fourteenth	Sacramento
Percy G West	Fifteenth	Sacramento
H. E. Dillinger	Sixteenth	Amador, El Dorado, Alpine, Calaveras.
Charles F. Reindollar	Seventeenth	Marin.
Robert P. Easley	Eighteenth	Contra Costa.
Bradford S. Crittenden	Nineteenth	San Joaquin.
F. C. Clowdsley	Twentieth	San Joaquin
Fred C. Hawes	Twenty-first	San Francisco.
James C. Flynn	Twenty-second	San Francisco.
Joseph F. Burns	Twenty-third	San Francisco.
Thomas J. Lenehan	Twenty-fourth	San Francisco.
William B. Hornblower	Twenty-fifth	San Francisco
Ray Williamson	Twenty-sixth	San Francisco
Leland Richard Jacobson	Twenty-seventh	San Francisco
Edgar C Levey	Twenty-eighth	San Francisco.
Harry F Morrison	Twenty-ninth	San Francisco.
Robert B. Fry	Thirtieth	San Francisco.
B. J. Feigenbaum	Thirty-first	San Francisco.
James A Miller	Thirty-second	San Francisco.
Charles A. Oliva	Thirty-third	San Francisco.
William P. Jost	Thirty-fourth	Alameda.
Roy Bishop	Thirty fifth	Alameda.
Edward J. Smith	Thirty-sixth	Alameda.
Eugene W. Roland	Thirty-seventh	Alameda
J. Croter	Thirty-eighth	Alameda.
M. J. McDonough	Thirty-ninth	Alameda.
Harold C. Cloudman	Fortieth	Alameda.
H. C Kelsey	Forty-first	Alameda.
Harry L. Parkman	Forty-second	San Mateo
Bert B Snyder	Forty-third	Santa Cruz.
T. M Wright	Forty-fourth	Santa Clara
C. C. Spalding	Forty-fifth	Santa Clara.
Vernon F. Gant	Forty-sixth	Stanislaus.
Dan E. Williams	Forty-seventh	Mariposa, Tuolumne, Mono, Inyo
E. Walton Hedges, Jr.	Forty-eighth	Monterey, San Benito.
E. G. Adams	Forty-ninth	Merced, Madera.
Charles A. Foster	Fiftieth	Fresno.
Z. S Levmel	Fifty-first	Fresno
S. L. Heisinger	Fifty-second	Fresno
Chris N. Jespersen	Fifty-third	San Luis Obispo.
Augustus F Jewett, Jr.	Fifty-fourth	Kings.
Frank W. Mixter	Fifty-fifth	Tulare.
Robert Lincoln Patterson	Fifty-sixth	Kern.
Isaac Jones	Fifty-seventh	San Bernardino.
A. E Brock	Fifty-eighth	San Bernardino.
T. R. Finley	Fifty-ninth	Santa Barbara.
Walter H Duval	Sixtieth	Ventura
James C. Crawford	Sixty-first	Los Angeles.
Walter J. Little	Sixty-second	Los Angeles.
Clare Woolwine	Sixty-third	Los Angeles.
Harry Lyons	Sixty fourth	Los Angeles.
Willis M Baum	Sixty-fifth	Los Angeles
William M. Byrne	Sixty-sixth	Los Angeles.
Eleanor Miller	Sixty-seventh	Los Angeles.
Harry F. Sewell	Sixty-eighth	Los Angeles.
Jerome V. Scofield	Sixty-ninth	Los Angeles.
Morgan Keaton	Seventieth	Los Angeles.
Henry E. Carter	Seventy-first	Los Angeles.
Willard E. Badham	Seventy-second	Los Angeles.
Howard W. Davis	Seventy-third	Los Angeles
Frederick M. Roberts	Seventy-fourth	Los Angeles.
George W. Rochester	Seventy-fifth	Los Angeles.
C. D. Ball	Seventy-sixth	Orange.
Vacancy	Seventy-seventh	Riverside
Myron D Witter	Seventy-eighth	Imperial
Byron J Walters	Seventy-ninth	San Diego.
Crowell D. Eddy	Eightieth	San Diego.

WITNESS my hand and the Great Seal of the State of California, at office in Sacramento, this third day of January, A. D. 1927

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

ROLL CALL OF COUNTIES.

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

MEMBERS SWORN IN.

As required by section 239 of the Political Code, the Clerk called the roll of counties in alphabetical order, and the following members-elect appeared before the bar of the Assembly, presented their certificates of election and duly qualified by taking and subscribing to the following oath administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal

OATH OF OFFICE.

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

Roy Bishop, Harold C. Cloudman, J. Croter, William P. Jost, H. C. Kelsey, M. J. McDonough, Edward J. Smith, Eugene W. Roland, H. E. Dillinger, Charles H. Deuel, Van Bernard, Robert P. Easley, J. J. Murphy, Charles A. Foster, S. L. Heisinger, Z. S. Leymel, Robert F. Fisher, Myron D. Witter, Dan E. Williams, Robert Lincoln Patterson, Augustus F. Jewett, Jr., Frank L. Coombs, N. V. Wemple, Willard E. Badham, Willis M. Baum, William M. Byrne, Henry E. Carter, James C. Crawford, Howard W. Davis, Morgan Keaton, Walter J. Little, Harry Lyons, Miss Eleanor Miller, Frederick M. Roberts, George W. Rochester, Jerome V. Scofield, Harry F. Sewell, Clare Woolwine, E. G. Adams, Charles F. Reindollar, Charles B. Melville, E. Walton Hedges, Jr., Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge, C. D. Ball, Roy J. Nielsen, Percy G. West, Archibald E. Brock, Isaac Jones, Crowell D. Eddy, Byron J. Walters, Joseph F. Burns, B. J. Feigenbaum, James C. Flynn, Robert B. Fry, Frederick C. Hawes, William B. Hornblower, Leland R. Jacobson, Thomas J. Lenehan, Edgar C. Levey, James A. Miller, Harry F. Morrison, Charles A. Oliva, Ray Williamson, F. C. Clowdsley, Bradford S. Crittenden, Chris N. Jespersen, Harry L. Parkman, T. R. Finley, C. C. Spalding, T. M. Wright, Bert B. Snyder, Roscoe J. Anderson, Robert B. McPherson, Hubert B. Scudder, D. P. Anderson, Vernon F. Gant, Fred B. Noyes, Frank W. Mixter, Walter H. Duval.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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

NOMINATIONS FOR SPEAKER.

Mr. Ray Williamson of San Francisco placed in nomination for Speaker Hon. Edgar C. Levey of San Francisco.

Nomination of Hon. Edgar C. Levey was seconded by Mr. William M. Byrne of Los Angeles and Mr. Charles F. Reindollar of San Rafael.

Mr. C. D. Ball of Santa Ana placed in nomination for Speaker Hon. Isaac Jones of Ontario.

Nomination of Hon. Isaac Jones was seconded by Mr. T. M. Wright of San Jose and Miss Eleanor Miller of Pasadena.

Mr. Elbert G. Adams of Livingston placed in nomination for Speaker Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden of Tracy.

Nomination of Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden was seconded by Mr. Percy G. West of Sacramento and Mr. Van Bernard of Butte City.

NOMINATIONS CLOSED.

Mr. William B. Hornblower moved that nominations for Speaker be now closed.

Motion carried.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For HON. EDGAR C. LEVEY—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine—57.

For HON. BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Clowdsley, Dillinger, Heisinger, Jones, Leymel, Wemple, West, Woodbridge—11.

For HON. ISAAC JONES—Badham, Ball, Brock, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Eddy, Jespersen, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Wright—11.

The Chief Clerk announced the vote of the Assembly, and declared Hon. Edgar C. Levey the choice of the Assembly for Speaker.

MOTION TO MAKE ELECTION UNANIMOUS.

Mr. Bradford S. Crittenden moved that the election of Hon. Edgar C. Levey for Speaker of the Assembly be made unanimous.

Mr. Isaac Jones seconded the motion.

Motion unanimously carried.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The Chief Clerk appointed Messrs. Ray Williamson, William M. Byrne and Charles F. Reindollar a special committee to escort Speaker-elect Hon. Edgar C. Levey to the chair.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Upon arriving at the bar of the Assembly, Speaker-elect Hon. Edgar C. Levey took and subscribed to the following oath administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

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

NOMINATIONS FOR SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE.

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

Mr. Walter J. Little of Santa Monica nominated Hon. William M. Byrne of Los Angeles.

Nomination of Hon. William M. Byrne was seconded by Mr. Leland R. Jacobson of San Francisco.

Mr. Jerome V. Scofield of Huntington Park nominated Hon. Byron J. Walters of San Diego.

Hon. Byron J. Walters declined the nomination.

Mr. William B. Hornblower moved that nominations for Speaker pro tempore be now closed.

Motion carried.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For HON. WILLIAM M. BYRNE—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Croter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—78.

Hon. William M. Byrne, being the choice of the Assembly for Speaker pro tempore, the Speaker declared him duly elected.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Walter J. Little, Leland R. Jacobson and Byron J. Walters a special committee to escort Speaker pro tempore Hon. William M. Byrne to the bar of the Assembly.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Upon arriving at the bar of the Assembly, Speaker pro tempore Hon. William M Byrne took and subscribed to the following oath administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

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

NOMINATIONS FOR CHIEF CLERK.

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

Mr. Walter J. Little of Santa Monica nominated Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus of San Francisco.

The nomination of Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus was seconded by Messrs. Frank L. Coombs of Napa, Elbert G Adams of Livingston and James A. Miller of San Francisco

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF CHIEF CLERK.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor: Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

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

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and took and subscribed to the following oath of office administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

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

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker expressed his appreciation for the beautiful floral baskets presented to him. He called attention to the fact that one of these was the gift of his wife and mother, who were present, and the other the tribute of Senators and Assemblymen who are members of the South of Market Street Boys, an organization of patriotic San Franciscans in which the Speaker holds membership.

NOMINATIONS FOR MINUTE CLERK.

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

Mr. Henry E. Carter of Wilmington placed in nomination for Minute Clerk of the Assembly Mr. Louis F. Erb of San Francisco.

Mr. Hubert B. Scudder of Sebastopol seconded the nomination of Mr. Erb.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF MINUTE CLERK.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For LOUIS F. ERB—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

Mr. Louis F Erb, being the choice of the Assembly, was declared duly elected Minute Clerk of the Assembly, and was directed to appear before the bar of the Assembly, where he took and subscribed to the following oath of office administered by Elijah C Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

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

NOMINATIONS FOR SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

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

Mr. Roy J. Nielsen of Sacramento nominated Mr. William J. McQuillan of Sacramento

Mr. William B. Hornblower of San Francisco seconded the nomination.

Mr. Percy G West of Sacramento nominated Mr. A. Ferguson of Sacramento.

Nominations closed

ELECTION OF SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For WILLIAM J. MCQUILLAN—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

For A FERGUSON—Adams, Ball, Bernard, Crittenden, Jones, Miller, Eleanor; Noyes, West—8

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

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

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

NOMINATIONS FOR CHAPLAIN.

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

Mr. Percy G West of Sacramento placed in nomination for Chaplain of the Assembly Rev. A Watson Brown of Sacramento.

Mr. Roy Nielsen seconded the nomination of Rev. A. Watson Brown.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF CHAPLAIN.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For REV. A WATSON BROWN—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

The Speaker thereupon declared Rev A. Watson Brown the duly elected Chaplain of the Assembly.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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

The question being upon the confirmation of the appointment.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For C. WILLIAM BOOTH—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fiegenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—73.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

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

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

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Nielsen:

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

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Nielsen, Woolwine and Jones as such committee.

By Mr. Fry:

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

Speaker, Hon. Edgar C. Levey
Speaker pro tempore, Hon. William M. Byrne
Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus.
Minute Clerk, Louis F. Erb.
Sergeant-at-Arms, William J. McQuillan
Chaplain, Rev. A. Watson Brown.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Fry, Easley and Carter as such select committee.

By Mr. Reindollar:

Resolved, That the Assembly rules of the forty-sixth (regular) session of the Legislature, as printed on pages 366 to 376, inclusive, in the Assembly Journal of 1925, be and the same are hereby adopted as the temporary rules of this house until otherwise ordered, with the following changes, to wit: 1927 to be inserted in lieu of 1925, wherever that figure appears

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes,

Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyon, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

STANDING RULES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

CONVENING AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Hours of Meeting.

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

Speaker to Call House to Order.

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

Order of Business.

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

1. Roll Call.
2. Prayer by the Chaplain.
3. Reading and Approval of the Journal.
4. Presentation of Petitions.
5. Reports of Standing Committees.
6. Reports of Select Committees.
7. Messages from the Governor.
8. Messages from the Senate.
9. Introduction and Reference of Bills.
10. Motions and Resolutions.
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14. Business on General File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
15. Announcements of Committee Meetings.
16. Adjournment.

Priority of Business.

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

Motion to Adjourn.

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

When a motion is made and seconded to adjourn, it shall be in order for the Speaker, before putting the question, to permit any member to state any fact to the House relating to the condition of the business of the House, which would seem to render it improper to adjourn at that time. Such statement, however, shall not be debatable, and such statement or statements shall not, in any case, occupy more than two minutes.

DUTIES OF THE SPEAKER.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Committees to be Appointed by Speaker.

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

Standing Committees.

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

1. A Committee on Agriculture, to consist of seventeen members.
2. A Committee on Attaches, to consist of seven members
3. A Committee on Banking, to consist of nine members
4. A Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to consist of seven members.
5. A Committee on Civil Service, to consist of nine members.
6. A Committee on Claims, to consist of seven members.
7. A Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to consist of nine members.
8. A Committee on Conservation, to consist of nine members.
9. A Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to consist of nine members.
10. A Committee on Contested Elections, to consist of seven members.
11. A Committee on Contingent Expenses, to consist of five members
12. A Committee on Corporations, to consist of nine members.
13. A Committee on County Government, to consist of fifteen members.
14. A Committee on Direct Legislation, to consist of seven members
15. A Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to consist of thirteen members.
16. A Committee on Education, to consist of thirteen members.
17. A Committee on Elections, to consist of eleven members.
18. A Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, to consist of five members
19. A Committee on Federal Relations, to consist of seven members.
20. A Committee on Fish and Game, to consist of fifteen members
21. A Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to consist of eleven members.
22. A Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, to consist of nine members.
23. A Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to consist of thirteen members.
24. A Committee on Insurance, to consist of eleven members.
25. A Committee on Irrigation, to consist of twenty-one members.
26. A Committee on Judiciary, to consist of twenty-one members.
27. A Committee on Labor and Capital, to consist of thirteen members.
28. A Committee on Libraries, to consist of seven members
29. A Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to consist of eleven members
30. A Committee on Manufactures, to consist of seven members.
31. A Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to consist of nine members
32. A Committee on Mileage to consist of five members.
33. A Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of nine members.
34. A Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members.
35. A Committee on Motor Vehicles, to consist of twenty-one members
36. A Committee on Municipal Corporations, to consist of thirteen members.
37. A Committee on Oil Industries, to consist of nine members.
38. A Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to consist of thirteen members.
39. A Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to consist of nine members.
40. A Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to consist of nine members.
41. A Committee on Public Morals, to consist of eleven members
42. A Committee on Public Utilities, to consist of eleven members
43. A Committee on Reapportionment, to consist of twenty-one members.
44. A Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to consist of fifteen members.
45. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members.
46. A Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to consist of seven members.
47. A Committee on Roads and Highways, to consist of fifteen members.
48. A Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members, including the Speaker
49. A Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to consist of thirteen members
50. A Committee on State Grounds and Parks to consist of seven members
51. A Committee on Teachers Colleges, to consist of seven members.
52. A Committee on Universities, to consist of seven members.
53. A Committee on Ways and Means to consist of twenty-one members.

Special Standing Committees.

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

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

Schedules for Committee Meetings

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

Quorum of Standing Committees.

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

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Appropriations of Money to Be Considered in Committee of the Whole

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

Proceedings of Committee of the Whole House

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

Rules in Committee of the Whole.

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

Motion to Rise Decided Without Debate

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

SPECIAL DUTIES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES.

Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment

18. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to compare all bills, constitutional amendments, and concurrent and joint resolutions, ordered or considered engrossed by this House with the engrossed copies thereof and, before they pass out of the possession of this House, see that the engrossed bill is a true copy of the original, with such amendments as may have been made thereto; and said committee shall see that all engrossed bills are reported back in the order in which they were ordered engrossed.

Engrossing and Enrolling Bills.

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

Reports of Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment

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

Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Committee's Report on Sine Die Adjournment.

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

Committee on Contested Elections

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

as shall or may be presented or come into question, and be referred to them by the House, or the Speaker thereof.

Committee on Attaches.

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

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

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

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

DUTIES OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS AND ATTACHES.

Duties of Chief Clerk.

25. The Chief Clerk shall have charge and supervision of all the clerical business of the Assembly. He shall perform the duties imposed on him by law and the rules of the Assembly. Subject to the provisions of Rule 67, he and his assistants shall read from the desk only such matter as the Speaker shall direct. He shall have the supervision of all the clerks and assistants at the desk, of all bill clerks, bill filers, stenographers, and of all committee attaches, and all pages, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties and shall have power to suspend any such clerk or attache under him for dereliction of duty, and shall report to the Committee on Attaches such suspension and the cause thereof. Said suspended clerk or attache shall not receive any pay during the time of such suspension. The Committee on Attaches shall have the power to relieve the attache or clerk of his suspension, and shall have the power, subject to the approval of the House, to remove any clerk or attache for incompetency or for wilful neglect of duty. The Chief Clerk shall not permit any records or papers to be taken from the desk, or out of his custody, by any person except a chairman of a committee; but he shall deliver any bill or paper to be printed to the Superintendent of State Printing, and all bills ordered engrossed or enrolled to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, and take receipts therefor.

Duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

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

Expenses of Sergeant-at-Arms.

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

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to Be Doorkeeper.

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

Compensation of Attaches.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Introduction and Reading of Bills.

30. Any member desiring to introduce a bill shall rise in place and address the Speaker, and upon being recognized shall present the same. It shall then be numbered and read the first time at the Clerk's desk and referred to a standing committee, and be printed, and a copy placed upon the desk of each member. Every bill shall be read at length on three several days previous to its passage, unless in case of urgency two-thirds of the House shall, by vote of ayes and noes, dispense with this

provision. The Speaker shall give notice at each reading, whether it is the first, second or third reading. All bills to appropriate money for contingent purposes shall be presented by the Committee on Ways and Means. The chairman or clerk of each committee of the Assembly shall notify the author of any bill or proceeding pending before such committee of the hour and place of hearing or acting upon such bill or proceeding.

Joint and Concurrent Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments.

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

Procedure on First Day of Introducing Bills.

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

Introduction of Bills by Committee.

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

Introduction of Bills After Constitutional Recess.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Reference of Bills.

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

Order of Reference.

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

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

Referring With Special Instructions.

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

Reference of Senate Bills.

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

Bills to Be Reported Back to Committees.

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

ORDER OF CONSIDERING BILLS.

Order of Making File.

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

Order Making Special File.

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

Ordering Bills to Third Reading.

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

Bills Considered During Last Seven Days.

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

QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS.

Precedence of Motions During Debate.

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

Division of Questions.

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

Substitute.

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

Subjects Different from the One Under Consideration.

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

Question Indefinitely Postponed.

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

PROCEDURE OF DEBATE.

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

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

Order in Speaking to Questions.

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

Speaker to Decide Who Is Entitled to the Place.

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

Calling Members to Order When Transgressing Rules.

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

Called to Order for Offensive Words in Debate.

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

THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Previous Question Demanded.

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

Manner of Putting the Previous Question.

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

Questions of Order After Previous Question Is Ordered.

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

VOTING BY ASSEMBLY.

Calling Ayes and Noes.

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

Members at Clerk's Desk.

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

Voting on Question When Interested.

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

Division and Count of House.

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

Explaining or Changing Vote.

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

Election by House.

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

Notice of Reconsideration of Vote.

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

MESSAGES, PETITIONS AND PAPERS

Messengers May Be Introduced.

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

Messages from the Governor and Senate.

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

Petitions to Be Presented With a Brief Statement of Contents

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

Reading of Papers.

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

THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Persons Admitted to the Floor.

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

No Lobbying in the Assembly Chamber

69 No person engaged in presenting to the Assembly or its committees any business, or claim, or legislation, shall be permitted to engage in such business in the Assembly Chamber, or be permitted on the floor of the Assembly at any time while the Assembly is in session, unless seated beside a member upon his invitation; and any person transgressing this rule shall be removed from the floor of the Assembly and be debarred from the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the entire session The Speaker is charged with the enforcement of this rule This rule can not be suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the entire Assembly.

Speaker May Order the Galleries and Lobby Cleared

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

Smoking in the Assembly Chamber

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

Use of Assembly Chamber.

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

LEGISLATIVE PRINTING.

Printing of Bills

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

Printing Extra Number of Bills, Etc

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

Form for Printed Amended Bills

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

Printing of Maps.

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

Filling Blanks

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

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Protest of Members.

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

Personal Explanation.

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

Right to Address Assembly.

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

Call of the House.

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

Members Absenting Themselves

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

Fees for Witnesses.

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

No Committee Expenditures Permitted

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

RULES OF PROCEDURE.

Parliamentary Rules.

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

Suspending and Changing Rules

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. McDonough:

Resolved, That the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Chief Clerk of the Assembly in the sum of twenty ($20.00) dollars to be used as the post office revolving fund, and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

By Mr. Jost:

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

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Mr. Roberts:

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

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Mr. Hornblower:

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

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

By Mr. Coombs:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be authorized to receive from the members of the Assembly a mailing list of all bills, resolutions and histories to be directed to libraries, chambers of commerce and other public centers for general inspection.

This list to be limited to fifteen names each, and shall be forwarded to the legislative bill room for regular mailing.

That in addition thereto, the Chief Clerk shall forward to the legislative bill room for regular mailing fifty copies of said bills, resolutions and histories to be mailed to the State Commander of the American Legion or to such posts as he may name

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Messrs. Nielsen, Walters and Jones:

WHEREAS, It has been the will of Divine Providence to call from his earthly duties one of our associates, the Honorable Alfred C. Murray, a member of this Assembly from the seventy-seventh district; and

WHEREAS, Assemblyman Murray was a native Californian, having been born in Woodland thirty-seven years ago, graduated from Stanford University, served his country during the World War, and was a practicing attorney in the city of Riverside at the time of his death; and

WHEREAS, He served as a member of this Assembly in the forty-sixth session and was reelected as a member of the forty-seventh session without opposition; and

WHEREAS, He was president of the Exchange Club of Riverside, a member of the board of trustees of the First Baptist Church of Riverside, a prominent member of the American Legion and otherwise active in civic affairs of his city and State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, That we deeply deplore the untimely death of our esteemed associate and that we extend to his bereaved family our sympathy in their hour of grief and that when this House adjourns today it do so out of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Alfred C. Murray of the seventy-seventh district.

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

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate is duly organized by the election of the following officers, namely:

1. President pro tempore, Arthur H. Breed.
2. Secretary, Joseph A. Beek.
3. Minute Clerk, Harold J. Powers.
4. Sergeant-at-Arms, Joseph F. Nolan.
5. Chaplain, Rev. Bryant Wilson.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to inaugural ceremonies—and requests your honorable body to concur in same.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was taken up at this time, without reference to committee or file, and the same was considered engrossed.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to inaugural ceremonies.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry,

Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Relative to inaugural ceremonies.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring. That a committee of three members of the Senate be appointed to confer with a committee of four from the Assembly to make arrangements for the inaugural ceremonies, said committee to be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, respectively, and to have full power to act in the premises. Any expenses to be paid equally by the Senate and Assembly out of their several contingent funds, and not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of five hundred dollars

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Jacobson, Walters and McDonough and Mrs. Cora Woodbridge as such select committee.

INTRODUCTION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was introduced:

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Reindollar asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1 at this time, without reference to committee or printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution unanimously adopted.

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

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1

Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring. That the Senate and Assembly meet in joint session in the Assembly Chamber at eleven o'clock on the forenoon of Tuesday, January 4, 1927, for the purpose of being present when the Speaker of the Assembly shall open and publish the returns of the election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, as provided and required by article V, section 4, of the constitution of the State of California

MOTION.

Mr. Coombs moved that the hour of eleven o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, January 5, 1927, be set as the time when suitable tribute may be paid to the memory of the late Alfred C. Murray, a member of the Assembly for the forty-seventh session of the Legislature.

Motion carried.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

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

That they had delivered the Assembly's message and the Governor had informed them he would deliver his message.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker suggested that due to the small attendance of members at this time the reading of the message be deferred until January 4, 1927, and that the same be printed in the Journal.

MOTION.

Mr. Carter moved that the reading of the Governor's message be deferred until the next legislative day, Tuesday, January 4, 1927.

Motion carried.

MESSAGE OF GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON REGARDING ACTS OF EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

In accordance with the provisions of the constitution and the statutes, I am reporting to you each act of reprieve, commutation and pardon by me since my last report at the beginning of the forty-sixth legislative session. Following the practice established in my previous message, I am setting forth the full text of pardons and commutations of sentence granted, a statement of the case, the crime for which the person was convicted, the sentence and its date, and the date of the commutation or pardon, together with my reasons for granting the same.

I have exercised only five acts of executive clemency during the past two years. Four pardons have been granted and one commutation of sentence issued. I have issued no reprieves during the past two years. Several hundred applications for clemency have been made. Each case has been carefully investigated and considered, but only in these five cases have I felt justified in exercising the power vested in the Governor.

In the one case of commutation, a sentence of "five years to life" was shortened to five years upon the recommendation of the trial judge and district attorney of Sacramento County because a young man, not eighteen years of age at the time of the commission of the crime of robbery, later materially assisted the State in securing the conviction of an ex-convict who had led him into the commission of crime.

In each of the four cases of pardon I was convinced after careful consideration that the person convicted was innocent and that a miscarriage of justice had resulted from his conviction and sentence to the State penitentiary. All four of these convictions were had in Los Angeles County, and in each case the trial judge recommended pardon. In three cases the district attorney of Los Angeles county admitted he had made a mistake, but was loath to admit his error in the last case of pardon issued by me.

Pardon matters have occupied much of my time and attention during my term as Governor, not only in connection with the consideration of the various applications made to me, but in the consideration of the theory of pardons and the proper use of the executive power of clemency given to the Governor by section 1 of article VII of the constitution.

My conclusion is that the pardoning power is given to the Governor solely to prevent a miscarriage of justice. I feel that the governor of a state in the discharge of his duty and in keeping with his oath of office to support the constitution and laws of the state has no right legally or morally to pardon one convicted of crime, either during or subsequent to his incarceration in a state prison, for reasons of sentiment or pity, or because pressure has been brought to bear upon him by "sob sisters," relatives, or politicians. It is an easy thing for a Governor to grant pardons and it is hard to deny some applications To issue pardons freely is the easy way, but I feel that an executive should stand inflexibly for law enforcement and adequate punishment of criminals, and not weakly give way to pleas for clemency.

In many cases every imaginable pressure has been brought to bear to induce me to issue pardons. Sympathy has been aroused by sentimentalists and in many cases the denial of pardons appeared to be the unpopular thing at the time. I believe, however, that the sober, thinking men and women of the State of California agree with and approve my stand for law and order.

In the case of Clarence (alias Tuffy) Reid, petitions containing more than 50,000 names asking the commutation of sentence poured into the Governor's office.

Two chains of newspapers made a determined campaign to save the convict's life. In this, as in every other case of murder involving the death penalty that has come to my attention during my term of office, I felt that the prisoner had been fairly tried, justly convicted and that the sentence of the court as fixed in accordance with the verdict of the jury should be carried out

During my term of office thirty-seven men have been hanged in the prisons of this State. In each of these cases an appeal was made to me to commute the sentence to life imprisonment, either by the prisoner or persons interested in the case and I have made a careful examination of the evidence and been fully convinced that the verdict of the jury was sound The death penalty is a needed protection to the peace officers of the State, as guardians of the life and property of our citizens. The facts are yet fresh in the minds of the people of two ruthless young murderers, whose lives were spared by a sentimental jury, escaped from the State prison and were responsible for the taking of at least two additional lives. It is absurd for sentimentalists to claim that life imprisonment is a greater punishment than death. Every one of the thirty-seven cold-blooded murderers who paid the penalty of his crime during the past four years, was anxious to have his sentence commuted to life imprisonment. Moreover, a life sentence does not mean remaining *in prison for the remainder of the natural life of the murderer.* Experience over a period of years since the adoption of the parole law shows that the average time served for a life sentence is thirteen and one-half years.

The matter of pardoning convicts who have conducted themselves properly on parole has been presented to me many times. A convict is presumed to observe the law and the rules of the prison board. His reward for good conduct is his remaining outside of prison. If he fails he is returned to prison. I do not believe that good behavior in prison or on parole justifies clemency by the Governor.

Under the decisions of the courts a pardon virtually wipes away the sins of the convict. It not only takes away the disabilities resulting from conviction of a felony but, in effect, it gives him a new character, spotless, clean and white.

Some plan should be devised whereby a prisoner who has served a sentence for the commission of a felony or other high crime within the meaning of the constitution, may be restored to citizenship rights, after he has demonstrated over a length of time that he has left his life of crime and become a useful member of society, without giving him a full pardon and thus pronouncing him innocent of the crime of which he is guilty.

There should be further limitation on the power of the Governor with respect to acts of executive clemency. Section 1 of article VII of the constitution, giving the Governor power to perform acts of executive clemency, is limited only by such regulations as may be provided by law relative to the manner of applying for pardons. The Legislature should prescribe that certain proof or showing be required in the application, and limit the acts of executive clemency to cases of miscarriage of justice.

The jury system has come down to us from antiquity and has become such a time-honored part of the law of the land that the opinion of the executive should not be substituted for the opinion of the jury. It has been my practice to sustain the verdict of juries. If the jury, which has seen the witnesses and heard the evidence, is satisfied of the person's guilt I have declined to set the verdict aside. If new facts have developed since the trial and did not come to light within sufficient time to present to the court on a motion for a new trial, I have considered such facts in relation to the evidence adduced at the trial. I have also examined into claims of perjury and into improper motives on the part of law enforcement officers. However, I have felt that such showing should be sufficient to convince any ordinary man that a miscarriage of justice would result from the carrying out of the sentence and have invariably made it a practice to submit all of the evidence to the trial judge and district attorney, believing that in practically all cases their recommendation should be followed

In other words, *it is my theory that executive clemency should be supplemental* to the law and should not be so exercised as to defeat the purpose of the law. Pardons too freely issued lend hope to those who have violated the law and to the criminally inclined, thus taking away to a large extent the deterrent effect of conviction and punishment.

Only by strict enforcement of our criminal statutes and the elimination of sentimentalism in meting out punishment can law and order be maintained.

I have had constantly in mind a desire to protect the women and children of California in their homes. If sentimentalists and hysterical newspapers should succeed in their endeavors, shotgun brigades would be necessary in every community and no home would be safe. The stern enforcement of the law and adequate punishment of criminals is necessary to protect our citizens. The execution of one criminal is a greater deterrent of crime than the confinement of one hundred in prison. The fear of the noose on the part of the criminal element is a measure of protection to every citizen.

Following are the acts of executive clemency done by me during the past two years:

PARDON OF SIDNEY WOOD.

Sidney Wood was convicted of robbery in the first degree in the superior court of the county of Los Angeles on March 3, 1924, and two days later was sentenced

to an indeterminate term of from five years to life in the State Prison at San Quentin, where he was taken and given prison No. 39150.

He was charged with participating in the holdup of a Pacific Electric train near Los Angeles, California, on November 7, 1923, and was tried by a jury The jury disagreed and he was tried by another jury and convicted. He protested his innocence and attempted to prove an alibi. Several passengers on the electric train identified Wood and the jury convicted him on this evidence.

Asa Keyes, district attorney of Los Angeles County, says that a mistake was made and that one James E. Hovermale and three others were the robbers and that Wood was innocent. Hovermale was convicted of this robbery on March 11, 1925, and the other three robbers are in jail awaiting trial. One of them has made a complete confession The district attorney called at this office yesterday and presented the facts and asked that Wood be pardoned. Eleven of the twelve jurymen who tried Hovermale have expressed their belief in the innocence of Wood. Officials and detectives of the Electric company have written stating their belief in Wood's innocence.

District Attorney Keyes in asking for a pardon says·

> "On the 3d day of March, 1924, Sidney Wood was convicted of first degree robbery on the testimony of two witnesses who positively identified him as one of the perpetrators of the Pacific Electric Short Line robbery at Valley Junction in the county of Los Angeles on November 7, 1923, the evidence being to the effect that he was the one who stood upon the rear platform of the Pacific Electric car during the hold-up and had fired the shots into the roof of the rear vestibule The identification by these two witnesses was based upon a similarity in the eyes, the lower portion of the forehead and the upper portion of the nose, the upper portion of the forehead of the man who actually perpetrated the robbery being concealed by a cap and the lower portion of his face from the bridge of the nose down concealed by a bandana handkerchief. chief
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> "He was sentenced on March 5, 1924, by the Honorable W. J. Wood in Department 21 of the superior court in and for the county of Los Angeles previous to which time he had filed a motion for a new trial which was denied. His defense was that of an alibi.
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> "Representatives of the Pacific Electric Railway, to wit, P. R. Fysh and C. R. Smith, made a very thorough and careful investigation of the robbery in question, and as a result of that investigation one James E. Hovermale was arrested, tried in Department 12 of the superior court in and for Los Angeles County during the week of March 11, 1925, and convicted of robbery in the first degree and sentenced by the Honorable Judge Sidney N. Reeve on March 19, 1925, to San Quentin, the evidence in that case showing that the said James E. Hovermale was the real party who stood upon the rear platform at the time of the robbery of the aforementioned Pacific Electric Short Line train on the aforesaid date, and had fired the shots into the roof of the vestibule.
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> "As a result of the conviction of James E Hovermale indictments were returned against Mark Godfrey, Russell Smith and Roy Smith charging them with this same robbery, Russell Smith and Mark Godfrey having been arrested and extradited from Idaho and Mark Godfrey since his arrest having made a complete confession of his participation in the hold-up, and identifying Hovermale, Russell Smith and Roy Smith as the other three parties who with him held up the Pacific Electric Short Line train on the aforesaid date.
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> "In view of the testimony now available which is conclusive as to those who actually participated in the hold-up the undersigned unhesitatingly states that in so far as Sidney Wood personally is concerned, there has been a miscarriage of justice—that he is a victim of mistaken identity; had absolutely nothing whatever to do with the hold-up; is innocent of the offense of which he has been convicted and unqualifiedly recommends to your excellency that the said Sidney Wood receive an immediate pardon"

Superior Judge Sidney N. Reeve, who presided at the trial of Hovermale, has recommended the pardon of Sidney Wood, and says.

> "Having presided during the trial of James E Hovermale, as judge of Department 12 in the superior court of Los Angeles County, and being thoroughly familiar with the evidence introduced therein, unhesitatingly join in the above request and recommendation that your excellency grant Sidney Wood an immediate pardon"

The jurymen who tried Hovermale, the real culprit, have filed the following request for the pardon of Wood:

> "We, the undersigned, jurors in the Hovermale case above referred to, who have heard and passed upon the evidence in connection therewith, feel that in so far as Sidney Wood is concerned, there has been a miscarriage of justice, and that he is absolutely innocent of the crime with which he stands

convicted, and cheerfully join in the above recommendation and request that Your Excellency grant an immediate pardon to Sidney Wood."

Frank Karr, chief counsel and vice president of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, joining in the request for a pardon, says that

"On January 4, 1925, I received a letter from Sidney Wood complaining that he had been wrongfully convicted and sentenced to a term of from five years to life in San Quentin The undersigned immediately requested a report on the conviction of Sidney Wood and started an investigation and from that investigation has arrived at the conclusion that Sidney Wood was erroneously and wrongfully convicted of the crime of train robbery, and therefore in order that justice may be done joins in the recommendation that a pardon be granted said Sidney Wood"

F. R. Fysh, chief special agent of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, says he—

"read the above statement in support of the petition of Sidney Wood for a pardon, am thoroughly familiar with the contents and have an independent knowledge thereof, and most heartily concur in the recommendation on the part of the Honorable Asa Keyes, district attorney of and for the county of Los Angeles, to your excellency, that the said Sidney Wood receive at your hands an immediate pardon."

From the above statements of facts, I am convinced that Sidney Wood was wrongfully convicted of the crime for which he was charged and that he is rightfully entitled to his immediate freedom.

Now, therefore, by virtue of authority vested in me by the constitution and laws of the State of California, I do hereby pardon the said Sidney Wood.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, this fifth day of May, 1925.

[SEAL] FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

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

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE.

Raymond V. Fredericksen pleaded guilty in the superior court of Sacramento County on October 22, 1923, on a charge of robbery, and was sentenced to the State Prison at San Quentin for a term of from five years to life, under chapter 127, Statutes 1923. He was received at San Quentin on November 1, 1923, and has been serving his sentence since that date.

At the preliminary hearing he testified that he was 18 years of age. Subsequently, after the court had lost jurisdiction of the case, showing was made that he was born on March 26, 1906, from which showing it appears that he was 17 years old at the time of the commission of the offense, and his plea of guilty. He later made the explanation that he did not want to admit that he was under 18 years of age, so great was his fear that he would be compelled to go to a part-time school.

An application for probation was denied upon the recommendation of the probation officer, who felt that notwithstanding the young man's prior good behavior, he was precluded from recommending probation inasmuch as the robbery was committed with the aid of a weapon.

The investigation of the probation officer and of the trial court showed that the robbery was the result of association with a hardened criminal, one George B. Dix, who had led the young man to participate in several crimes, although the actual perpetration of the crimes was conducted by Dix.

Dix attempted to escape the severe penalty for robbery by pleading guilty to the crime of burglary, and it was only upon the testimony of Fredericksen that he was convicted of the crime of robbery and received proper sentence for his misdeeds. It required considerable courage on the part of Fredericksen to so testify. At the time of the trial he had already been confined in San Quentin penitentiary.

Ellis W. Jones, sheriff of Sacramento County, makes the following statement

"At the time Fredericksen was arrested he stated to the arresting officer 'I see where I have done wrong, and I will tell the whole story,' which he did. If it had not been for Fredericksen's testimony I do not believe George B. Dix, who was an ex-convict, would have been convicted. After taking into consideration the fact of Fredericksen's age, and feeling that Fredericksen unwillingly participated in the crime of highway robbery, for which he was sentenced to the State Prison at San Quentin, I believe this is a case where the influence of a hardened criminal was brought to bear upon a youth."

Charles O. Busick, judge of the superior court of Sacramento County, who sentenced Fredericksen, has made the following statement

"The defendant, Fredericksen, pleaded guilty to the charge of robbery and was sentenced under the 1923 statute, chapter 127, codified under section 211*a*. Prior to sentencing, application for probation was made and by the court referred to the probation officer and the probation officer held that he was not permitted under the law to make a recommendation for probation, therefore the defendant was sentenced and is now in San Quentin Prison.

"Subsequently thereto, Dix, the leader in this crime, was tried in this court before a jury and the defendant Fredericksen appeared as a witness for the State, told a straight, truthful story of the crime, assisting the State in convicting Dix, the leader of the two, and a man who already had a prison record

"The investigation of the probation officer showed that defendant Fredericksen previously had a good character and reputation; had been regularly engaged in a useful occupation and had been a member of a Sunday school class; had no previous bad record, came of a good family and had undoubtedly been misled by the experienced criminal, Dix.

"The file in the case also shows affidavits filed in his behalf, after sentence, in a motion to set aside the judgment, from persons who lived at his former home, showing that the defendant was born March, 1906, although the boy, himself, testified that he was 18 years old. At the time of passing sentence the court had nothing but Fredericksen's statement as to his age before it, therefore accepted the testimony of Fredericksen as correct, and for that reason did not remand him to the juvenile court

"It appears to the undersigned that the sentence in this case, although in conformity with law, is much too severe; in that unfortunately the lad's rights were frittered away by a failure to make the showing that possibly could have been made as to his age.

"The youth has now spent nearly a year in prison, a severe punishment for the part he took in the commission of the crime and it is the belief of the undersigned that justice would best be served in granting a pardon to this youth. It is with a firm belief in these statements that I make these recommendations."

J. J. Henderson, district attorney of Sacramento County, says:

"I endorse the statement of Honorable Charles O. Busick, and join in his recommendation."

After carefully reviewing the above statements and the facts in the case I do not feel that a pardon should be granted, as the young man actually participated in a robbery and in one or more burglaries However, I have taken into consideration the fact that if the young man's age had been established prior to sentence, he probably would have been sent to the reform school rather than to the State penitentiary, and the additional fact that he risked bodily injury at the hands of other prisoners at San Quentin who make a practice of intimidating any prisoner who is willing to testify against another prisoner Fredericksen materially aided the State in the conviction of the director and instigator of the crime in which he participated. The conduct of the prisoner since his incarceration in the State penitentiary has been exemplary and he has given unmistakable evidence of his desire to reform and lead a better life I feel that he is entitled to executive clemency, and that his sentence should be reduced to permit early parole.

Now, therefore, I, Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of the State of California, pursuant to authority vested in me by the constitution and statutes of said state, do hereby commute the sentence of Raymond V Fredericksen from five years to life to a term of five years in the State penitentiary at San Quentin.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at Sacramento, this twenty-sixth day of February, 1926.

[SEAL] FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

By the Governor.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Secretary of State.
By FRANK H. CORY, Deputy

PARDON OF JAMES W. PRESTON.

James W. Preston was convicted by a jury in the superior court of Los Angeles County of first-degree burglary, first-degree robbery and assault with a deadly weapon. He was sentenced on March 16, 1925, on each of the counts to serve a term in the State Prison at San Quentin as prescribed by law, the three sentences to run consecutively. He was subsequently received at the State prison and given No. 40598.

The charges grew out of the cowardly shooting of Mrs. Dick R. Parsons of Los Angeles on the night of October 18, 1924, during the robbery of her residence.

After the commission of the crime, the robber and would-be murderer, who was heavily masked, made his escape. Investigation by the police disclosed that the criminal had made his entrance through a rear window of the house and fingerprints were discovered on a screen and photographed.

Subsequently, Preston was arrested and placed in the Los Angeles city jail on a charge of unlawfully wearing the uniform of the United States Navy. His description generally fit that given by Mrs. Parsons of her assailant. Preston's fingerprints were taken and submitted to the State Bureau of Criminal Identification together with a photograph of the fingerprints found on the screen The superintendent of the State Bureau advised the Los Angeles officials that the picture was not sufficiently clear to make a positive comparison, although there was a similarity in the general contour of the two fingerprints. The fingerprint expert of the Los Angeles Police Department stated at the time that the fingerprints were not the same. It was erroneously reported in a Los Angeles newspaper that Preston had been positively identified through fingerprints. He was taken to the bedside of Mrs. Parsons, who had previously been misinformed through the newspaper accounts as to the fingerprint identification. Her mind undoubtedly influenced by the belief that the fingerprint identification had been made, Mrs. Parsons identified Preston as the man who had robbed her home and shot her and so testified at the trial. This identification, based only on the similarity of Preston's voice and eyes with those of the actual assailant, together with conflicting statements made by Preston as to his whereabouts on the night of the crime, led to his conviction, although he denied his guilt and claimed that he was not in Los Angeles at the time of the commission of the crime. The district attorney did not produce the evidence in his possession as to the dissimilarity of fingerprints.

More than one year later, one Earl M. Carroll was arrested, charged with the commission of certain burglaries in the city of Los Angeles. His fingerprints were positively identified through comparison by the fingerprint experts of the Los Angeles Police Department as those found on the screen of Mrs. Parson's home

Carroll has been charged with the commission of the crime for which Preston was convicted. His trial, however, has been delayed owing to the fact that he has developed evidences of insanity, and it is possible Carroll will not be brought to trial on this charge.

I was hopeful after the facts of this case were first presented to me that a jury might determine the evidence against Carroll before acting on the application of Preston for pardon, but the evidence appears to be so clear and convincing and in view of the recommendation of the trial judge and district attorney of Los Angeles County, I am disposed to act on this case without further delay, believing that an innocent man has been convicted and that the carrying out of the judgment means a miscarriage of justice.

Asa Keyes, district attorney of Los Angeles County, says:

> "I am wholly satisfied in my own mind that while the conviction of James W. Preston might be proper at the time, subsequent developments are such that it is clear that the guilty party is Earl M. Carroll. Under all of the circumstances, I feel wholly justified in recommending pardon for James W. Preston and do so recommend.

Honorable Carlos S. Hardy, judge of the superior court in and for Los Angeles County, who presided at the trial of Preston and subsequently made investigation of the evidence that has developed subsequent thereto, has recommended a pardon. He reviews the case as follows:

> "The district attorney of this county and certain officers of the police department and of the sheriff's department have called to my attention developments in connection with the case of James W. Preston who was tried before a jury in my court in March, 1925 and was convicted of first-degree burglary, first-degree robbery and assault with a deadly weapon and was sentenced by me to San Quentin.
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> "The district attorney advises me he has recommended to Your Excellency that this defendant be pardoned, believing as he does, that Preston was not guilty of the offenses of which he was convicted and that his identification was the result of a mistake. The district attorney is strongly corroborated in his views by Mr. H L. Barlow of the Los Angeles police department who is an expert on fingerprints, and Mr. Frank Dewar, deputy sheriff, who is serving as jailer of Los Angeles County.
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> "I have reviewed the evidence taken at the trial at which Preston was convicted. The identification of Preston was made chiefly by the one witness, his victim, testifying to peculiarities in the voice and of the eyes, which peculiarities are found in the defendant Preston. The victim in the case, who was chief witness in the prosecution, was an unusually intelligent

lady and her testimony was positive and conclusive and her description of the voice of the person who attacked her and of the peculiar way in which he would close his eyes down until they were mere slits was most striking and definite and these peculiarities, as above stated, were noticeable in the court room during the trial of the defendant and were of such a rare nature that one might say would be seldom met with in the course of a lifetime.

"In addition to this testimony of identification, there was furnished me, but did not go to the jury, evidence by the officers who had investigated the case that the fingerprints of the person who committed the offense had been taken and compared with the fingerprints of Preston then on file in the State Identification Bureau in Sacramento and some report was shown to me from the superintendent of the bureau stating in effect that Preston's fingerprints were similar to those of the person who committed the offense. The photographic copies and reproductions of the fingerprints of the person committing the offenses were imperfect in some respects and for that reason it was explained that a perfect identification by fingerprints was impossible. The officers were satisfied that they were Preston's fingerprints

"Preston had an alibi, portions of which placed him in San Diego or near San Diego at the time when the offenses were committed This alibi was entirely destroyed by the showing that he was in the city jail in Los Angeles at the time when he claimed to be elsewhere.

"The matter of these discrepancies in his alibi have never been cleared up so far as I know, but from a reading of the affidavits which I am advised are now on file in your office and which have been exhibited to me by the district attorney, I am now led to believe that the fingerprints of the person who committed the offenses are not the fingerprints of Preston but that they are the fingerprints of one Earl M. Carroll who is now under arrest and who is believed to have committed the offenses for which Preston is now serving sentence. Carroll has not yet been brought to trial I am also advised by the district attorney and the other officers of the case that Mrs. Parsons, the victim of these crimes, has seen Carroll and states that he more nearly fills the bill of the man who had committed the offenses and that he possesses the peculiarities of voice and eyes that she described and which went so far in securing the conviction of Preston

"Upon these representations referred to above and the new disclosures, it would seem to me that Preston is entitled to executive leniency and I join with the other officers in so recommending"

Sergeant H L. Barlow, fingerprint expert of the Los Angeles Police Department, has filed with me an affidavit reading in part as follows:

"Affiant further says that he has positively identified the fingerprints that he photographed on the lower edge of screen frame which was removed by a burglar on the night of October 18, 1924, at the home of Mrs. Richard Parsons, 906 West 50th street, as being impressions made by the right middle and right ring fingers of Earl M. Carroll, L. A. No 21674-A; also a portion of palm print that he photographed on the opposite side of screen frame from the fingerprints which he has positively identified as being an impression made by the right hand palm of Earl M Carroll

"Affiant further states that he compared the fingerprints of the said James W. Preston, L. A. No. 23668-M-2, with the fingerprints that he had photographed on the Parsons screen frame and they were postively not made by his, the said James W. Preston's fingers. He informed the officers who were working on the case at that time of this fact. This comparison was made at the time Preston was suspected of this crime, in 1924."

Mrs. Dick R. Parsons has made and filed with me an affidavit reading in part as follows:

"Affiant now realizes that, believing the fingerprints possibly being Preston's, made her more certain in her mind as to her assailant being Preston than she might have been had this statement never been made, and in the light of this new evidence, granting that Mr Barlow is correct and which affiant now feels she can not doubt, affiant believes now that she could have been mistaken in identifying James W. Preston as the man.

"While affiant did not realize it at the time, she can now readily see how her identification of Preston was unconsciously influenced from having had read to her before seeing said Preston, articles from newspapers, to the effect that he, Preston, had been arrested on account of the similarity of his fingerprints and the fingerprints of the burglar taken from the window screen of her house.

"Affiant further states that, in view of all the facts that have come to light since the arrest and investigation of the said Earl M. Carroll and the positive identification of his fingerprints with the fingerprints of the burglar left on her screen, she, said affiant, feels that it is possible and entirely probable that she has made a mistake in identifying James W. Preston as her assailant, and that, in making said identification, affiant was undoubtedly influenced by the statements which had been made to her as above set

forth, leading her to believe that the said James W. Preston had been connected with said crimes by evidence independent of said affiant's identification."

Frank Dewar, deputy sheriff and jailer of the Los Angeles County jail, has made and filed an affidavit in which he says in part:

"That since said conviction and sentence, and particularly within the past few weeks affiant has been actively engaged in cooperating with H. L. Barlow, police sergeant in charge of the Police Identification Bureau of the city of Los Angeles, and has become satisfied that said Preston was not the perpetrator of the crimes committed against the person and property of Mrs. Richard Parsons and that it now appears that the perpetrator of such crime is one Earl M. Carroll who is now in custody in the county jail of Los Angeles County and being prosecuted by the district attorney of said county for said crime."

Detective Lieutenant T. D Robinson of the police department of the city of Los Angeles has made and filed with me an affidavit in which he expresses his belief in the innocence of Preston and says:

"Affiant further states that it has since been demonstrated to him by fingerprint expert H. L. Barlow of the Los Angeles police department, that the prints on the screen belong to Earl M. Carroll who was arrested by said Los Angeles police department on the charge of burglary. Affiant is also convinced that owing to the similarity of build and description of the said James W. Preston and the said Earl M. Carroll that Mrs. Parsons could have made an error in her identification at that time, especially as she saw only the eyes of the man who shot her, between the top of a handkerchief tied over Preston's face and a pulled-down hat and that she, the said Mrs. Parsons, heard his, the said Preston's voice in a moment of intense excitement."

M. M. Moran, police officer of the police department of the city of Los Angeles, and Police Officer H. L. Bain, who investigated the charges against Earl M. Carroll, have made and filed with me affidavits in which they express their belief that Carroll, and not Preston, is the person guilty of the crime for which Preston is now serving in the state prison. These affidavits set out the fact that Carroll has made certain damaging admissions to the officers connecting him with the crime in addition to the positive identification of the fingerprints

G. E. Benedict, deputy public defender of Los Angeles County, who represented Preston at the time of trial, has made and filed with me an affidavit in which he states that Preston at all times maintained his innocence and further that the deputy district attorney in charge of the prosecution before the commencement of the trial offered to drop the charges on which Preston was convicted if he would plead guilty to simple assault, but that Preston refused to plead guilty to any charge in connection with the robbery and shooting of Mrs. Parsons.

I have made an independent investigation and from all of the facts and circumstances believe that James W. Preston is not guilty of the crime for which he was convicted. This is in no way a reflection upon the jury that found Preston guilty. In most cases I am willing to accept the verdict of juries. But facts in this case have developed subsequent to trial which I believe if submitted to the jury would have resulted in a verdict of acquittal. I have no hesitancy in stating that I believe that it is the duty of officers charged with the preparation of cases for trial and of district attorneys who prosecute to present all of the facts to the jury in order that a fair determination of the guilt or innocence of the accused may be had. I strongly believe in vigorous prosecutions of criminals, but I also believe in fair play for those accused of crime. Had the deputy district attorney who prosecuted Preston presented to the jury the evidence showing the dissimilarity between the fingerprints found on the screen of the Parsons residence and those of Preston, there is no doubt in my mind that Preston would have been acquitted by an intelligent jury without the subsequent additional proof that the fingerprints found on the screen were those of Earl M. Carroll

In view of the circumstances of this case publication of notice of intention to apply for pardon is hereby waived.

For reasons hereinabove stated by virtue of authority vested in me as Governor of the State of California by the constitution and laws of this state, I hereby pardon James W. Preston on each of the three charges of which he was convicted.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, this second day of September, 1926.

[SEAL] FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

By the Governor:
FRANK C. JORDAN, Secretary of State.
By FRANK H. CORY, Deputy.

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PARDON OF T. H. HEAPE.

Trafford Henry Heape was convicted in Los Angeles County of the crime of grand larceny by trick and device and on October 30, 1924, was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term of from one to ten years in the State Prison at San Quentin. After the determination of an appeal, he was received at the State prison on August 15, 1925, and given No 41161. Prior to his incarceration in the State penitentiary he had been confined five months in the Los Angeles County jail, making his total imprisonment for the crime for which he was convicted up to the present time, with credits allowed for good behavior, more than one year and seven months.

The crime of which Heape was convicted grew out of a real estate transaction with somewhat complicated details, all of which it is unnecessary to state. Heape entered into a business partnership with one T. C. Hughes for the purpose of building and selling houses. They entered into a contract with Bruce Gordon Kingsley whereby Kingsley was to advance $250 and a trust deed, the face value of which was $1,019, which money was to be used in the purchase of a lot and erection of a house to be sold in ninety days and out of the proceeds Kingsley was to receive his money back, plus the remarkable profit of $1,000. Kingsley put up his money and security, but Heape and Hughes failed to purchase the lot or erect the house, and in due time Kingsley, becoming dissatisfied, demanded his money back, but failed to receive it. In the meantime, it appears that the trust deed had been disposed of and the proceeds used for other purposes. The criminal complaint followed, although it appears from evidence not submitted to the jury that Kingsley attempted to use the criminal process as a means of collecting his money, plus his contemplated profit, and made representation to Heape that if he would pay to him approximately $3,000, Kingsley would secure the dismissal of the criminal action. In pursuance of such understanding, Heape executed a promissory note in favor of Kingsley and turned over to him an equity in his home by way of restitution. Subsequent to the trial, Kingsley dispossessed Heape's family and took possession of the house.

The complaint, however, was not dismissed and Heape went to trial His attorney withdrew from the case immediately before the trial Heape secured a new attorney and the judge refused to grant a continuance in order that the attorney might post himself on the facts in the complicated case. Hence, Heape was improperly represented and evidence that could have been presented to the jury was not presented. From evidence developed subsequent to trial and which has been submitted in connection for pardon, it appears that Heape entered into the contract with Kingsley in good faith and turned the money and trust deed over to his business associate, Hughes, but that Hughes converted the money and proceeds from the sale of the trust deed to his own use.

In addition to the loss of his home, Heape lost approximately $3,500 advanced to Hughes in connection with their brief relationship Hughes was subsequently convicted of embezzlement in connection with another transaction and is now incarcerated in the State prison

The complaining witness, Bruce Gordon Kingsley, was particularly vindictive at the trial and at the time Heape asked the judge for probation. Since the trial Kingsley says he has become convinced of the innocence of Heape, is deeply repentant of the mean part he played as prosecutor, and has filed two affidavits and various statements in which he says in part as follows

> "That affiant since the trial of said cases received new information which caused him to believe that it was rendered impossible for said Heape to carry out his contract with affiant because of the very money upon which the defendant was depending and which was necessary for the fulfillment of said contract was withheld from Heape by his business associates, that said new information consists of the affidavits of Claude A. Shutt, Edgar L Martin, and data consisting of documents showing that Heape was depending upon the action of one T C Hughes, his business associate, for the necessary financial support with which to complete said contract and that said T. C Hughes, who has since been convicted of embezzlement, failed and refused to supply the necessary funds which Heape had the right to expect and did expect from said Hughes; that on account of new information obtained since the aforesaid trial affiant believes that the said Heape is not to blame for the crime of which he stands convicted."

The affidavits referred to in the above statement have been filed in connection with the application for pardon and tend to show the facts as hereinabove set forth.

Asa Keyes, district attorney of Los Angeles County, has made a statement in the case at my request under section 1420 of the Penal Code, in which he says in part:

> "From a careful perusal of the transcript of the testimony in this case, I believe that it fails to show the commission of the crime of grand larceny by Heape The theory of the prosecution at the trial undoubtedly was that at the time Heape obtained this money and trust deed from Kingsley he had larceny in his heart and did not intend to complete or carry out the contract which he made. From Mr. Heape's testimony at the trial, I am satisfied and at a loss to understand why the jury did not so find that Mr Heape never at any time intended to steal either the $250 or the trust deed which had been entrusted to him by Kingsley and I believe that if he had been properly defended and all of the facts brought out at the trial which could have been produced in his defense, he would never have been convicted.
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> "I believe from what I have learned subsequent to his conviction that the failure of Mr Heape and his partner Hughes to carry out their contract with Kingsley was due entirely to the fault of Mr. Hughes (Heape's partner) in not producing as he had promised the proper financial backing to carry this deal through.
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> "Mr Heape's attorney did not ask a single question of the most important witness on cross-examination nor did he call Mr. Hughes in Hr Heape's defense. The testimony of this man is particularly important when it is remembered that Mr. Heape testified positively that although he had received this money, the same had been disbursed on Mr Hughes' order and for his benefit and that he was unable to complete this deal for Kingsley by reason of the fact that Hughes had spent this money and had failed to produce other capital which he had promised for the carrying out of this contract. From this testimony, I am of the opinion that Mr Heape did not commit the crime of grand larceny as found by the jury and that his application for pardon should be granted"

The district attorney criticizes Heape's attorney by saying that he improperly defended his client. As it is the duty of the district attorney to seek justice rather than conviction why did he not advise the jury to acquit? This is the sixth pardon I have given men convicted in Los Angeles County and later declared innocent by the district attorney.

Judge Carlos S. Hardy, who presided at the trial, was strongly of the opinion that Heape was guilty. When Heape applied for probation Judge Hardy brought out the facts of bad check transactions on Heape's part. Until just recently Judge Hardy has maintained Heape guilty. After reviewing new evidence Judge Hardy says

> "In consideration of these matters, I respectfully recommend pardon for Mr. Heape."

Nine of the twelve members of the jury have signed statements in which they state that they have reviewed new evidence not produced at the time of the trial and that "had said evidence been presented to the jury I would have voted for an acquittal instead of conviction. It is my opinion that there has been a miscarriage of justice and that a pardon should be granted by the Governor." This statement can not be considered of great weight, as the jurymen were probably strongly solicited. Still, the statement is entitled to some consideration

I have carefully reviewed the evidence presented at the trial and the affidavits containing additional information which was not submitted to the jury. I do not feel that Heape was entirely blameless in the matter or had been entirely upright in his financial transaction. He made extravagant promises of profits amounting practically to a get-rich-quick scheme and did not properly safeguard the money turned over to him by Kingsley He should have known that he could not have returned the huge profits promised within the time specified in the contract without material loss and he should have been prepared to meet such a loss before entering the contract However, from all the facts and circumstances, I feel that Heape has been sufficiently punished, and that he will become a good citizen after this severe lesson In view of the recommendation of the district attorney, the trial judge, and the prosecuting witness and the jurymen, I feel that he should be pardoned.

Now, therefore, by the virtue of authority vested in me by the constitution and statutes of the State of California, I hereby pardon Trafford Henry Heape of the crime of grand larceny by trick and device.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, this twenty-fourth day of September, 1926.

[SEAL] (Signed) FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of California.

By the Governor:
(Signed) FRANK C. JORDAN, Secretary of State.
(Signed) By FRANK H. CORY, Deputy.

PARDON OF C. A. M'CORMICK.

Clifford A. McCormick was convicted in the superior court of Los Angeles County of the crime of first-degree robbery on two counts, and was sentenced on November 29, 1924, to the term prescribed by law. The judgment was affirmed by the appellate court and he was subsequently received at the State Prison at San Quentin on July 10, 1926, where he was given No 42429.

McCormick was charged jointly with one Carey Wilson. A separate trial was requested but denied. It was charged that McCormick, in company with Wilson and Godfrey H. Cowdrey, participated in two robberies, one being the holdup of the Sultan Turkish Baths in Los Angeles and the second the holdup of a passenger bus belonging to the Los Angeles Railway. At the time of the trial, McCormick interposed the defense that during the time he had associated with Cowdrey and Wilson (and appeared to be planning the commission of the crimes) he was acting as a private detective under instructions of and securing information for his employer, J. N. Pyles Detective Agency.

The jury was undoubtedly justified in disbelieving his story on the basis of the evidence adduced at the trial. However, since the trial additional evidence has been developed, which has been carefully investigated, showing that McCormick's story was true and that he assisted the law enforcement officers by giving information relative to crimes committed by Wilson and Cowdrey.

During his association with these criminals as a detective, McCormick learned that Cowdrey had murdered one Joseph Langley during a holdup in Los Angeles This information was conveyed to the authorities and Cowdrey was subsequently identified by a witness to the killing and convicted of murder in the first degree. McCormick testified against Cowdrey at the murder trial and was instrumental in securing the conviction. Cowdrey, after his conviction, was bitter against McCormick and was used by the district attorney as one of the principal witnesses against McCormick. Being under life sentence, Cowdrey had little to fear on account of perjury.

Some of the newly discovered evidence which has convinced me of McCormick's innocence is the following

McCormick's employer, J. N. Pyles, called at the office of the sheriff of Los Angeles County and advised that he had an "under cover" man associating with some known criminals and that it would be necessary for him to appear to be associating with them in the commission of crime in order to secure evidence against them. McCormick reported the plans to commit the crimes to his employer but it appears that Pyles, being anxious to secure rewards and full credit for the detection and conviction of those responsible for the commission of the crimes, particularly in connection with the murder of Langley, was not frank in disclosing all the information in his possession to the officials. However, through information given by McCormick a holdup of the Leighton Cafeteria in Los Angeles was frustrated and Cowdrey and Wilson taken into custody. Subsequently, McCormick gave the sheriff's office full information relative to the crimes in which he appeared to be participating. The cooperation of McCormick with the officials and the fact that Pyles had previously furnished information to the sheriff's office was not properly presented in evidence, possibly, because of the fact that McCormick was represented by the attorneys of J. N. Pyles who were primarily instrumental in protecting Pyles from criticism and against the loss of his detective license

At the trial of McCormick the two deputy district attorneys who prosecuted the codefendants both represented and stated in their arguments to the jury their belief that McCormick had committed perjury in testifying against Cowdrey; that his story in the Cowdrey case was unworthy of belief and that they intended to apply to the Governor for a pardon on behalf of Cowdrey, believing him innocent. I am unable to ascribe a motive on the part of the district attorney's office in prosecuting McCormick and making such representations to the jury. The district attorney's office of Los Angeles County and neither of the deputies who prosecuted McCormick or Cowdrey have ever attempted to secure a pardon for Cowdrey. Additional evidence has been presented strengthening the guilt of Cowdrey and supporting the testimony of McCormick at Cowdrey's trial. Such evidence includes

affidavits made by inmates of the county jail as to damaging admissions of guilt made by Cowdrey and an affidavit made by Carey Wilson to the effect that he was present at the time of the confession made by Cowdrey to McCormick concerning which the latter testified at McCormick's trial.

I have requested Asa Keyes district attorney of Los Angeles County, to investigate the facts of this case and furnish a statement to me under section 1420 of the Penal Code. I have been unable to secure any expression from District Attorney Keyes relative to this case. His assistant, Charles W. Fricke, has expressed himself as not favorable to the granting of a pardon, asserting that "I feel from the entire record that the deefndant McCormick was fairly and justly convicted of the crimes with which he was charged" Mr Fricke has not expressed his personal opinion as to the guilt or innocence of McCormick. Arthur Keetch, the judge who presided at the trial of McCormick and Wilson, and who has carefully examined the evidence discovered subsequent to the trial, has recommended a pardon. I quote in part from his statement as follows

> "I am heartily in sympathy with the application and believe it is a proper one for executive clemency, particularly in view of the fact that no jurisdiction remains in the courts to grant the relief which, I am convinced, the case demands I denied the motion for a new trial because the legal ground for the motion was insufficient. I am satisfied, however, that had I known at that time as much as I do now, I should have granted the motion. I am also satisfied, in the light of subsequent knowledge, that the motion for a severance of the trial of McCormick from that of Carey Wilson could have been granted
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> "I am satisfied in my own mind that if there was not actually a suppression of evidence during the trial of the case, as far as McCormick was concerned, much evidence of a vital character in support of the defense that he was acting as a detective and feigned accomplice was not presented. The fact, as stated in the affidavit of Mr. Harry Wright, the chief deputy in the sheriff's office, that he had instructed his subordinate, Harvey Bell, to take steps to protect McCormick by calling the attention of the district attorney to the fact that he was acting as a detective, and which Harvey Bell admits he neglected to do, was of the most vital importance to McCormick, and there are other matters set out in the petition and supported by affidavits, which were of equal importance to him in the trial of the case before a jury. Furthermore, the fact that McCormick was jointly charged and jointly tried with Carey Wilson, against whom the evidence was unequivocal and convincing, undoubtedly was greatly prejudicial to McCormick if the jury believed he was a real accomplice and not a feigned one
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> "In view of all the facts and circumstances which now appear in the case, I am satisfied that if the judgment is enforced it will result in a miscarriage of justice I, therefore, earnestly join in the request for executive clemency at the hands of the Governor"

R. H. Wright, chief criminal deputy of the sheriff's office of Los Angeles County, has made a careful investigation of all the facts and circumstances relative to the association of McCormick with Cowdrey and Wilson and his alleged participation in the crimes for which he was convicted and has recommended unconditional pardon. He says in part:

> "In talking with McCormick relative to this robbery, I am firmly convinced that he was placed in a position of carrying out this robbery because if he 'back fired' from this job, it is most probable and likely that Cowdrey and Wilson would never have been brought to justice for the commission of the crime for which they were convicted and they might have gone on indefinitely committing numerous crimes of violence which perhaps might have resulted in the death of other persons as in my opinion they were criminals of the most desperate kind"

Mr. Wright states that Detective Pyles came to him before the commission of the crimes and stated that he had an "under cover" man working with Cowdrey and Wilson and desired to have him protected and that he, Wright, instructed a deputy sheriff to arrange with the district attorney's office for McCormick's protection and subsequent immunity. Why this was not done has not been satisfactorily explained. Mr. Wright states in conclusion:

> "I have given this case a great deal of thought, and have come to the conclusion that it is a case in which executive clemency should be granted. I firmly and sincerely believe that McCormick was a bonafide operative of the Pyles Detective Agency, and was so at all stages of the proceedings, and that at no time did he ever depart from his true character as an operative, and that in his participating in the La Brea bus job he did so believing that it was necessary in order to carry out the purposes of his employment, and I sincerely hope that His Excellency, Governor Richardson, will grant an unconditional pardon to this man. I have no personal interest in this matter

other than to do all in my power to see that justice be done, and I sincerely hope that the Governor can see this case the same as I do"

E. Raymond Cato, assistant captain of detectives of the Los Angeles police department, has made a statement in which he says in part

"It was my opinion at the time that McCormick was arrested, and this was substantiated later by the results of my investigation, that McCormick at the time he committed the robberies for which he was convicted, was working under the instructions and in the belief that Deputy Sheriff Harvey Bell and Pyles would protect him in his acts in order to secure evidence against Godfrey Cowdrey and Carey Wilson, codefendants with McCormick. In conversations with me after his arrest, McCormick expressed the belief that he had nothing to fear and that his actions had been in accordance with instructions from the officers for whom he was operating"

Statements of several of the members of the jury have been filed in this office in which the jurors state that had the additional evidence been presented at the time of the trial and that had it been clearly made to appear that McCormick was in the employ of a private detective agency and working in connection with such employment at the time of the commission of the crimes for which he was charged, they would have voted for a verdict of acquittal.

After carefully reviewing the facts of this case, I have reached the conclusion that not only was McCormick acting in the course of his employment as a private detective at the time the crimes were committed, but that he was acting in the interest of justice in securing evidence against dangerous criminals and I feel, as does Judge Keetch, that the carrying out of the judgment would amount to a miscarriage of justice. It is regrettable that the district attorney's office of Los Angeles County did not properly investigate this case or if the facts were known that the truth was not fully presented to the jury

For the reasons above stated and pursuant to authority vested in me by the constitution and laws of the State of California, I, Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of the State of California, hereby pardon Clifford A McCormick on account of his conviction of two charges of robbery.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, this twenty-first day of December, 1926.

[SEAL] FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of California.

By the Governor:

FRANK C JORDAN, Secretary of State.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY DENIED

Executive clemency has been denied in a large number of cases The reasons for denial in a few of the more noted cases are included herewith in order that my policy in such matters may be fully understood

CLARENCE (ALIAS "TUFFY") REID CASE.

A strong effort was made to secure the pardon, or commutation of sentence, of Clarence Reid of Los Angeles, convicted of murder and sentenced to be executed More than fifty thousand persons signed petitions asking Reid's release. Certain sensational newspapers waged a strong campaign with the object of intimidating me, so that a miscarriage of justice might be forced. Offers of political support and threats were resorted to. Plain lying about the facts in the case filled the columns of a certain newspaper published in Los Angeles.

In denying the pardon I released for publication the following statement

"The murder of Charles Weingarten, a Los Angeles merchant, by Clarence (alias "Tuffy") Reid was one of the most cruel and cold-blooded of the many murders I have reviewed. Reid was doubly prepared for murder and when the deceased grabbed his right hand Reid deliberately reached in his pocket with his left hand for another pistol with which he killed the merchant. Reid then cursed his partner in crime for not shooting. Thus incited, his partner fired. Then the murderers fled. Reid had a fair trial and the higher courts have approved the verdict. The fact that Reid was a user of drugs aggravates rather than palliates his cold-blooded crime. Drug users should pay the penalty for their crimes While in the county jail Reid entered into a plot for a general jail delivery and would have killed a turnkey but for the timely aid of a guard Reid is a confirmed criminal with a long career of crime from the reform school to the murder

"An affidavit presented by Laurence McMullen who was Reid's partner, is so inconsistent and conflicting that it deserves no consideration The sympathy in this case should go out to the unfortunate victim and his family. When Reid pays the penalty for his crime it will be a solemn warning to other criminals that California is not a safe place for murderers, and that no

influence, however powerful, of journalists, politicians, attorneys, or the sob sisters can avail to prevent the law being enforced. Threats of personal and political reprisal will not deter me from doing my duty."

False Statement of Reid's Partner.

Lawrence McMullen, a prisoner serving a life term sentence in San Quentin, the partner with Clarence (alias "Tuffy") Reid, in the murder of Charles Weingarten, a Los Angeles merchant, confessed after Reid was hung that the affidavit made by him at the request of Assemblyman Dodge, before the hanging of Reid, was entirely false and was made for the sole purpose of securing for Reid a commutation of sentence In an affidavit voluntarily made to a member of the prison board McMullen said:

"That on February 13, 1925, I signed a statement, purporting to be a confession, testifying to the alleged fact that I. Lawrence McMullen, and not Clarence Reid, fired the shot which killed one Charles Weingarten in Los Angeles on January 21, 1923. That the statement sworn to by me on said February 13, 1925, and especially as to the part thereof in which I confessed the killing of Weingarten, is wholly and completely false, and was made solely for the purpose of exonerating Clarence Reid in the hope of securing for him a commutation of sentence, and that the shot which killed Weingarten was not fired by me"

This affidavit was sworn to before a notary public in Marin County. McMullen said that it was considered good ethics among prisoners confined at San Quentin to make any affidavit or statement necessary to save their companions from execution. He laughingly ridiculed that part of his affidavit secured by Assemblyman Dodge wherein he said he had dyed his hair from its natural red to black. McMullen said he had never dyed his hair in his life and the false affidavit was made in order to meet the insistence of Reid's friends to help his partner in crime.

CASE OF CHARLOTTE A. WHITNEY.

One of the most noted cases in which I have been asked to grant a pardon was that of Charlotte A. Whitney of Oakland, convicted of violating the criminal syndicalism law. Hundreds of citizens wrote asking me to grant a pardon. Some worthy citizens mistakenly joined in the plea. Anarchists, syndicalists and Bolsheviks from all over the United States took this occasion to spread their false propaganda and to make the untruthful claim that Miss Whitney was to be imprisoned for merely expressing an opinion. That she was convicted for her acts of syndicalism and not for what she said, did not prevent the continued reiteration of the false statement. Some of the yellow metropolitan press, of course, aided in the campaign.

In the following letter to Upton Sinclair I expressed my convictions regarding the case:

October 31, 1925

Upton Sinclair,
Pasadena, California

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th inst. asking a pardon for Miss Charlotte A Whitney, who was arrested on November 28, 1919, and convicted of criminal syndicalism by a jury in the superior court of Alameda County on February 20, 1920. This verdict was upheld by the State appellate court, *the State Supreme Court, and recently by the United States Supreme Court.* Her powerful influence and wealth has kept her out of prison for nearly six years. Other violators of this law, who have lacked this influence, have been serving their terms in prison.

Many others have written and telegraphed me regarding this case. The tenor of your letter and the letters of some others is that I should respond to popular clamor and release this woman without any showing of a mistrial or even an application from her for a pardon Applications for pardons are considered by me in an orderly manner, based on facts presented in written documents The humblest prisoner is given the same opportunity to be heard as the richest and most powerful offender.

You ask me to set aside the verdict of a jury which heard all the testimony and found her guilty, and to nullify the decisions of the courts. You say she was convicted for merely "holding a political opinion," but the decision of the Supreme Court shows she was convicted of criminal syndicalism as defined by the law.

You say: "I know your views concerning the criminal syndicalism law." This is a loose statement made without investigation of facts. The act defining criminal syndicalism and prescribing penalties for its violation was passed by the Legislature of 1919, by unanimous vote in the Senate and only nine noes in the Assembly, and approved by Governor Wm. D. Stephens. It

was considered so important that it was adopted as an emergency measure as "necessary to the immediate preservation of the public peace and safety" and became effective April 30, 1919.

During my term as Governor, two attempts have been made to repeal the law, one at the legislative session of 1923 and one at the 1925 session. Both attempts failed in the Legislature and the bills did not reach the Governor. Officially, I have never had occasion to act upon or comment upon this law. Under these circumstances I ask that you correct your statement.

While I had no part in the passage of this law, still I have taken an oath to support the constitution and the laws of the State. It is my duty to stand for the enforcement of all the laws. The law penalizing criminal syndicalism is just as solemn and binding as the laws against murder, robbery, treason, arson and other crimes. Those who object to the criminal syndicalism law should appeal to the Legislature or take the matter direct to the people by initiative. To ask me to nullify the law is to ask me to violate my oath and set myself against the will of the people as expressed through the Legislature.

While I am Governor I propose to stand staunchly for the laws of the State and to support the constitution. Those who have been convicted, after fair trials by juries, sustained by decisions of courts, can not expect to escape punishment of their crimes by appealing to me. It is my duty to stand up for the laws and to protect society, and I will not issue pardons merely because of popular clamor.

Yours sincerely,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

CASES OF TANKO AND HALL.

A reward was offered by me for the arrest and capture of Joe Tanko and Floyd Hall, two life termers who escaped from the State prison. These young men committed a particularly cold-blooded murder in San Mateo County. The city marshal of San Bruno apprehended them for violating a traffic rule and followed them on a motorcycle and tried to stop them. They ran him into the curb and caused him to fall off of his motorcycle. Thereby he broke his leg. Then these young criminals stopped their car and went back and shot the officer in cold blood as he lay on the ground. The jury, owing to "sob sister" influence, gave them life imprisonment. These men had criminal records and had been in reform schools in another state. While in State prison they succeeded in escaping and terrorized different communities, killed one citizen and wounded an officer. If society is to be protected against murderers the law must be rigidly enforced. It is particularly important that every criminal who murders a police officer should be severely dealt with as these officers are simply representing the majesty of the State, and when a criminal attacks an officer he is in effect defying the whole people of the State. I sincerely hope that the criminal exploits of these two young murderers will be a warning to kind-hearted but misguided jurors in murder cases.

FERDINAND, SEARS AND GEREGAC.

The three men named above were convicted in Los Angeles County and sentenced to be executed. After a careful review of their crime I made the following statement:

"More than a year ago three men, named Ferdinand, Sears and Geregac, were arrested in Los Angeles charged with murder. They were subsequently tried and sentenced to be hung in January of this year. These three men engaged in rather promiscuous holdups of automobile parties. On the night of the crime they were in an automobile which they parked and then went a short distance to where two men and two women were in a car standing along the side of the street The criminals had figured that in cases of this kind, where men were out with women not their wives, they suffered very little danger of apprehension, as the victims would prefer to suffer financial loss rather than gain publicity. After holding up these two couples and taking their valuables, the three criminals rode on the running board of the car, and with drawn pistols compelled the owner of the car to drive on until they came to another car standing alongside of the road, in which was a third couple of a man and a woman not his wife. Ferdinand and Sears got off the running board and held up this third couple, while Geregac stayed on the running board and kept the first two couples under subjection Ferdinand stood in front of Chapman, the male member of the third couple, and took from him his pocketbook and other valuables and then went behind him, and while behind him, while the poor victim was holding his hands in the air and offering no resistance whatever, he deliberately shot him in the back and killed him. The victim fell forward and then Ferdinand turned him over and continued his search, finding some money in his watch pocket. Then the three criminals jumped on the running board and compelled the driver to conduct them further up the street, where they came alongside of another car parked at the roadside, in which was a fourth couple consisting of a man and a woman not his wife. This fourth couple were compelled to get out of their car and

they were also robbed After that the criminals again mounted on the running board and compelled the driver to drive them back into the vicinity of where their own car was located When they arrived there, the criminals turned off the lights, took the key out of the car and threw it down, and then ran to their own car and got aboard and went back to their rooms in Los Angeles.

"I have looked into this case very carefully and read the transcript and the statements of the criminals after their sentence, and various letters and documents in connection with the matter The evidence at the trial was overwhelming as to the guilt of all three of the defendants, and the Supreme Court has sustained the sufficiency of the evidence to warrant the convictions.

"The crime which these three criminals committed is such a serious one that it is necessary that something drastic be done to warn other criminals that crimes of this kind will be punished severely, and that there are in California juries, judges and other officials who will not listen to the pleas of criminals, but will stand firmly by the law and see that it is enforced, so that it may be a lesson to criminals generally. It is a sad thing that these three young men should have engaged in wholesale robbery of this kind It is particularly sad that they should have mothers and other relatives who have suffered on account of their crimes It is tragic that they should have intentionally murdered a man by shooting him in the back, but this is not a matter for sentiment. This is a matter where society must be protected, where the law must be upheld, and where an example may be made which will help sustain the very foundations of society.

"After a full investigation of the matter, I am firmly convinced that the verdict of the jury in condemning these men to be executed was warranted by the facts, and that Geregac and Sears are equally guilty with Ferdinand although they did not fire the fatal shot."

ALEXANDER A. KELS CASE.

A statement was issued by me on the case of Kels, the Lodi murderer, on January 2, 1924, in which I said:

"Alex A. Kels committed one of the most cold-blooded and deliberately planned murders in the history of the State. His victim was a workingman unknown to his assassin. Kels, after his flight and arrest, appeared in court, plead guilty, calmly told all the details of his brutal crime (too horrible to be repeated here), was carefully cross-examined by the court, was subsequently examined for his sanity, and then sentenced to death by the superior judge of San Joaquin County. The laws as enacted by the people were carefully carried out.

"Since his commitment to State prison Kels has been repeatedly examined and found sane The statement made by Mrs Kels shows she knew nothing of the crime and she gives no extenuating circumstances.

"The Governor may, for good reasons, commute sentences but in this case there is not a single fact on which to base any such action. To subvert the will of the people in this case would be to violate my oath of office and deserve impeachment.

"The wife and young children of the murderer deserve sympathy but it should be remembered that Kels deliberately brought this sorrow and disgrace upon them. It should not be forgotten that the man so foully murdered was a poor wandering, friendless laboring man.

"This case has brought to public notice the foul methods of the yellow press, which will even prey upon the grief of a wife and the sorrow of young children to intimidate officers who refuse to bow to their yoke

"The law as enacted by the people must take its course and Kels must pay the penalty of his horrible crime. His fate should be a warning to criminals that the laws will be enforced in California and that influences, no matter how powerful, can not prevent their execution."

THE LINDSLEY CASE.

In denying the application for pardon of Alfred Lindsley, a Eureka editor, confined in the county jail in Humboldt County for contempt of court, I emphasized the importance of respect for the law and the viciousness of the policy of certain yellow journals in attempting to intimidate the officials of the courts and said:

"Alfred Lindsley was found guilty of contempt of court and sentenced to pay a fine of $2,000, with the alternative of 1000 days in the county jail of Humboldt County. Not having paid his fine he is now in jail

"The question of the liberty of the press is not involved in this case. The contempt was based upon the finding of the superior court that Lindsley had published four articles in his newspaper for the deliberate purpose of influencing the judgment of jurors and witnesses, to embarrass the judge, and to interfere with the administration of justice. Lindsley did not deny that his purpose in publishing the articles was to interfere with the administration of justice. His application for pardon is based upon a plea that the sentence is excessive.

"Lindsley has had his day in court and his case has been passed upon by the appellate and Supreme courts of this State. His legal and constitutional rights have not been violated. The issue presented to me is one of maintaining respect for the courts and a fair trial for those charged with crime, and has nothing to do with the liberty of the press A fair trial, in my opinion, means not only one which is fair to the accused but also fair to the people The rights of the people must be considered as well as the rights of the one accused The sentence of Lindsley should stand, in my opinion, and he deserves the punishment inflicted.

"He attempted to interfere with the administration of justice and exhibited contempt for the courts. I have read several copies of Lindsley's newspaper and articles written by him. His newspaper is of the gutter type and his articles clearly attempt to intimidate the courts and prejudice the public and thus create a miscarriage of justice. His punishment should be an object lesson to some of the yellow journals in our metropolitan cities

"After carefully reviewing the case I am convinced that Lindsley's acts are not a credit to the journalistic profession, and that he does not deserve the sympathy of any respectable newspaper publisher or editor."

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Roscoe Anderson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until 10 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, January 4, 1927, out of respect to the memory of the late Alfred C. Murray, a member of the Forty-seventh session of the Assembly.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 4, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Jost:

Resolved, That the action of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session, in employing necessary assistance for the organization of the Assembly for the forty-seventh session, be and the same is hereby ratified and

approved, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the following named persons for the items and the amounts set opposite their respective names, upon the Contingent Expense Fund of the Assembly, and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same

Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk	2 days	@	$10	$20 00
William Monahan, Assistant Clerk	2 days	@	9	18 00
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer	2 days	@	5	10 00
Louis F. Erb, Minute Clerk	1 day	@	9	9 00
Charles Wilkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms	1 day	@	8	8 00

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INAUGURAL CEREMONIES.

The following report of special committee was received:

Your Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies met with a like committee from the Senate and reported that all arrangements have been made for the inaugural ceremonies

LELAND R. JACOBSON, Chairman.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, January 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1 ordered to enrollment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring That the Senate and Assembly meet in joint session in the Assembly Chamber at eleven o'clock on the forenoon of Tuesday, January 4, 1927, for the purpose of being present when the Speaker of the Assembly shall open and publish the returns of the election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, as provided and required by article V, section 4, of the constitution of the State of California

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. Reindollar moved that Governor Richardson's second biennial message be printed in the Journal.

Motion carried.

SECOND BIENNIAL MESSAGE OF
GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

The State government during the past four years has been conducted on a business basis with the practice of strict economy and the highest efficiency. This is proved by the fact that the surplus in the general fund has been built up from

practically nothing to more than twenty million dollars without increasing the rate of taxation and without impairing any State function. This is an achievement unparalleled in California history and is proof positive that pledges made previous to my election have been redeemed in full and that the accomplishment more than exceeds the promises made.

The State of California has never been in better financial condition and the various departments of State government have never been on a more efficient and businesslike basis. When I took office, the surplus in the general fund had been exhausted and it was necessary that the strictest economy should be practiced in the administration of the State government. The 1923 budget was an economy budget and the figures of actual cost of government have proved that it made a saving compared with the budget of 1921 of $12,000,000. This great surplus has been built up despite the fact that during the past four years there was an increase of $16,498,457.47 in the fixed charges of State government, an emergency expenditure of $2,950,359.17 for foot and mouth disease, a great increase in the population of the various State institutions, and a building program of $5,510,450.46, the greatest amount appropriated in any biennium in the history of the State. In addition to this the sum of $1,983,000 was appropriated for permanent improvements on the San Francisco harbor front, out of the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund. The surplus in the general fund is now estimated by the State accountants to be $20,420,923.81. The surplus in the general fund on June 30, 1923, was exactly $30,371.39 and in September of that year it was necessary to borrow from other funds to prevent the registration of warrants. My administration refused to compromise a suit for franchise taxes due from corporations and finally won a complete victory in the courts and turned $6,316,364.16 into the treasury. This money was conserved by me and not permitted to be squandered. Building up this great surplus required constant resistance to spendthrifts and the vetoing and suppression of legislative bills carrying millions of dollars in appropriations.

A BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION.

In making selections for men to head the various departments, I have been fortunate in securing business men of the highest integrity and ability. While insisting that economy and efficiency must be exercised in every department, I have made it a rule not to interfere in the details of the management of any department. In short, the present government has been a business government and not a political government. I have maintained in office a number of heads of departments who served under the previous administration for the reason that I was looking for service to the State and not to reward friends or politicians. I want to express my appreciation generally to the splendid officials who have so faithfully served the State during my term of office.

BOARD OF CONTROL.

The functions of the Board of Control during my term of office have included the compilation of two biennial legislative budgets; the supervision of the expenditure of $234,611,000; the purchase and sale of bonds valued at $12,664,500; the auditing of the accounts of all the departments, boards, bureaus, commissions and institutions; the complete reorganization of the accounting system of the State Highway Commission and the State Harbor Commission of San Francisco; the payment of claims aggregating $412,916,681; the approval of contracts and leases; the purchase of supplies for the different departments, totaling $21,258,832, the supervision of a constructive building program at the hospitals, homes for the feeble-minded, penitentiaries, teachers colleges, corrective schools and the industrial home and school for the blind, involving the expenditure of between eight million and nine million dollars and necessitating thousands of miles of travel by the members of the board; frequent hearings for the adjudication of claims; conferences with every department, including regular monthly conferences with the Civil Service Commission; the purchase of farm lands for Agnews State Hospital; an extended public hearing on the Folsom Dam site, and almost innumerable other duties connected with the financial policies of the State. The Board of Control is practically the right arm of the Governor in the management of State finance. I have been particularly fortunate in securing members of this board who have shown fidelity to State service, business ability, and strict integrity. This board has saved the taxpayers great sums by its insistence on strict economy.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

This department is functioning with the highest efficiency and has been of untold benefit to the agricultural interests of the State. The director is in full sympathy with the farmers of California and has shown great energy and skill in handling his difficult position. During the last two biennial periods this department has been nearly fifty-five per cent self-supporting as against forty per cent prior to that time. This department has tried in every way to be of service to the farming interests of the State and to assist in promoting this essential industry and has had by earnest cooperation, as I fully realize the tax burden under which the farmers are struggling. The unofficial Agricultural Council, composed of representative farmers, was appointed by me and has been of great benefit to the department. Among the outstanding

achievements has been the complete eradication of the dread foot and mouth disease among cattle and other livestock in California.

The total expenditures for eradication and indemnities of the hoof and mouth disease have been as follows: Indemnities $2,239.106; expenditures for eradication $711,253.17, making a total of $2,950,359.17. This is only the State's portion, the federal government expending a like amount These expenditures were financed by a legislative claim for indemnities in amount of $2,239,106, by $130.192.33 from the appropriations of the Department of Agriculture; and by $598.061.84 from the emergency fund of the State. Had it not been for the economy practiced by me, it would not have been possible to expend this great sum without increasing tax rates.

CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD.

In no department of the State has there been a more marked improvement than in the National Guard. The Adjutant General selected by me is a military and business man who has brought to this department a degree of efficiency previously unknown in the history of the Guard. The enrollment in the National Guard has increased from 3125 to 5258 during my term of office and this has been accomplished with a reduction in the cost of the maintenance of the department The National Guard of California, as now constituted, is an efficient military organization, ready for action within a few hours' time While fortunately it has not been necessary to call out the National Guard to repress any lawlessness during the past four years, still the Guard has been ready and, I feel, has been a moral influence to restrain the lawless element Every anarchist, law violator and criminal in California knows that back of the police force in the various communities is the National Guard of California, equipped, manned and ready to maintain peace and order within the boundaries of the State. Probably nothing that I have done in my program of law and order has gained for me stronger disapproval of the Bolshevik element than the building up of the National Guard and having it on a military basis for protection to the lives and property of the people.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

The civil service law and the merit system has had my staunch approval and I have always supported the Civil Service Commissioner in his efforts to maintain a strict administration of the law. There has been a complete elimination of the political spoils system. The number of temporary appointments has been reduced one-third. Notwithstanding the increase in the work of this department and the increase in efficiency, there has been a reduction in the cost of operation. During the past four years no funds have been solicited or accepted for any political campaign purposes.

CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

This commission has been put on a business basis and efficiency has been the motto. I was particularly fortunate in being able to secure the services of three high class business men to serve on this commission and to select an able engineer, whose sole object is to build good roads and who has no political connections whatever. During the past four years there has been a marked improvement in the administration of this department, of which the splendid work done on the highways is a testimonial. Visitors from other states are strong in their praises of the road improvements in California. In every part of the State are evidences of the splendid work done.

The construction of highways by prison labor has proved a success where the convicts are used in isolated sections and on work requiring much hand labor. The all-year Merced-Mariposa road into the Yosemite Valley was opened last year and is a good illustration of the work done by convicts. Convicts have also done good work on the Smith River road in Del Norte County

Owing to cheap and faulty construction previous to my administration, it has been necessary during the past four years for the State Engineer to reconstruct, widen and thicken many of the highways of the State. I have stood staunchly against extending the highway system and both after the 1923 and 1925 sessions of the Legislature vetoed a number of bills attempting to put purely local roads into the State system. I have striven to prevent the Legislature from putting the roads on a "pork barrel" basis

At the present time the State of California is spending about fifteen million dollars annually on state roads and I believe that this is all the money that can be spent wisely and economically. The people at the last election voted against two measures providing for additional revenues for State road building, thus showing that they are satisfied with the amount of the present expenditures and the present rate of highway construction, and rebel at added tax burdens being placed upon them. Should there be an increase in the amount of money available for State highway purposes, I predict that a large number of unimportant county roads will be forced into the State system, thus adding to the tax burden of the people and doing no good to main line roads. At the present time there are 6500 miles of roads in the State system and at least 1500 miles of these are "pork barrel" roads pure and simple, and should never have been taken into the system. The people

of California will be building roads for many decades and the present burden of $15,000,000 a year is all that the taxpayer can stand.

EXECUTIVE PROCLAMATIONS

The Governor is authorized in certain cases to issue proclamations and I have kept strictly within the law and refused to issue any proclamations unauthorized by statute. A great abuse has grown up in California in the issuing of unauthorized proclamations by officials. I would suggest that the statute be amended so as to prohibit city, county and state officials from issuing any proclamations unwarranted by law.

A proclamation should be a solemn affair issued by legal authority and for the public benefit. To issue proclamations declaring certain days in the interest of animals, fruits and vegetables, or for special propaganda is to bring the law into disrespect and to make the issuers of such proclamations ridiculous. There have been no proclamations issued by me setting apart "Onion Day," "Horseradish Day," "Cauliflower Day," "Jack Rabbit Day," or "Squander Your Money Day."

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES.

Sixty-four judges have been appointed by me during the past four years. This has required considerable time and study as I have made appointments solely on merit without regard to personal or political considerations. I have appointed two Chief Justices of the Supreme Court, six Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, seven Justices of the Appellate Court, thirty-five Judges of the Superior Court of various counties, and fourteen Municipal Judges of the cities of Los Angeles and Long Beach.

To maintain respect for the law, it is necessary that there should be judges of the courts who have the highest character and integrity besides the necessary legal learning and judicial poise. I am particularly proud of the men whom I have elevated to the judiciary of California. The appointments of these judges have been part of my program of law and order for the benefit of the whole people and the protection of their lives and property.

EXTRADITION OF CRIMINALS.

For many years extradition and interstate request matters have been handled in the Governor's office in a hit or miss manner Each district attorney made an application for the return of fugitives from justice according to his own individual ideas with the result that fifty-eight different kinds of requests and extraditions were being sent from California. Moreover, in some of the smaller counties, district attorneys, being unfamiliar with the method of returning fugitives from justice, failed to make applications with the result that some guilty persons went unpunished.

I have standardized applications and for the first time in the history of the State have made public rules governing applications for the rendition of fugitives from justice. I have had prepared and printed and distributed to all district attorneys in the State forms for the making of application and also forms for the proper certification of all papers attached to applications which form the basis for the return of fugitives to this State. The result has been uniform requests and extraditions from this State. Less difficulty has been experienced in returning fugitives from justice and the expense to State agents has been reduced. California is now recognized as among the first of the states in the Union in the matter of strict compliance with constitutional and legal requirements in the rendition of fugitives.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.

In a separate message, I have submitted to you my acts of executive clemency during the past two years Pardon matters have occupied much of my attention. I have taken the position that the pardoning power is given to the Governor solely to prevent a miscarriage of justice and to be used only in extraordinary cases

Executive clemency should not be exercised to defeat the ends of the law, to override the verdicts of juries or the decision of courts. Only by strict enforcement of the laws and the elimination of sentimentalism in meting out punishment can law and order be maintained. I have had constantly in mind the desire to protect the women and children of California in their homes. If sentimentalists and hysterical writers should succeed in their endeavors, shotgun brigades would be necessary in every community and no home would be safe. The stern enforcement of the law and adequate punishment of criminals is necessary to protect our citizens

I have made it a rule to require written statements and not to listen to oral appeals All statements properly belong in the files where they can be reviewed calmly in connection with other matters regarding the case. The power of the Governor should, in my opinion, be used only in cases where the prisoner is innocent and the jurisdiction of the court to correct the mistake has expired I have issued no reprieves for persons to be hanged, except in one case where the murderer was under eighteen years of age and the law prohibits hanging under that age

The people have by law provided for the death penalty and the personal views of the Governor should not be exercised to thwart the verdict of the juries, the decisions of courts and the will of the people as expressed by the law. Those who oppose capital punishment should resort to the Legislature or the initiative to change the

law and should not importune the executive to set aside the will of the people by acts of wholesale jail delivery.

STATE PRISONS.

What can be accomplished through the application of principles of economy and efficiency and good business practice is nowhere better illustrated than in the case of the state prisons

Prior to my term of office much was said about the moral uplift to prisoners and many public speeches were delivered on the reformation of converted criminals, but little was done within the prison walls for the material benefit of the prisoners Buildings and equipment had been permitted to fall into a sad state of disrepair, particularly in San Quentin prison. No provision was made for the future to take care of the rapidly growing increase in the prison population The result of the one-sided reform policy in the maintenance of the State prisons has been that the two penitentiaries, at San Quentin and Folsom, are now greatly overcrowded. At San Quentin a cell building started in 1908 was abandoned one-half completed in 1912.

During my administration and upon my recommendation an appropriation was made to complete this building. In addition a fine new women's building is nearing completion, which will not only relieve the overcrowded conditions of the women's ward but will provide for the industrialization of the women's department

The general crime conditions and awakening throughout the State to the necessity of more vigorous prosecution of crime has resulted in a marked increase in the prison population. At San Quentin, the number of prisoners has increased from 2450 to about 3400; at Folsom from 964 to 1750 In addition there have at all times been several hundred prisoners at the several highway prison camps. Notwithstanding the increase in the number of convicts strict discipline and better moral conditions exist at both of the prisons than prior to 1923. The men are better clothed and far better fed than ever before. As a result of the application of economy and efficiency, the per capita cost at San Quentin for the complete care and maintenance of prisoners has been reduced twenty-eight per cent and at Folsom nineteen per cent, during the past four years

Other improvements at San Quentin that might be noted are the elimination of so-called "Crazy Alley"; the building of a new shed so that prisoners while waiting in line for the mess hour do not have to stand in the rain during bad weather, the completion of the west wing of the prison; better sanitary conditions; the closing of a public road running through the prison grounds, which has permitted the throwing of dope and possibly other articles over the prison walls, the fitting up of a waiting room for the accommodation of visitors to the prison; and other improvements for the benefit of the prisoners.

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION.

The State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation has been of material advantage to the various law enforcement agencies of California by keeping a record of the fingerprints of criminals and by assisting in the identification of those charged with crime. During the past four years, over 40,000 identifications have been made This great volume of business has been conducted with a very slight increase in overhead expenses The department has rendered valuable service to the cause of law and order and the superintendent is entitled to much credit.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION.

Prior to my administration the Fish and Game Commission had been conducted for years in a most unbusinesslike and haphazard manner The commission was actually expending more than was taken in through fees and obtaining small results so far as the purposes of the commission in the carrying out of the various acts for the preservation of wild game and fish were concerned The administration of the commission was for the benefit of a few, rather than for the big majority of sportsmen of the State. Moreover, an important food supply of this State was being impaired through insufficient regulation of fish canneries and fertilizing companies.

I induced one of the most successful and best known business men in California to accept an appointment on the commission together with a well-known jurist. The result has been the protection of the interests of the people of California, at the same time affording greater opportunities to the sportsmen of the State. I am very proud of the record of the Fish and Game Commission during the past two years.

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD.

The businesslike manner in which the work of the Veterans' Welfare Board has been conducted was undoubtedly largely responsible for the vote of approval given by the people to the veterans' bond issue at the last election, this being the only tax measure approved by the people. I have been fortunate in securing men on this board of ability and thorough loyalty to the interest of veterans. Prior to my administration, the overhead expense in the administration of this board was .1459. In 1925 the cost was reduced to one-eighth. The percentage this year will be about the same as 1925. This board has invested the great sum of $10,867,808.28 in farms and homes in California for veterans. All of this amount is being repaid under the terms of the Veterans' Act and the amount of delinquency has been only three-tenths of one per cent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Water development, water conservation and irrigation have received much of my attention. The future of the State largely depends upon the development of water resources. I have done all I could to bring about the fullest possible utilization of the waters of the Colorado River. This depends upon the construction of a dam at Black or Boulder Canyon, which, by reason of the enormous estimated cost, can only be undertaken by the federal government.

Under my direction, the late W. F. McClure, former State Engineer and the present State Engineer, Paul Bailey, have been working for more than two years on plans for the bringing of water from the Colorado River dam to points in the southern part of the State. I secured the support of the National Editorial Association for this project and much favorable sentiment has been created throughout the country in this manner. I have endeavored to keep this question out of politics. There is no opposition in California to the building of the dam.

I believe that the Senate and Assembly should have unconditionally ratified the Colorado River Compact, but I hope that failure to do so will not prevent the passage of proper legislation in Congress.

I have encouraged the investigation of the water resources of the State and signed a bill appropriating $94,125 for that purpose. A report will be submitted to you by the State Engineer during the present session of the legislature. The plan, I hope, will point the way to remove the limit upon development of those areas having an inadequate natural water supply and will, I trust, lay a scientific basis for the fullest possible utilization of the waters of the State. Storage reservoirs for irrigation and domestic purposes, generating of power and control of floods should be planned.

During my term of office, the Kern River, Buena Vista, Tulare Lake, San Joaquin River and Tulare Lake Basin water storage districts have been formed, comprising an aggregate of 1,078,000 acres. There is also under consideration the formation of the Kern River Water Conservation District, comprising approximately one million acres, and storage at the Pine Flat reservoir site of 600,000 acre-feet is planned. Since January 1, 1923, twenty-four irrigation districts have been fully organized, aggregating 402,052 acres.

DIVISION OF IRRIGATION.

The Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works has been carried on in a businesslike manner. The volume of work has increased approximately twenty per cent while the expenditures have decreased three per cent. Approval of the construction of thirty-five dams and nine bridges over unnavigable streams has been given. New works for the protection of river banks from flood damage have been devised and various investigations have been made. Work on the Santa Ana River watershed and basin in cooperation with Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino counties has resulted in conserving the water supply. A survey to prevent damage from salt water in the agricultural districts along the lower San Joaquin and Sacramento rivers has also been made.

DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS.

The work of the Division of Water Rights, based upon the number of applications passed upon, has increased seventy-eight per cent during the past four years, and during the same time unit cost of operation decreased thirty-five per cent. Action on water matters has been expedited and details minimized through the elimination of unnecessary red tape and the application of economy and efficiency.

During the past four years, 3123 applications have been acted upon as compared with 1755 applications in the preceding four years and 892 in the next preceding four years. By increasing the rate of action from 28 to 67 per month since January 1, 1923, the number of pending matters before the Division of Water Rights has been reduced from 945 to 647.

DIVISION OF ARCHITECTURE.

The greatest building program in the history of the State has been carried on during the past two years as the 1925 budget contained more than six million dollars for the erection of new buildings at the various State institutions. During the four years of my administration, the construction of State buildings represents the overhead cost of only 5.26 per cent as against a figure of nearly three times that much for private construction. The State Architect has served the State faithfully and well.

DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS.

The expense of maintaining the Department of Institutions has been reduced seventeen per cent during my administration. The total overhead expense for this department has been $90,032, as compared with $109,167 during the previous four years.

The work of this department is the business management of the various State institutions, including State hospitals and reform schools. One of the new branches of humanitarian work undertaken by this department during the past four years,

has been the work among the blind Field workers visit the blind in their own homes and instruct them in various kinds of work so they may be self-supporting.

During my administration there has been more building and improvement at the various State institutions than at any similar period in the history of the State. Much needed equipment and additional buildings have been erected at all of the State hospitals and I believe, it can be truthfully said, that the State institutions have never been better operated or conducted in a more efficient and businesslike way, than at the present time.

During the period July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1927, there will be an approximate saving in the management of the state institutions of $2,924,000 over the four previous years. In determining whether or not the institutions of the State are efficiently managed, the per capita cost of inmates should be taken into consideration In basing this estimate the actual population and expenditures for the year July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926, were used for the current fiscal year which is not yet completed In the seven State hospitals during the period July 1, 1919, to June 30, 1923, there was an average yearly inmate population of 12,279 with a total expenditure for support and maintenance of $13,935,810.46 with an average yearly inmate per capita cost of $283.74. During the period July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1927, the average yearly inmate population is estimated at 13,963. The total expenditure for support and maintenance is estimated at $14,040,427 24 and the average yearly inmate per capita cost at $251 38, being a decrease in the per capita cost for the last four years of $32.36. This decrease in the per capita cost, multiplied by the average inmate population of 13,963, equals a decrease in cost based on per capita expenditures of $1,806,672.57. While expenses have decreased the inmates have been better cared for, fed and housed than at any other time in the State's history. This reduction has been accomplished by the application of business principles and the elimination of politicians and spendthrifts Superintendents and other officials have been selected upon merit.

On the same basis the decreased cost based on per capita expenditures for the prisons would be $554,203.26, the correctional schools $545,067.68, and the two homes $18,233.75

The following is a table setting forth the above in detail.

	Average yearly inmate population	Support and maintenance expenditures	Average yearly inmate per capita cost
HOSPITALS—			
July 1, 1919-June 30, 1923	12,279	$13,935,810 46	$283 74
July 1, 1923-June 30, 1927	13,963	14,040,427 24	251 38
			$32 36
PRISONS—			
July 1, 1919-June 30, 1923	2,998	$3,465,441 96	$288 98
July 1, 1923-June 30, 1927	4,238	4,344,593 03	256 29
			$32 69
CORRECTIONAL SCHOOLS—			
July 1, 1919-June 30, 1923	831	$2,495,446 76	$750 73
July 1, 1923-June 30, 1927	998	2,451,867 16	614 19
			$136 54
HOMES—			
July 1, 1919-June 30, 1923	746	$1,350,385 48	$452 54
July 1, 1923-June 30, 1927	725	1,294,136 26	446 25
			$6 29

The great decrease in the cost of operating the various institutions is summarized as follows:

State Hospitals	$1,806,672 57
Prisons	554,203 26
Correctional Schools	545,067 68
State Homes	18,233 75
Total saving	$2,924,177 26

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

The Labor Bureau has rendered greatly increased service at a slight increase in the cost of operation. There has been an increase of six per cent in the total number of jobs filled by the free employment system at a decrease of six per cent in the cost of maintaining the employment bureaus. The bureau has investigated and handled 48,214 complaints of violators of the labor laws, an increase of eighty-five per cent, while the amount of unpaid wages collected increased one hundred and ninety-two per cent.

Approximately ninety per cent of the work of this department has been the collection of unpaid wages. The law enforcement activities of the bureau have increased nearly eighteen per cent. The commissioner has been given a free hand and has labored to deal fairly and justly. At my suggestion when I took office, the commissioner gladly dismissed from the service a number of political barnacles, thus saving expenses and increasing the efficiency of the office.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

The issuing of notary public commissions has required much of the time of the clerical force of my office. The number of notaries in all of the counties, except one, that may be appointed is unlimited. In San Francisco the limit is 155. There have been insistent demands to increase the number of notaries in San Francisco in order to accommodate the business of that great city. Los Angeles County has upward of 4000 active notaries and Alameda County more than 1000. I have required all notaries to sign an application blank, giving their age, sex, place of nativity and other facts and have required the endorsement of at least five persons as to their character and reputation. The law provides that a person must be a citizen of the State and reside in the county for which the notary commission is issued.

As the work of notaries is highly technical and demands some knowledge of the law, the Legislature should consider the matter of providing for some kind of an examination to test the qualifications of applicants. I have had several complaints of misconduct on the part of notaries. I submitted one of the most flagrant cases referred by the United States Collector of Internal Revenue, to the Attorney General and he held that the Governor had no power to remove a notary public, even for cause, and that there was no specific requirement of law that a person must personally appear before a notary at the time an affidavit is taken. This defect in the law should be remedied Otherwise, affidavits can be of little use and the Internal Revenue Department may be forced to refuse to receive affidavits purported to have been sworn to before a notary.

STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY.

The State Board of Forestry has used every endeavor to protect the forests of the State and to stimulate replanting so that future generations may be provided with lumber. A number of counties have assumed a portion of the protective cost by cooperative agreement with the State. Through the cooperation of the Surveyor General and the United States Forest Service, State-owned school lands within the boundaries of the National Forest are being exchanged for other timber land of equal value. This department has been conducted on a businesslike basis, sanely and intelligently. The department has striven to undo the great harm done mountain resorts by the false forest fire tales of malicious metropolitan yellow journals.

STATE BANKING DEPARTMENT.

The resources of State banks under the jurisdiction of the Superintendent of Banks have increased from $1,985,289,586 to $2,662,588,284, and individual deposits have increased from $1,634,064,309 to $2,093,976,613 between January, 1923, and June, 1926.

The past few years have been a period of consolidation, with the result that the number of State banks has decreased from 429 to 357.

The total expenses of the State Banking Department have not increased despite the tremendous increase in the work of the department. This department is maintained by a levy of one one-hundredth of one per cent of the capital surplus and contingent funds, profit and deposits of the banks. The Superintendent of Banks has reduced the fees to seventy-five per cent of the amount authorized by law and has expended only ninety-seven per cent of the amount collected.

No better commendation of the head of this department can be made than the fact that during the past four years not a dollar has been lost by any depositor in any State bank in California. The superintendent has stood staunchly for a fair administration of the banking laws. Recent victories in the courts have shown him to be both legally and morally right.

CORPORATION DEPARTMENT.

The Corporation Department has expanded its operations, particularly in the matter of investigation and audit of corporations selling stock in this State and this function has increased the amount of work threefold. Through the work of this department, greater protection has been given the people of the State against crooked stock promoters and high-pressure salesmen.

The cost to the State in salaries per $1,000,000 aggregate par value of stock represented by the applications was decreased seventeen per cent during my administration, through the application of economy and efficiency. The number of permits issued has increased ninety-one per cent.

The two commissioners who have served in this department during my term have been able and honest in their efforts to prevent the sale of fraudulent securities. Naturally this department has incurred the hostility of dishonest men who have been curbed in their plots to rob the public.

STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

The Department of Insurance is maintained by fees collected. In the four years previous to 1923 forty-two per cent of the income was required to maintain the department. During the past four years only thirty-two per cent of the fees collected has been used in maintaining the department. There has been an increase in the number of insurance agencies and brokers of thirty-seven per cent. The receipts of the department based upon fees for certificates of authority, filing of annual statements, agents, brokers, surplus line brokers and adjusters fees have increased thirty-four per cent. The net premium income of insurance companies of California has increased sixty-three per cent. The department is well organized and well managed

BUILDING AND LOAN COMMISSION.

As a result of the constructive policies of the Building and Loan Commission during my term of office, the assets of building and loan associations in the State of California have more than trebled and the number of associations has almost doubled.

From assets amounting to $64,732,760, four years ago, the assets have increased to $224,714,597. The number of associations has increased from 102 to 193 and the number of investors and members has doubled and the borrowers trebled. During the past four years, building and loan associations have assisted in the construction of 35,000 homes in the State of California

Although the work of the department has trebled, the cost of maintaining the department to the associations has been materially decreased. Four years ago, a charge of twenty-four cents per one thousand dollars of assets was made. This fee was reduced to fifteen cents per one thousand dollars of assets in 1926. This record was made possible through the strict adherence to a policy of economy and business principles.

Strict enforcement of rules and regulations by the commissioner has made the California associations among the safest in the world. There have been no failures among California building and loan associations during my term of office. Credit is due the commissioner for his good work.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The State Board of Health has never been administered in a manner reflecting more credit upon its members. There has been a slight increase in the expenses of maintaining the department due to additional expenditures for humanitarian work, particularly in connection with child hygiene and the prevention of disease. The cost of administration of the department has decreased from $108,443 to $99,192 covering a three-year period. A decrease of $9,000 in the cost of registration and licensing and a saving of $22,989 in sanitary engineering work and a material decrease in the cost of the work of analysis and investigation has been made.

The work to control and regulate sewage disposal has increased twofold without an increase in the sanitary engineering staff. Owing to the prompt and efficient action of the State Board of Health, two epidemics in California were prevented The canning industry has been materially assisted by the board.

RAILROAD COMMISSION.

Despite a material increase in the work of the Railroad Commission, the actual expenditures have decreased. In the past three fiscal years, ending June 30, 1926, the total expenditures were $1,240,078 as compared with $1,486,777 for the three fiscal years previous. For the years from 1923 to 1926 the commission rendered 6373 decisions as compared with 5119 formal decisions for the years 1918 to 1922, inclusive. During the same period the formal applications increased from 4270 to 4979 and the formal complaints from 14,843 to 18,635. I have exercised great care in the selection of men for membership on this important commission, and have been fortunate in securing men of learning, integrity and industry.

STATE PARKS.

California has six State park areas, including the Humboldt-Mendocino and Del Norte parks containing approximately 3200 acres. California Redwood Park at Boulder Creek contains approximately 9300 acres; Burney Falls Park, 335 acres; Bidwell State Park approximately 100 acres and Mt. Diablo State Park approximately 600 acres, or a total of 13,500 acres of State park area.

During my administration, the endeavor has been made to permit the enjoyment of California State parks by the greatest number of citizens, particularly those who can not afford expensive vacations. During the summer just past, between twenty-five and thirty thousand people spent at least a part of their vacation within these parks. Portions of the most attractive groves have been prepared as public camp grounds and pure water has been piped and other conveniences provided. To take care of such expense, a nominal charge of fifty cents per night has been made, with the result that these accommodations have been furnished campers without expense to the state.

California's oldest State park is the California Redwood Park in the Santa Cruz Mountains. Many improvements have been made at this park during the past year to provide facilities and conveniences for campers. The plan of placing it under the

control of the State Forester, as executive officer, has proved successful Richardson Grove in Humboldt County has been under the supervision of the State Forester since its acquisition and has been well and popularly managed. The total expenditures for maintaining these parks have been materially reduced from $159.181 for the three and one-half year period ending June 30, 1923, to $114.280 for the corresponding period ending June 30, 1926 With the decrease in cost there has been a bettering of public service.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION.

That reduction in expenditures does not mean inefficiency is shown by the records of the Industrial Accident Commission During the first biennium of my administration, the cost of maintaining this department was $501,162 as compared with an expense of $805,296 during the preceding two years The expenses during the past two years have been correspondingly low The work of the commission has never been carried on in a more efficient manner The decisions and rehearings and other procedures have materially increased but the unit cost for each proceeding has been reduced from $37.47 to $21 60

In the safety department of the commission, the unit cost has been reduced from $12.30 to $4 48 per activity. The State Compensation Insurance Fund has been administered in a businesslike manner. The premium revenue has increased from $4,635,000 to $5,811,000 and during the past four years an average of thirty per cent dividend has been returned Through the work of engineers and inspectors of the commission, and a careful study of accident prevention, deaths and serious injuries in the industries of California have been materially reduced

MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT.

The Motor Vehicle Department has been conducted with great efficiency. While the total registrations have increased one hundred and twenty-one per cent, there has been only a thirty-seven per cent increase in expenditures. The cost of registration per automobile license has been reduced from ninety-one cents to fifty-seven cents. The work of the department has practically doubled during the past four years.

In 1922 the total registration of motor vehicles in California was 883,649 while in 1926, to and inclusive of November 30, a total of 1,626,131 vehicles had been registered By statute, a maximum of twenty per cent of motor vehicle fees collected is allowed for the maintenance of the department During the year 1926, only slightly more than seven per cent has been used, the balance of $3,350,000 having reverted for maintenance work on the highways of the State.

A Statewide traffic squad has been organized At the present time, there are approximately two hundred traffic officers operating in forty-five counties Fifteen hundred headlight adjusting stations have been established to assist motorists in an effort to rectify the headlight evil.

New and larger offices have been provided and equipped in Los Angeles, San Diego and Fresno, while the main office at Sacramento has recently moved into a new building especially constructed for it The Division of Motor Vehicles now has the finest equipped department in the United States Its superintendent deserves especial commendation.

STATE REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT.

By the application of economy and efficiency, the proportion of revenue collected by the Real Estate Commission that has been required to run the department has been decreased from seventy-two per cent to fifty-four per cent during the past four years During this period a total of $427 344 has reverted to the general fund, being a saving to the State through economy and efficiency practiced in this department. The average cost per license issued has been reduced from $3 28 to $2 The total number of licenses issued has increased from 92,050 during the four-year period prior to 1923 to 246,771

A saving to the State has been accomplished despite the material increase in the work of the department. The bonding and educational features of the Real Estate Act added in 1923, has increased the work of the department twenty-five per cent while the number of adjustments made on complaints filed has increased fifty per cent. The effective operation of the department has increased one hundred and fifty per cent with an actual reduction in the cost of maintenance of at least twenty per cent. The surplus of collections over expenses shows that the fees can be decreased The two commissioners serving under me have been faithful in the discharge of their duties.

MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

In no other state has there been so much activity in connection with the prosecution of illegal medical practitioners as in California. A large number of physicians found guilty of criminal practice have had their licenses revoked, and this exceptional record of law enforcement has been accomplished with a reduction in cost. The members of this board, all of whom have been appointed by me, have shown particular care in licensing practitioners with the result that the standard of the medical profession in California is now as high as any state in the Union. In 1922 the cost of maintaining this department was $68,971, while in 1925 the cost had been reduced to $43,653. The activity of the board in investigating and prosecuting

holders of fake medical diplomas has been a protection to the people and to the medical profession. The diploma mill industry has been stopped.

DENTAL EXAMINERS.

The work of the State Board of Dental Examiners has been greatly increased during the past four-year period due to an influx of dentists from other states and increased enrollment in the dental colleges of this State.

There are at present 4980 practicing dentists in California, of which number approximately 1800 were licensed during the past four years. In addition to the work of licensing dentists, the board has been very active in maintaining the ethics of the profession and prosecuting violators of the law.

Through the application of the principles of economy and efficiency, the surplus in the dentistry fund has increased from $4,316 to $23,212. Dentists have been appointed of the highest skill and integrity to the board, which has been freed from political domination.

STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY.

A saving of $77,422 is shown by the records of the State Board of Pharmacy during the past four years. The surplus of this department during the same period increased from $22,421 to $132,008. The efficiency of the board has been greatly increased by the elimination of political control and by placing on the board practical pharmacists with high ideals and a desire for public service.

The membership on the board has been distributed throughout the State so that places other than the two largest centers of population now have representation on the board. The men appointed by me have striven to protect the public as well as the profession of pharmacy.

CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS.

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners was created by initiative during my term of office. In the appointment of the members of this board I have endeavored to carry out the will of the voters by selecting bona fide chiropractors rather than practitioners who use other means of treating disease. The board has carried on its work honestly and in a businesslike way, although greatly hampered by malicious litigation. The expenditures during the seventy-sixth and seventy-seventh fiscal years have amounted to $30,013 which have been nearly covered by fees collected.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

The members of the State Agricultural Board have charge of the State fair at Sacramento and that the fair in September, 1926, was the greatest in the history of the State is a testimonial to the ability of the present board. I have been able to secure men of the highest standing and character and representative of agricultural interests from all parts of the State to accept appointments on this board and serve without compensation. A grandstand was erected last year which is one of the finest in the country and added materially to the attendance at the fair. The State fair is of particular importance to the State as it gives to the people a better understanding of the resources of California. The fair is conducted on a business basis and for the benefit of agricultural and livestock interests. The secretary is to be commended for his faithful and intelligent service.

MINING BUREAU.

Reduction of expenses has been effected in the State Mining Bureau and at the same time the highest efficiency has been maintained. During the four years preceding my administration, the Mining Department cost the state $275,998 and the cost for the past four years has been only $194,264. A reduction in expenses has also been effected in the Oil Department of the Mining Bureau despite the tremendous increase in oil production during the past four years. In 1919 the oil production was $53,219,000. In 1925 the value of oil produced aggregated $330,000,000 and the minerals amounted to $100,000,000. Under a law signed by me in 1925, the practice of "high grading" has greatly checked.

STATE PRINTING OFFICE

During my administration this department has been conducted with the highest skill and efficiency with great saving to the State for printing. The printing of school books has proved an entire success and the estimated saving during the past four years on this item alone is $1,137,148. Notwithstanding the fact that the cost of paper, labor and general overhead expenses has increased, the cost of manufacturing school textbooks has been reduced six per cent as compared with previous cost. The two superintendents who have served during my administration have managed the great printing plant with efficiency and ability. All of the employees are on a civil service basis and are judged upon the merit system.

IMMIGRATION AND HOUSING COMMISSION

For the past three and one-half years the Immigration and Housing Commission has expended $224,726 as compared with $251,113 expended for a like period previously. This reduction has been made, despite increased work, through the applica-

tion of businesslike principles A reduction of $23,394 in administrative costs alone was realized. The problems have been met and the work taken care of without increase in the force through cooperation with local officers and other departments of State government. Some of the best citizens in California have served on this commission faithfully and without compensation The commission has done a constructive and humane work

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

As president of the Board of Regents, I have taken a personal interest in the affairs of the State university and have attended regularly every meeting of the board, something never done before by an executive of this State

The University of California has advanced more during the past four years than during any similar period in its history The present average student attendance in the university in all its parts widely distributed over the State, is approximately 16,500 or about 4000 larger than any other state university. The standards of scholarship within the university have been decidedly raised so that its standing as an institution of learning is one of the highest in the world The citizens of California may well be proud of their State university.

Plans have been developed and brought to fruition for the relocation of the Southern Branch of the University of California and the erection of new buildings at a beautiful site near Beverly Hills. The Southern Branch will be entirely divorced from the Teachers College, which will remain on Western avenue in Los Angeles city.

During the past four years 9658 degrees have been conferred by the authority of the Regents of the University Notable achievements in research have been attained The work of the University Extension Division has continued to grow with the result that a greater number of the adults of the State have been benefited. The Agricultural Extension Service with resulting benefit to nearly one-half million men and women in the agricultural areas of the state has been extended

During the past four years a number of new buildings have been erected and completed at the university These include the Memorial Stadium, the Students Union, Le Conte Hall, Haviland Hall and Hesse Hall Of these the Memorial Stadium and the Students Union have been paid for completely from private funds and five-sevenths of the cost of Haviland Hall has been met by the Haviland bequest.

Bonds voted by the citizens of California at the last election will make available $3,000,000 for buildings on the new campus at the Southern Branch and $3,000,000 for the replacement of temporary wooden buildings on the Berkeley campus.

I have appointed to the Board of Regents men of the highest standing and character, who have rendered signal service to the cause of education.

STATE HARBOR AT SAN FRANCISCO.

The Board of State Harbor Commissioners has charge of the State property at the waterfront of San Francisco This department has never been handled in as efficient and economical a manner and the commissioners have been particularly vigilant in serving the interests of the harbor.

When I took office, it was found that the piers, warehouses and buildings were in great need of repair and this necessitated a large expenditure for permanent improvements to protect the State property A great many important improvements have been made. Notably, the overhead crossing for passengers from the Ferry Building across The Embarcadero to the foot of Market Street, the subway under the street car lines in front of the Ferry Building for vehicular traffic, the reflooring of the reception rooms of the Ferry Building with California marble and many other notable improvements for the convenience of the public and for the efficiency of the harbor.

The State Harbor is now on an absolutely business basis and employes are selected from the Civil Service list and maintained because of their merits.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The coordination of the State Department of Public Welfare and the State Bureau of Children's Aid is an illustration of efficient management. These two departments were supervising orphanages, following up the adoption of children, inspecting maternity wards, county hospitals, jails and poorhouses; studying plans of public buildings for State and county charges; and to these duties the last Legislature added the inspection of homes for the aged During the last four years nearly six million dollars has been disbursed by the State through the Bureau of Children's Aid for the welfare of widows and orphans and 14,000 children are now receiving assistance. The work has greatly increased, but the cost of operating the two departments has been greatly reduced. The accountant's report shows that, notwithstanding the growth of the work and the increased number of beneficiaries, the coordination of these two departments under one executive secretary effected a saving of $52,314.36 during the last biennium. The members of this board are doing a public service freely and are deserving of credit. The secretary and other officers are efficient and work earnestly for the public good.

INDUSTRIAL WELFARE COMMISSION.

The minimum wage law of California has been administered efficiently and at a decrease of thirty-four per cent in the cost of maintaining the Industrial Welfare Commission.

In May, 1923, seven and four-tenths per cent of the women and minors in the mercantile, laundry and manufacturing industries were receiving wages under sixteen dollars per week. In 1925, only five and four-tenths per cent of the women and minors in these industries received wages under the minimum wage schedule. Not only has the welfare of female and minor employees been improved, but general conditions have been bettered through an educational program of the commission.

There has been no attempt in California to test the constitutionality of the minimum wage law, as was feared following an adverse decision of the United States Supreme Court in April, 1923. This result was largely due to the work of the Industrial Welfare Commission and the cooperation of employers.

STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION.

The State Athletic Commission was created by an initiative measure, and although I am not personally a follower of the so-called sport of boxing, I endeavored to select men for the commission who would see that boxing was handled in an honest manner and at the same time give full effect to the will of the people as expressed through their vote. The total attendance at boxing contests during this period up to November 30, 1926, was 3,218,446, and the sum of $4,118,841 was actually paid in box office receipts to see pugilistic contests. The administration of the Athletic Commission cost the State only approximately one-half of the limit fixed by the law, or in the neighborhood of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars per year. The State has realized in fees approximately two hundred forty thousand dollars that can be used toward the erection of buildings at the Veterans' Home at Yountville as soon as action is taken by the Legislature making the necessary appropriation. The commissioners and the secretary have been faithful, honest and efficient.

STATE RECLAMATION BOARD.

An excellent example of what can be accomplished by the application of business principles and the practice of economy is exemplified in the records of the State Reclamation Board. The operating costs of the department have been reduced from twelve per cent to less than five per cent and the average decrease in all of the expenses of the board has been fifty-three per cent. Despite this strict practice of economy, the work of the commission has gone forward and much has been accomplished. The board has worked out a plan for the more equitable distribution of costs between the State, the federal government and local interests. The members of the board deserve great credit for their intelligent and efficient services to the people of the Sacramento and San Joaquin reclamation districts.

LAND SETTLEMENT BOARD.

Prior to my term of office the administration of the State Land Settlement Board was almost a public disgrace. Officials of the State of California had resorted to the worst practices of misrepresentation in connection with the sale of land and the taxpayers were forced to bear the burden of unwarranted administrative costs. During my term, the overhead expenses of the Delhi Land Settlement were reduced from $38,369 to $11,500 per year, and at the Durham Land Settlement the administration cost was reduced from $8,000 to $3,100. By the elimination of private automobiles for administration heads, a saving of $3,600 per year was effected. In all, a reduction of $179,156 was brought about through the application of plain businesslike principles to the land settlement operations. Moreover, land sales during my term, have been made to persons most fitted to undertake agricultural work, thus eliminating the necessity of foreclosure.

A practical man of experience was put in charge of land settlement by me. It was necessary at the 1925 session of the Legislature to appropriate $600,000 for relief, of which $350,000 was used to pay the interest due the State from settlers on the loans made and $250,000 to carry on the financing of the settlement and to make loans to settlers which had been promised by the former administration. In addition to this appropriation of $600,000 an act was approved whereby interest charges to the settlers were rebated from July 1, 1925, to July 1, 1930. The small colony at Durham has been in a measure successful. The experience at Delhi and Durham shows that State colonization is not successful. The plan of the Veterans' Welfare Board has been to distribute land purchases throughout the State and this has proved successful.

STATE LIBRARY

During the past three fiscal years, the cost of maintaining the State Library has been $326,768, as against $439,478 during the preceding three fiscal years. The circulation of books reached the highest point in the history of the State, 46,800 volumes being circulated in the various counties. The total appropriations for the State Library during the four fiscal years ending June 30, 1927, have been $456,700, as compared with $565,900 for the preceding four years. Under the policy followed by the State Library, every citizen through his local branch has access to the literary

and scientific works in the State Library, so that the small country and village branch libraries are put on equal footing with the large libraries in the metropolitan cities The State Library leads the world in the completeness of its service. Forty-six of the fifty-eight counties are associated with the State Library. The library is scientifically managed and reflects great credit upon the able and efficient librarian.

PUBLIC EDUCATION

Education is one of the most important functions of any government. The taxpayers of the State of California have been liberal in sustaining educational institutions. The State maintains the university with its various departments, several teachers colleges, a school for the deaf and blind and an industrial school. It also acts as a collecting agency and turns many millions of dollars over to the various school districts of the state.

I have taken a deep interest in all educational affairs, have fostered the interests of the university, and have approved appropriations for new buildings, additional lands and improvements at the teachers colleges amounting to $521,000 in excess of those provided for during the administration of my predecessor, and have provided liberally for their maintenance Generous provision has been made for the school for the deaf and blind while the kindergartens, elementary and high schools have had my earnest support. Men and women of the highest integrity and business ability have been appointed to membership on the State Board of Education The total expenditure for state educational purposes for the four fiscal years ending June 30, 1923, was $73,096,932, while during the four fiscal years of my administration appropriations reached the great sum of $115,714,815. This is an increase of $42,617,872 or more than fifty-eight per cent

Under the present constitutional provisions, the Governor and the Legislature are in a large measure powerless to prevent this rapid increase in the cost of education. I can not refrain from repeating the warning given in my 1925 message, that the present rate of increase in the cost of education in California will soon absorb all the revenues of the State and create a burden too heavy for the taxpayers to carry

The people of California are willing to contribute liberally to educational needs but they insist that their money be expended wisely and economically. The trustees elected in the various school districts should have larger powers over the financial affairs of the districts. Educators can be safely trusted with the education of the coming citizens of the State, but business men should control expenditures This policy has worked well in university affairs and would result in a great saving if applied to the common schools. Such economy would result in better schools and better education for the rising generation.

CONCLUSION.

I appreciate better than anyone the heavy load of official responsibility which my successor will in a few minutes assume, and extend to him my best wishes It is with pleasure that I lay down the heavy burdens of this great office Only with the aid and guidance of Divine Providence have I been able to carry on the work.

The people of California have my sincere thanks for the great confidence they have reposed in me and for the high offices they have given me by their votes. As a private citizen, I will labor to repay, in a measure, the debt I owe to the people.

In closing, I wish to thank the Senators and Assemblymen for their courtesies and the State officers for their assistance during the past four years. In my trip around the world in the good ship "California," I will remember my thousands of friends in California with pleasure and gratitude It is good to be free.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

RECESS.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr Lyons, the Assembly was declared at recess for the purpose of meeting with the Senate in Joint Convention.

IN JOINT CONVENTION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 4, 1927.

At eleven o'clock a.m. the Senate and Assembly met in Joint Convention.

Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, directed that Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, escort Hon. A. H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate, to the chair.

The President pro tempore directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of Senators.

SENATE ROLL CALL.

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

Senators Allen, J. M., Allen, N. M., Baker, Boggs, Canepa, Chamberlin, Christian, Cobb, Crowley, Evans, Fellom, Garrison, Gray, Handy, Hollister, Hurley, Ingram, Inman, Johnson, Jones, H. C., Jones, R., Kline, Lyon, Maloney, McKinley, Mueller, Murphy, Nelson, Pedrotti, Rush, Sharkey, Slater, Swing, Taylor, Tubbs, Wagy, Weller, West, Young, and Mr. President—40.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, directed the Chief Clerk of the Assembly to call the roll of Assemblymen.

ASSEMBLY ROLL CALL.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79

The Speaker declared a quorum of the Assembly present

HON. ARTHUR H. BREED, PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE, IN THE CHAIR.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS.

By direction of the President pro tempore of the Senate, the Secretary of the Senate read sections of the constitution of the State of California and sections of the Political Code of the State, which provide for the two branches of the Legislature meeting in joint convention for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, as follows:

Of the constitution:

Section 4. The returns of every election for Governor shall be sealed up and transmitted to the seat of government directed to the Speaker of the Assembly, who shall, during the first week of the session, open and publish them in the presence of both houses of the Legislature. The person having the highest number of votes shall be Governor; but in case any two or more have an equal and highest number of votes, the Legislature shall, by joint vote of both houses, choose one of such persons so having an equal and the highest number of votes for Governor.

Section 15. A Lieutenant Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner, as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications shall be the same. He shall be President of the Senate, but shall have only a casting vote therein

Of the Political Code:

Section 1292. When an election has been held to fill the office of Governor or Lieutenant Governor, the clerk of each county, in addition to the abstract made for transmission to the Secretary of State, must as soon as the statement of the vote of his county is made out and entered upon the records of the boards of supervisors make two certified abstracts of so much thereof as relates to the vote given for such officers

Section 1293 The clerk must seal up each abstract separately, and indorse thereon "Election Returns for Governor and Lieutenant Governor."

Section 1294 He must at once direct one copy to the Speaker of the Assembly next to meet, address it to Sacramento, California, and deposit it, postpaid, in the post office

Section 1295. The other copy he must direct and address, in the same manner, and at once deliver it to a member-elect of the Legislature, or to a Senator who holds over; and the person to whom it is so delivered must deliver it to the Speaker on or before the second day next after his election.

Section 1296. The returns of election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor must, during the first week of the session, be opened, canvassed, and the result declared by the Speaker of the Assembly, in presence of both houses

Section 1297. No declaration of the result, commission or certificate must be withheld on account of any defect or informality in the return of any election if it can with reasonable certainty be ascertained from such return what office is intended, and who is elected thereto.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker of the Assembly announced that the election returns from all the counties in the State had been received and were now at the desk, and that the joint convention would proceed with the opening of the returns from the recent election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of California.

APPOINTMENT OF TELLERS.

The Speaker of the Assembly appointed as tellers, on the part of the Assembly, Messrs. Jones and Spalding.

The President pro tempore of the Senate appointed as tellers, on the part of the Senate, Senators Nelson and Jones, H. C.

Canvass of the returns was thereupon made, and the tellers reported:

FOR GOVERNOR.

The total number of votes cast for each of the several candidates for the office of Governor of the State of California was announced as follows.

C. C. Young	814,815
Justus S. Wardell	282,451
Upton Sinclair	45,972
Scattering	874

Whereupon the Speaker of the Assembly declared C. C. Young duly elected Governor of the State of California for the next succeeding four years.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The total number of votes cast for each of the several candidates for the office of Lieutenant Governor of the State of California was announced as follows:

Buron Fitts	818,519
Charles O. Dunbar	204,091
Lena Morrow Lewis	56,506
Scattering	47

Whereupon the Speaker of the Assembly declared Buron Fitts duly elected Lieutenant Governor of the State of California for the next succeeding four years.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Assemblyman Leland R. Jacobson:

Resolved, That the hour of two o'clock p m, on Tuesday, January 4, 1927, be appointed the time when, and the Assembly Chamber in the State Capitol, Sacramento, Cal, the place where, the Governor and Lieutenant Governor-elect shall take the official oath in the presence of both houses of the Legislature in joint convention assembled, as required in and by section 905 of the Political Code

That the Joint Committee on Inauguration, already appointed, be and are hereby directed to inform the Governor and Lieutenant Governor-elect of this action, and that when this joint convention adjourns it adjourn to meet at the hour and place aforesaid.

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

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of the Joint Convention were then read, and on motion of Assemblyman Feigenbaum approved.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m. the President pro tempore of the Senate declared the Joint Convention adjourned until two o'clock p m. of Tuesday, January 4, 1927.

IN JOINT CONVENTION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 4, 1927.

Pursuant to adjournment this day, the Senate and Assembly of the State of California met in Joint Convention on this day, Tuesday, January 4, 1927, at two o'clock p.m., for the purposes set forth in the following resolution, adopted this day in Joint Convention:

RESOLUTION.

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That the Joint Committee on Inauguration, already appointed, be and are hereby directed to inform the Governor and Lieutenant Governor-elect of this action, and that when this Joint Convention adjourns it adjourn to meet at the hour and place aforesaid.

Senator A. H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate, and Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, presiding.

The President pro tempore of the Senate directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of Senators.

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

Senators Allen, J. M., Allen, N. M., Baker, Boggs, Breed, Canepa, Chamberlin, Christian, Cobb, Crowley, Evans, Fellom, Garrison, Gray, Handy, Hollister, Hurley, Ingram, Inman, Johnson, Jones, H. C., Jones, R., Kline, Lyon, Maloney, McKinley, Mueller, Murphy, Nelson, Pedrotti, Rush, Sharkey, Slater, Swing, Taylor, Tubbs, Wagy, Weller, West, and Young—40.

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

The Speaker of the Assembly directed the Chief Clerk of the Assembly to call the roll of Assemblymen.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

The Speaker declared a quorum of the Assembly present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE.

Assemblyman Leland R. Jacobson, Chairman of the Joint Committee of the Senate and Assembly on Inaugural Ceremonies, appeared at the bar of the House and announced to the Speaker of the Assembly the presence of His Excellency Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor, Hon. C. C. Young, Governor-elect, and Hon. Buron Fitts, Lieutenant Governor-elect.

At the invitation of Hon. A. H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate, the Governor, the Governor-elect and Lieutenant Governor-elect were escorted to the platform by the following committee: Senators, Chamberlin, Boggs, Hollister and Weller, and Assemblymen Walters, Wright, T. M., McDonough, Jacobson and Mrs. Cora Woodbridge.

Hon. Cora M. Woodbridge of Roseville escorted Hon. W. H. Waste, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, to the platform.

INAUGURAL CEREMONIES.

Call to order of the Joint Convention of the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

Hon Arthur H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, presiding.

National airs were rendered by Noack's orchestra.

"America."

INTRODUCTION OF GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

Hon. Arthur H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate, addressed the Joint Convention, as follows:

Summer and Winter succeed each other in endless succession, one generation of men succeeds another.

So in the affairs of state, one administration follows another.

I have the honor at this time to introduce to you the retiring Chief Executive of California.

Governor Richardson has served the people of this State to the best of his ability for the past four years.

Governor Richardson, on behalf of the Legislature of California, I extend respectful salutations and bid you Godspeed.

ADDRESS BY GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

Governor Friend Wm. Richardson proceeded to address the Joint Convention.

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH OF OFFICE.

Hon. C. C. Young took and subscribed to the following oath administered by Hon. W. H. Waste, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Governor of the State of California to the best of my ability, so help me God.

Presentation of Colors to Governor C. C. Young by officers of California National Guard.

"Hail to the Chief," Noack's orchestra.

Firing of the Governor's salute of nineteen guns.

INTRODUCTION OF GOVERNOR-ELECT C. C. YOUNG.

Hon. Arthur H. Breed, President pro tempore of the Senate, addressed the Joint Convention as follows:

It is my great honor to introduce to you the incoming Chief Executive of the State of California. The great powers and responsibilities of Governor rest, I am sure, upon a man worthy of his task. Our State is indeed fortunate to have at the head of its government a man of such training and experience and of such integrity of character and sincere purpose to serve the public welfare as the Honorable C. C. Young.

The people of California have a deep and abiding faith in our new Governor. Seldom have we inaugurated a new Chief Executive under such happy auspices of good will and helpful cooperation. This is a truly inspiring occasion because of the manifestations on every hand of a new zeal to advance the public good.

Under the leadership of Governor Young we are assured that the government of our State will be conducted with resolute endeavor to secure the greatest efficiency. The ideals that will dominate will be those of the highest standards of honesty and sincerity. We shall have forthrightness, intelligence and experienced ability dealing with all problems that arise

I congratulate the citizenship of California in the induction into office of a new administration that gives such promise of being one of the most competent and constructive administrations in the history of this State.

I introduce to you, Governor C. C. Young, who inspires us all to renewed effort to serve the welfare of our beloved California

ADDRESS BY GOVERNOR C. C. YOUNG.

Governor C. C Young proceeded to address the Joint Convention.

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH OF OFFICE.

Hon. Buron R. Fitts took and subscribed to the following oath administered by Hon. W. H. Waste, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Lieutenant Governor of the State of California to the best of my ability, so help me God.

INTRODUCTION OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BURON R. FITTS

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, addressed the Joint Convention as follows:

It is a profound privilege to rise, on this auspicious occasion, for the purpose of making the introductory remarks to the address which will be delivered to you by the incoming Lieutenant Governor.

A few years ago, this nation was happily engaged in peaceful pursuits. Suddenly the call to arms was heard and the brain and brawn of the land responded. Among the youth who answered, was a young man, strong, stalwart, firm in body and in his very prime With his fellows, he crossed the ocean, and, as lieutenant in the Ninety-first Division of the American Army, he led his troops in combat on the battlefields of France.

When the conflict ended, he returned to the land of his birth, scarred in body but still unmarred in spirit. His loyalty to his flag continued to call him to public service and led him to an honorable career as Assistant District Attorney of Los Angeles County. Not satisfied to perform these duties alone, he gave himself to the cause of his fellows who, like him, had worn the uniform for the preservation of democracy. He became Commander of the Department of California of the American Legion and, in this capacity, labored hard and well for his buddies and his colleagues.

Finally, true recognition was granted him and, by what is said to have been the largest vote ever given a candidate for public office in California, he was chosen, by a poll of over 800,000 of his constituents, to become the second highest executive officer in this commonwealth. He needs no introduction—I simply present to you the Lieutenant Governor of California, the Honorable Buron R. Fitts.

Lieutenant Governor Buron R Fitts then addressed the Joint Convention.

"Star Spangled Banner."

Benediction by Rev. Bryant Wilson, Chaplain of the Senate.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

Minutes of the Joint Convention were read and approved.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, at four o'clock p.m. the President of the Senate adjourned the Joint Convention sine die.

IN ASSEMBLY.

REASSEMBLED.

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

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker expressed his appreciation for the beautiful floral basket presented to him by the members of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Feigenbaum, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, January 5, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 5, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Carter asked for and was granted leave of absence until Monday, January 10, 1927.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. F. R. Bequette of the editorial staff of the Ione Valley Echo was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. John J. Calish and Mr. Frank Samuels of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Capitol News Bureau—Clem Whitaker, Esto Broughton, H. C. MacArthur.
Film Daily—Thomas D. Van Osten.
Los Angeles Evening Express—Ross G. Marshall.
San Diego Union—E. Robert Anderson.
Sacramento Union—Frederick Faulkner, Hal F. Kelley, Sam Bagby, Bradley Riter.
San Francisco Chronicle—E. E. Behrens.
San Francisco Examiner—William H. Jordan, Herbert L. Phillips.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

Attaches—Reindollar (Chairman), Jacobson, Morrison, Easley, Byrne, McDonough, Walters.
Mileage—Flynn (Chairman), Badham, Leymel, Ball, Dillinger.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON MILEAGE

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from C's seat more	Distance from C's seat less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
1	J J Murphy	Weed, Siskiyou County	295		30	265	530	$26 50
2	Robert F. Fisher	Carlotta, Humboldt County	312		20	292	584	29 20
3	Roscoe J Anderson	Redding, Shasta County	171				342	17 10
4	N V Wemple	Litchfield, Lassen County	260	18		278	556	27 80
5	Van Bernard	Butte City, Glenn County	88	15		103	206	10 30
6	Charles B Melville	Fort Bragg, Mendocino County	150	66		216	432	21 60
7	Charles H. Deuel	Chico, Butte County	86	28		114	228	11 40
8	Fred B Noyes	Yuba City, Sutter County	50				100	5 00
9	Mrs Cora M Woodbridge	Roseville, Placer County	37		19	18	36	1 80
10	Robt B McPherson	Vallejo, Solano County	40	19		59	118	5 90
11	Frank L Coombs	Napa, Napa County	61				122	6 10
12	Hubert B Scudder	Sebastopol, Sonoma County	90	7		97	194	9 70
13	D P Anderson	Santa Rosa, Sonoma County	90				180	9 00
14	Roy J Nielsen	Sacramento, Sacramento County						
15	Percy G West	Sacramento, Sacramento County						

ON MILEAGE—continued.

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat more	Distance from Co seat less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
16	H E Dillinger	Placerville, El Dorado County	60				120	$6 00
17	Chas F Reindollar	San Rafael, Marin County	105			105	210	10 50
18	Robert P Easley	Antioch, Contra Costa County	62	18		80	160	8 00
19	Bradford S Crittenden	Tracy, San Joaquin County	48	20		68	136	6 80
20	F C Clowdsley	Stockton, San Joaquin County	48				96	4 80
21	Fred C Hawes	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
22	James C Flynn	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
23	Joseph F Burns	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
24	Thomas J Lenehan	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
25	Wm B Hornblower	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
26	Ray Williamson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
27	Leland R Jacobson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
28	Edgar C Levey	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
29	Harry F Morrison	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
30	Robert B Fry	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
31	B J Feigenbaum	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
32	James A Miller	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
33	Charles A Oliva	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
34	Wm P Jost	Hayward, Alameda County	84	14		98	196	9 80
35	Roy Bishop	Alameda, Alameda County	84	5		89	178	8 90
36	Edward J Smith	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
37	Eugene W Roland	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
38	J Crofer	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
39	M J McDonough	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
40	Harold C Cloudman	Berkeley, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
41	H C Kelsey	Berkeley, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
42	Harry L Parkman	San Mateo, San Mateo County	119				238	11 90
43	Bert B Snyder	Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz County	198				396	19 80
44	T M Wright	San Jose, Santa Clara County	128				256	12 80
45	C C Spalding	Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County	128	10		138	276	13 80
46	Vernon F Gant	Modesto, Stanislaus County	77				154	7 70
47	Dan E Williams	Chinese Camp, Tuolumne County	125	20		145	290	14 50
48	E Walton Hedges, Jr	San Juan Bautista, Monterey County	208		25	183	366	18 30
49	E G Adams	Livingston, Merced County	114		14	100	200	10 00
50	Chas A. Foster	Fowler, Fresno County	169	10		179	358	17 90
51	Z S Leymel	Fresno, Fresno County	169				338	16 90
52	S L Heisinger	Selma, Fresno County	169	16		185	370	18 50
53	Chris N Jespersen	Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo County	343		10	333	666	33 30
54	Augustus F Jewett, Jr	Hanford, Kings County	214				428	21 40
55	Frank W Mixter	Exeter, Tulare County	206	10		216	432	21 60
56	Robert Lincoln Patterson	Taft, Kern County	278	38		316	632	31 60
57	Isaac Jones	Ontario, San Bernardino County	508		24	484	968	48 40
58	Archibald E Brock	Redlands, San Bernardino County	508	12		520	1,040	52 00
59	T R Finley	Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara County	460				920	46 00
60	Walter H Duval	Saticoy, Ventura County	490	8		498	996	49 80
61	James C Crawford	Burbank, Los Angeles County	447		11	436	872	43 60
62	Walter J Little	Hermosa Beach, Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
63	Clare Woolwine	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
64	Harry Lyons	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
65	Willis M Baum	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
66	William M Byrne	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
67	Elenor Miller	Pasadena, Los Angeles County	447	13		460	920	46 00
68	Harry F Sewell	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
69	Jerome V Scofield	Huntington Park, Los Angeles County	447	6		453	906	45 30
70	Morgan Keaton	Long Beach, Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
71	Henry E Carter	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447	25		472	944	47 20
72	W E Badham	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
73	Howard W Davis	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
74	F M Roberts	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
75	George W Rochester	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
76	C D Ball	Santa Ana, Orange County	481				962	48 10
77	Alfred C Murray	Riverside, Riverside County	512				1,024	51 20
78	Myron D Witter	Brawley, Imperial County	661	18		679	1,358	67 90
79	Byron J Walters	San Diego, San Diego County	573				1,146	57 30
80	Crowell D Eddy	National City, San Diego County	573	6		579	1,158	57 90
		OFFICERS.						Amount at 10 cents per mile
	Arthur A Ohnimus	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	$18 00
	Louis F Erb	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	18 00
	Charles H Wilkinson	Woodside Acres, San Mateo County	119	12		131	262	26 20

FLYNN, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Williamson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to introduce a bill at this time, out of order.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following bill was introduced:

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure.

The above bill ordered on file pending appointment of standing committees.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Williamson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 1, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE.

Senate Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

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

Mr. Williamson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 1.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE.

Senate Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE.

Senate Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 1 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 11 o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set to pay suitable tribute to the memory of the late Honorable Alfred C. Murray, a member of the Assembly for the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, was taken up.

Eulogistic addresses were delivered by the following members of the Assembly:

BY HON. FRANK L. COOMBS OF NAPA.

Honorable Alfred C. Murray was a member of the Legislature of the State of California in the forty-sixth session, from the Seventy-seventh Assembly District, and was re-elected at the last election as a member of the present House.

He was born in Woodland, Yolo County, thirty-seven years ago and, with his family, was on his way to his native place in order to spend the holidays with his parents amid the scenes of his childhood.

He was coming home with the triumph of a high ambition, so far fulfilled and gratified, and with the exaltation arising from the knowledge that those who were anxiously waiting to welcome his coming would, more than all the world beside, share the glories of his success.

Upon his journey he met with the accident which caused the death of himself, his wife and his two children.

A rendezvous with death; not that which he would have chosen, with his breast to the foe upon some battle front in the war in which he had enlisted, but, in the peaceful anticipation of pleasure to come, the ancient enemy overtook him unawares.

Alfred had qualities that were rare; such as might inspire the closest associations of friendships, while in public life he had the audacity of moral courage and an innate love of truth. The world was richer with his presence, it is poorer with his loss.

Whatever our age; whatever of life's paths we have trod; with whatever of conflicts we have striven; whatever there has been of world philosophies; whatever out of contemplation we have learned—yet we have not conquered. There still remains the unfathonable, the inscrutable—

There is the door to which we have no key,
There is the veil through which we can not see.

Death is still the great adventure; we stand under the stars when meditation is deep upon us and imagine the zone reaches to some distant bourn. We summon in review the shades of those who have gone. We see our friend upon some distant shore and, looking again, the surf and the spray; the stream of life and the storm of action. Is he with his comrades in arms, those who fell in the iron years that made death and ashes? Does he hear again the dying echoes of the bugle or the beat of the faroff drum? To these questions life has made its appeal through the interminable ages, and still the eternal mystery. It were better so. The mystery of the future is a part of what is solemn in life. It allures the mind to great heights of contemplation, onward and upward to an attainment beyond the present. Without these mysteries, these unrealized ideals, all ambition to an end would be lost. God is wise in not disclosing what lies in the eternal years.

Farewell, brave friend, we will meet again, for who shall know
Which of us will be the first to go,
Who will be the first to breast the swelling tide
And step with thee upon the other side?

BY HON. BYRON J. WALTERS OF SAN DIEGO.

MR. SPEAKER: I desire to make a few remarks upon this most solemn occasion, as the seat-mate of Alfred Murray.

During the long days and months of the 1925 session of this Assembly we sat side by side and I came to know Alfred Murray perhaps more intimately than any other member of this body.

May I state for you some of the high points in the history of his life: He was born in Woodland, California, just a few miles from this place, thirty-seven years ago; he was graduated in law from Stanford University; practiced in Woodland for a time, went away into the great World War and at the time of his sudden passing was practicing law in Riverside, California. He was married and had two fine young sons. He was president of the Exchange Club of Riverside, and was former Post Adjutant of Riverside Post, American Legion and trustee of the First Baptist Church of Riverside, and otherwise very active and energetic in matters civic. He was ever at the forefront where welfare and comfort of his fellow citizens were involved.

He was elected to this Assembly for the first time in 1925 from the seventy-seventh district, Riverside, and was re-elected without opposition to the present session of this Legislature. He was on his way to the present session of this Legislature, together with Mrs. Murray and his two babies, when he was suddenly taken away with his wife and eldest son. We shall miss Mrs. Murray as we do Alfred. She sat between us many times here at this seat and always displayed so much interest in Alfred's welfare, as a good wife does. His interests were her interests.

But I am not sad today—rather, I am joyful. God, in his all knowing wisdom has taken him from us. The reason we cannot know. I knew Alfred Murray and knew him to be a man, and I knew him as a true friend We looked through the same glasses in several respects. We had together the viewpoint of ex-service men. We were both members of the National Exchange Club, a great organization banded together for the good of men. More than this, we viewed life together as young men.

My joy is this: I know that Alfred Murray so lived on earth that when God took him away he took him to that fine reward which He has promised—a reward for a life of service—a reward concerning which we need have no question.

BY HON. BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN OF TRACY.

We were greatly shocked at the tragic death of our former colleague in the Assembly and his wife and child. It has cast a gloom over this body at this time which is deeply felt by every former member of the session of 1925.

He was always very active in the performance of his duties here. His youth, pleasing ways, fine appearance and lofty purposes made him a perfect example of young American manhood. All of these qualities made him very influential in all matters in which he participated. His kind ways made him loved by all.

Time only can heal the sorrow we all suffer because of his absence. His influence will last forever and we will be a little better men and women for having met him.

BY HON ISAAC JONES OF SAN BERNARDINO.

I think perhaps I was as close to Al Murray as any member of this body. I knew his ambitions and ideals. No word that I may speak, no sentiment that I may utter is of moment or importance to impress your minds with the memory of our departed member.

To those of you who were acquainted with him, his splendid character, his honesty of purpose, his courteous manner and his sincere desire to serve, have, I am sure, impressed on your minds a monument to his memory that will endure as long as reason shall linger.

Alfred C. Murray was a native son of California. He loved every inch of the soil of his State, from the Oregon boundary to San Diego, from Arizona and Nevada to the sea. He was well fitted to serve his State and county and his earnest wish was to perform fully the duties of a loyal citizen.

He may, in fact, be said to have died in the service of the State. It was his intention to arrive at Sacramento some little time before the session convened that he might more fully inform himself upon certain matters that he wished to present to this body for its consideration, and it was on the trip north that he met his death.

I know something of his aspirations and his desires in the position of a public servant. He looked upon his position of Assemblyman as demanding from him the best that he could deliver in service to the State. He believed it was just as important that he deliver a full measure of service to the State as it was necessary that he deliver faithful service to a client who had employed him to serve. He looked upon himself as an agent for the State of California and it was his opinion that it was just as incumbent upon him to deliver an honest account of his agency for the State as it was important that he give an honest account to any other principal whose agent he was.

He was tolerant and sympathetic with the views and opinions of others; he was absolutely unyielding when he had taken a position for what he believed to be right.

It matters little what we do or what we say here today, unless we gather an inspiration and incentive from the character and example of Al Murray, that will cause us to give to the State he loved something of the unselfish service performed by him in the interests and for the welfare of California.

BY HON. MISS ELEANOR MILLER OF PASADENA.

Mr. Murray was a man of sterling character, of fine integrity of soul; a man who thoroughly appreciated the responsibility of public office and one who endeavored to improve every opportunity for service by allying himself with every righteous cause.

We deplore his loss, but we remember with joy his friendship and are inspired by his devotion to duty and his unflagging zeal.

With those who loved and honored him we are sure that

"Love will dream, and Faith will trust,
(Since He who knows our need is just)
That somehow, somewhere, meet we must.
Alas for him who never sees
The stars shine through his cypress-trees!
Who, hopeless, lays his dead away,
Nor looks to see the breaking day
Across the mournful marbles play!
Who hath not learned, in hours of faith,
The truth to flesh and sense unknown,
That Life is ever lord of Death
And Love can never lose its own?"

BY HON. EDGAR C. LEVEY, SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY.

In closing these ceremonies, it is fitting for the Speaker to say a few words on behalf of the general membership of the Assembly in connection with the passing of our member, the Honorable Alfred C. Murray of Riverside County. Those of us who had the privilege of knowing him during the last session found him to be an honest worker and one who was particularly attentive to the interests of his constituents and of the people of the entire State. He was kindly and likeable in his every conduct and action and endeared himself to his fellow-members of this House. His unexpected passing, coming as it did just previous to the convening of this session, has left a void in this body which will surely be remembered even after adjournment; however, there is consolation in the fact that while the body is interred, yet the spirit remains. The poet has truly said:

"Life is real, life is earnest,
And the grave is not its goal;
Dust thou art, to dust returnest,
Was not spoken of the Soul."

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a m., on motion of Mr. Jacobson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m. Thursday, January 6, 1927, out of respect to the memory of the late Alfred C. Murray, a member of the forty-seventh session of the Assembly and Thomas L. Dodge, a member of the forty-sixth session of the Assembly.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 6, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Little, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Nathan F. Coombs of Napa, Past Department Commander American Legion, Department of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. Charles J. Johnson, National Executive Committeeman of the American Legion, Department of Oregon, and Mr. S. H. Martin of Solano County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

WHEREAS, The yearly compensation of the judge of the superior court of Sutter County was fixed at the sum of $4.000, by an amendment to section 737 of the Political Code which took effect on the fifth day of January, 1903, and the same has never been changed since that date; and

WHEREAS, Sutter County now has a population of more than fifteen thousand and the assessed valuation of the property of the county is now over eighteen million dollars, and the actual value of the same is more than forty million dollars; and

WHEREAS, The work and duties of the judge of said court have more than doubled in the last ten years; and

WHEREAS, Under the amendment to the constitution adopted by the people of the State at the last election, known as the Judicial Council, the judge will be required to act for and assist judges of the courts of other counties whenever called upon so to do or where assigned to assist judges of other jurisdictions by such council, thus enlarging and increasing the work and duties of such office; and

WHEREAS, The present salary of the judge of said court as fixed in 1903, is not sufficient nor has it been sufficient for many years to justly compensate such officer for the work and labor required of such officer in the discharge of the duties of said office; and

WHEREAS, Owing to increased work and a general advance in salaries of all officers of the State, the compensation allowed by law to the different officers of Sutter County has been increased since 1903, as follows:

	1903	1927
County clerk	from $1,500 to	$4,800
Sheriff	from 3,500 to	4,800
Auditor and recorder	from 1,500 to	6,700
Treasurer and tax collector	from 1,500 to	7,600
Assessor	from 1,800 to	5,300
District attorney	from 1,500 to	3,600
Superintendent of schools	from 1,200 to	3,600; and

WHEREAS, It is evident for the reasons hereinbefore stated that the salary of the office of judge of the superior court should be increased; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Grand Jury of Sutter County, that the Legislature convening on the third day of January, 1927, be and it is hereby requested, and this body hereby recommends that either section 737 of the Political Code be so amended or that a new section of said code be so enacted that the annual salary of the judge of the superior court of this county shall be fixed at the sum of $6,000.

Resolved, further, That the Assemblyman and Senator from this district be and each of them is hereby requested to have the present law so amended that the salary of such official may be increased as indicated in these resolutions

Resolved, further, That the Secretary of this body be and she is hereby directed to send a copy of these preambles and resolutions to the Senate and Assembly as soon as the Legislature convenes and that copies thereof be at once mailed to the Senator and Assemblyman-elect of this district.

State of California. } ss.
County of Sutter. }

I, Emma Walton, secretary of the grand jury of Sutter County, regularly drawn and impaneled, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of preambles and resolutions passed and adopted by said grand jury at a session thereof regularly called and held in the county court house of Sutter County, at Yuba City, California, on the twentieth day of December, 1926.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this twentieth day of December, 1926.

EMMA WALTON,
Secretary of the Grand Jury of Sutter County, California.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspaper set opposite their respective names:

Sacramento Bee—Walter P. Jones, Pat Doyle, Stephen Kyle, Donald Ashton, J. Earl Langdon, Hamilton Hintz.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith:

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named officers and members of the Assembly for the amounts set opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same:

J. J. Murphy	$26 50
Robert F. Fisher	29 20
Roscoe J. Anderson	17 10
N. V. Wemple	27 80
Van Bernard	10 30
Charles B. Melville	21 60
Charles H Deuel	11 40
Fred B. Noyes	5 00
Mrs. Cora M Woodbridge	1 80
Robt B. McPherson	5 90
Frank L. Coombs	6 10
Hubert B Scudder	9 70
D. P. Anderson	9 00
Roy J. Nielsen	----
Percy G West	----
H. E. Dillinger	6 00
Chas. F Reindollar	10 50
Robert P. Easley	8 00
Bradford S Crittenden	6 80
F. C. Clowdsley	4 80
Fred C. Hawes	9 00
James C. Flynn	9 00
Joseph F. Burns	9 00
Thomas J. Lenehan	9 00
Wm. B. Hornblower	9 00
Ray Williamson	9 00
Leland R. Jacobson	9 00
Edgar C. Levey	9 00
Harry F. Morrison	9 00
Robert B. Fry	9 00
B. J. Feigenbaum	9 00
James A. Miller	9 00
Charles A. Oliva	9 00
Wm. P. Jost	9 80
Roy Bishop	8 90
Edward J. Smith	8 40
Eugene W. Roland	8 40
J Croter	8 40
M. J. McDonough	8 40
Harold C. Cloudman	8 40
H. C. Kelsey	8 40
Harry L. Parkman	11 90
Bert B. Snyder	19 80
T. M Wright	12 80
C. C. Spalding	13 80
Vernon F. Gant	7 70
Dan E. Williams	14 50
E Walton Hedges, Jr	18 30
E. G. Adams	10 00
Chas. A. Foster	17 90
Z. S. Leymel	16 90
S. L. Heisinger	18 50
Chris N. Jespersen	33 30
Augustus F. Jewett, Jr.	21 40
Frank W. Mixter	21 60
Robert Lincoln Patterson	31 60
Isaac Jones	48 40
Archibald E. Brock	52 00
T. R Finley	46 00
Walter H. Duval	49 80
James C. Crawford	43 60

Walter J. Little	$46 90
Clare Woolwine	44 70
Harry Lyons	44 70
Willis M. Baum	44 70
William M Byrne	44 70
Eleanor Miller	46 00
Harry F Sewell	44 70
Jerome V Scofield	45 30
Morgan Keaton	46 90
Henry E. Carter	47 20
W. E. Badham	44 70
Howard W. Davis	44 70
F. M. Roberts	44 70
George W. Rochester	44 70
C. D. Ball	48 10
Myron D. Witter	67 90
Byron J. Walters	57 30
Crowell D. Eddy	57 90
OFFICERS.	
Arthur A. Ohnimus	18 00
Louis F. Erb	18 00
Charles H. Wilkenson	26 20

FLYNN, Chairman.
BADHAM.
LEYMEL.
BALL.
DILLINGER.

Mr. Flynn moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Providing for the appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the advisability of installing electric voting machines in the two houses of the Legislature.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jacobson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the advisability of installing electric voting machines in the two houses of the Legislature.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Roland and Smith—2.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the advisability of installing electric voting machines in the two houses of the legislature.

WHEREAS, A great deal of the time of the Legislature is consumed in taking the vote of the members by the present method of viva voce; and

WHEREAS, The installation of electric voting machines in the houses of the legislatures of certain other states, has proven both economical and efficient;

Resolved by the Senate and the Assembly, jointly, That a committee of one member of the Senate be appointed to confer with a committee of two from the Assembly to investigate the feasibility and advisability and cost of installing electric voting machines in the two houses of the Legislature; said committees to be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, respectively; and to have full power to act and report in the premises.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Bishop and Williamson as such select committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, January 6, 1927.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

The State of California is vitally concerned with the development of the lower Colorado River. A comprehensive plan for its development has been worked out by federal agencies. This contemplates what is known as the Boulder Canyon project and is authorized by the Swing-Johnson bill now pending in the Congress of the United States. This bill is before both houses of Congress in almost identical form and has received favorable committee action.

The State as such should have some official representation at Washington to aid and assist the State's representatives in the Senate and the House in forwarding this vitally important legislation. I therefore respectfully ask your authorization to designate three or more citizens of California to represent the State in this respect.

Again it is desirable that a tri-state compact or agreement between the states of Arizona, California and Nevada respecting the use of the waters of the Colorado River be reached. A legislative committee has been working faithfully to this end. As yet it has not been possible to arrive at a completely satisfactory agreement. Negotiations looking to such a tri-state agreement should be carried on without delay. I therefore urge prompt action to provide an appropriate board or committee to represent the State in carrying on these negotiations with representatives of the states of Arizona and Nevada.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was introduced:

By Messrs. Jones, Little and Witter: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1—Relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with

committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, at this time, without reference to printer or committee, and the same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1—Relative to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

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

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to an act of Congress and acts of the various states hereinafter mentioned, representatives of the United States of America and of the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming, met at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and did on the twenty-fourth day of November, 1922, enter into and execute a compact, known as the Colorado River Compact, which compact was subject to ratification as therein provided; and

WHEREAS, For the purpose of said compact and the allocation of the waters of the Colorado River system therein described, the aforesaid states were grouped into what is therein defined as the upper basin and the lower basin, which lower basin includes the states of Arizona, California, and Nevada; and

WHEREAS, In and by said compact there was allocated to said lower basin certain portions of the waters of said Colorado River system; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to have the respective rights of the states in said lower basin, in and to the use of said waters of said Colorado River system, so allocated to said lower basin, determined, fixed and defined; and

WHEREAS, A committee appointed pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 of the forty-sixth Legislature has been in extended conferences and negotiations with representatives of the states of Arizona and Nevada, but has not as yet succeeded in arriving at an agreement with said states; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that a committee be provided to represent the Legislature and the State of California to carry on said negotiations with representatives of said states of Arizona and Nevada; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That a committee of three be appointed by the Governor, to represent the Legislature and the State, which committee shall have authority, and it shall be its duty, to confer and negotiate with duly authorized committees representing the states of Arizona and Nevada respecting the claims and rights of said states of said lower basin, in and to the waters of said Colorado River system; and be it further

Resolved, That said committee be and it is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, in behalf of the State of California, with the said states of Arizona and Nevada, or with either of them, fixing and determining the rights of said lower basin states, or either or any of them, in and to the use of the waters of the Colorado River system and shall report to the present session of the Legislature, from time to time, respecting its labors and the agreement, if any be reached, in respect to the use of such waters, together with its recommendations in regard thereto; *provided, however*, that any agreement entered into by said committee shall not be binding or obligatory upon the State of California, unless and until such agreement shall have been ratified and approved by the legislatures of the states entering into such agreement and by the Congress of the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That the members of said committee shall serve without compensation, but each shall be allowed his traveling, hotel expenses and necessary incidental expenses, and said committee shall be authorized to employ such clerical assistance as shall be necessary. The sum of one thousand dollars is hereby set aside from the contingent fund of the Senate, and a like sum from the contingent fund of the Assembly, and made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses, if any, of such committee and committeemen, which expenses shall be paid equally from such contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the members of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of the 1925 edition of Deering's Codes and General Laws of the State of California in six (6) volumes; also eighty-one (81) copies of Robert's Rules of Order.

Also, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver one set of said Codes and General Laws to each member of the Assembly, Chief Clerk of the Assembly and Judiciary Committee and the Ways and Means Committee and one (1) volume of Robert's Rules of Order to each member of the Assembly and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses, when such committee is appointed.

Also:

Resolved, That three thousand (3000) copies of the inaugural address of Governor C. C. Young be ordered printed in pamphlet form and placed at the disposal of the Assembly.

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No 1—Relative to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada,

for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona, and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 ordered to print and enrollment. Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 1—Relative to the development of the Colorado River and authorizing the appointment of a committee to forward the legislation providing for such development.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1—Relating to the development of the Colorado River and authorizing the appointment of a committee to forward the legislation providing for such development.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 ordered transmitted to Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Relating to the development of the Colorado River and authorizing the appointment of a committee to forward the legislation providing for such development.

WHEREAS, There is now pending in the Congress of the United States a measure, known as the Swing-Johnson bill, providing for the immediate development of the Colorado River, by the construction, by the United States, of a high dam at Boulder Canyon and an all American canal; and

WHEREAS, The State of California is vitally interested in such development and the legislation authorizing it; and

WHEREAS, The public interest demands that the State of California aid and assist in every appropriate way, in forwarding the adoption by Congress of such legislation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Swing-Johnson bill now pending in the Congress of the United States be endorsed, and its prompt enactment urged; and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor of the State of California, be, and he is hereby authorized to designate a commission, consisting of three citizens of this state, to aid and assist our representatives in Congress in forwarding said legislation.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jacobson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Friday, January 7, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January 7, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Brock moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Wemple, Mr. Mixter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Badham, Messrs Coombs, Duval and McPherson were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Smith, Messrs. Roland, McDonough, Kelsey and Croter were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Cloudman was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Adams was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. D. P. Anderson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Messrs. Morrison and Burns were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Messrs. Fry and Feigenbaum were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Mr. Lenehan was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Noyes, Messrs. Gant and Snyder were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Roberts, Mr. Woolwine was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the application for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names. The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the third day of January, 1927:

C. William Booth, First Assistant Clerk	$9 00
Edwin C. Lynch, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Anna Perry, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Dan Whalen, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Harry Johnson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Alfred Gomes, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Eugene Mulvey, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
C. E. Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer	6 00
Edith Mason, Stenographer	5 00
Geneva Bernard, Stenographer	5 00
Lucille Grady, Stenographer	5 00
Charles Spear, Page	2 50

The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the fourth day of January, 1927:

Theo. Reindollar, Bookkeeper to Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the fifth day of January, 1927:

G. W. Geary, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Charles Erb, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Thomas Myles, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Leo Richardson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
D. Herlehy, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Bessie Manning, Stenographer	5 00
Russell F. Thompson, Page	2 50

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the sixth day of January, 1927:

Edward Myerson, Assistant Minute Clerk	$7 00
Ellsworth E. Eustice, Engrossment Clerk	7 00
Mrs. L. C. Williams, Assistant Journal Clerk	5 00
T. J. Vitach, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Jerry Scannell, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
John C. Rivers, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
W. I. Gunlock, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Theo. Clark, Stenographer	5 00
Myrtle Dwyer, Stenographer	5 00
Noma Archer, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the third day of January, 1927, to and including the ninth day of January, 1927:

William Monohan, Assistant Clerk	$7 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Reindollar.

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

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker expressed his appreciation for the beautiful floral basket presented to him by Mr. Frank F. Atkinson, Potentate of Ben Ali Temple of the Mystic Shrine.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Monday, January 10, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 10, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melvdle, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Associated Press—Carl Moritz, O. E. Werner.
Fresno Morning Republican—Ben R. Walker, Fred H. Weigel.
Pacific News Service—T. Leslie Davies, Neill M. Toohy.
United Press—Homer L. Roberts, R. H. Stewart.
Oakland Tribune—Anthony F. Moitoret.
Underwriters' Report—D. W. Burbank.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Miss Mary Raffetto and H. M. Mabrey of Placerville were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mixter, Mr. Harry E. Martin of Tulare, member California State Irrigation Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mrs. Anna Bishop of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Smith, Miss Juanita Connors and Miss Lillian Arnett of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Badham, Mrs. Sarah J. Smith of Los Angeles, president of the Women's Political League of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Dora A. Stearns, member of the State Board of Education, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. Ed W. Black, supervisor, San Luis Obispo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Chas. E. Hand, formerly sheriff of El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Smith, Mr. Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Bernard:

Resolved, That all persons appearing, or being, or desiring to appear, or be, at or in the Assembly Chamber, or at or in any committee room of the Assembly for the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill, measure or resolution, introduced in, pending before, or being considered by the Assembly, or by any committee thereof, or for the purpose of soliciting the vote of any member of the Assembly upon any such bill, measure, or resolution or upon any anticipated or proposed bill, measure, or resolution, shall register with the Sergeant-at-Arms his name and address, together with a statement of the person or persons, corporation or corporations, or interest represented by or intended to be represented by him, and has filed with the Sergeant-at-Arms his written authority to represent such person, corporation or interest, and thereupon the Sergeant-at-Arms issue to such person a certificate that he has so registered in conformity with this resolution. A complete record of all persons so registered, together with their respective addresses, and the persons, corporations or interest represented by them, shall be kept, and preserved by the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall be open at all times to public inspection.

No person shall appear at or enter the Assembly Chamber, or any committee room of the Assembly, for the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill, measure, or resolution, without first having registered and secured the certificate, as herein provided.

Resolution read, and ordered printed in the Journal.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving five certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco, at a general election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jacobson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWO.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving five certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco, at a general election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Roland:

WHEREAS, Divine Providence has seen fit to call from earthly labors Mr. L. Croter, the father of a member of this body, Assemblyman Jacob Croter, of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, We desire to express our sorrow for the bereavement so sustained by our fellow member of this Assembly and our sympathy to him and to his mother and family thus deprived of the loving companionship of a husband and father; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Assembly extend to Assemblyman Croter and to the members of his family the sincere sympathy of the Assembly; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause these resolutions to be suitably engrossed and transmitted to Assemblyman Croter for expression to his family.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Roland unanimously adopted.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Tuesday, January 11, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 11, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. Lewis E. Whitehead of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goodrich of Fresno County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr. Thomas M. Carlson, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Geo. Ferberling, Mr. Phil. Fisher, Jr., and Frank C. Merritt, city clerk of Oakland, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Dr. Theresa Merkle, assistant district attorney of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. J. H. O'Connor of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. C. J. Colden of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Messrs. Everett W. Mattoon, county council of Los Angeles; Lewis E. Whitehead, assistant city attorney of Los Angeles, and J. Harold Cragin, deputy city attorney of Los Angeles, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mary F. Tracy, teacher of the Fremont School, Twenty-fourth and N streets, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day

and their names ordered printed in the Journal: Alice Harrison, Madie Bagwell, Alma Irwin, Madeline Bargelete, Filicia Tuberville, Thelma Van Tassel, Eleanor Moore, Mary Murphy, Jane Miller, Alverda Prather, Blanche Richardson, Marie Reynolds, Mirriam Sjostrom, Roxie Sarkisian, Lucille Butler, Virginia Lawson, Donna Wells, Rose Davis, Carl Steppan, Leslie Campbell, Russell Johnson, Lester Mortensen, Henry Bockrack, Howard Johnson, Jack Little, Nathan Shoemaker, Tom Sneddon, Bernard Miles, Bill Hickok and Byron Peart.

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

OFFICE OF
SURVEYOR GENERAL AND REGISTER STATE LAND OFFICE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SACRAMENTO, January 11, 1927.

To the Legislature of the State of California.

I herewith transmit the Biennial Report of the Surveyor General, for the term ending August 1, 1926, containing, on pages nine and ten, reports made pursuant to the provisions of chapter 800, Statutes of California, 1917, in relation to land titles.

Yours respectfully,

W. S. KINGSBURY,

Surveyor General and ex officio Register of the State Land Office.

BIENNIAL REPORT OF THE SURVEYOR GENERAL.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
OFFICE OF THE SURVEYOR GENERAL,
SACRAMENTO, October 1, 1926.

To His Excellency, Friend Wm. Richardson,
Governor of the State of California.

SIR: I have the honor to herewith submit a report covering the work of this office for the term ending August 1, 1926.

DURING THE PAST BIENNIUM.

Fees and royalties amounting to $10,964 were collected by the Surveyor General and Register of the State Land Office, as provided by sections 501 and 3574 of the Political Code and chapter 303, Statutes of California, 1921, and paid into the State Treasury and placed to the credit of the general fund.

16,008 acres of State school lands were leased for a rental of $3,778 under the provisions of chapter 493, Statutes of California, 1917.

22,486 acres of lieu school lands were sold through the sale of scrip purchased under the provisions of section 3408*d* of the Political Code for the sum of $146,161, an average of $6.50 per acre.

Public auction sales of school lands were held under the provisions of chapter 207, Statutes of California, 1919, in the counties of Los Angeles, Tehama, Lake, Mendocino, Monterey, Santa Clara, Lassen, Mono, Inyo, San Diego, Imperial, San Bernardino, Riverside, San Luis Obispo and Kern, 48,412 acres being sold for $158,999, an average of $3.28 per acre.

592 applications to purchase 72,190 acres of State lands were filed.

1392 reports of county treasurers, made under the provisions of section 3422 of the Political Code, showing the receipt of $160,401 paid for State lands, were received and entered on the records of this office, as provided in section 3423 of the Political Code.

7740 acres of lake lands were leased for a rental of $22,100 under the provisions of chapter 612, Statutes of California, 1911.

47 lists and patents conveying 20,748 acres of land from the United States to the State were recorded in this office, as provided in section 3406 of the Political Code.

561 certificates of purchase for 67,834 acres of State lands were issued under the provisions of section 3514 of the Political Code.

414 patents for 61,963 acres of State lands were issued under the provisions of section 3519 of the Political Code.

199 land surveyors' licenses were issued under the provisions of chapter 247, Statutes of California, 1907.

County registrars of land titles in seventeen counties in the State operating under "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the certification of land titles and the

simplification of the transfer of real estate,' approved March 17, 1897," Statutes of California, 1915, page 1932, reported to this office the number of registrations and of certificates of title issued, which reports were embodied in reports made by this office under the provisions of chapter 800, Statutes of California, 1917.

43 duplicate certificates of purchase were issued under the provisions of section 3518 of the Political Code.

68 certificates of status of State lands, 135 certified copies of records and 46 certified copies of records of patents were issued.

225 indemnity State selections were made under the provisions of section 3398 of the Political Code.

150 certified lists of lands sold by the State were issued under the provisions of section 3659 of the Political Code.

26 statements of delinquencies were issued as provided by section 3546 of the Political Code.

Surveys, maps and tablings made under the provisions of chapter 612, Statutes of California, 1911, amounting to 9 in number, were checked.

1 survey with map and tabling made under the provisions of chapter 490, Statutes of California, 1915, were checked.

2,748,390 feet of timber were sold from 360 acres of State school lands in National forests, for $6,500, an average of $18 per acre, and the State still retains the land which has a value of $6.50 per acre as scrip.

10,000 letters have been written during the two years.

24 lists of persons licensed as land surveyors were transmitted to each of the 58 county recorders in the State as provided by section 4 of chapter 247, Statutes of California, 1907, a total of 1392 lists being transmitted.

Tabulated statements follow:

GENERAL OFFICE BUSINESS.

Amount of fees and royalties collected by Surveyor General and Register of the State Land Office from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State Treasury, to the credit of the general fund, or to the Secretary of State:

Month	Paid into State treasury	Paid to Secretary of State
1924—August	$317 61	$10 00
September	258 96	17 00
October	344 60	26 00
November	283 40	17 00
December	658 13	33 00
1925—January	426 53	31 00
February	343 73	59 00
March	325 14	10 00
April	360 41	17 00
May	461 69	14 00
June	511 16	18 00
July	567 66	40 00
August	484 24	19 00
September	317 38	20 00
October	287 04	28 00
November	254 34	22 00
December	395 38	18 00
1926—January	548 54	33 00
February	631 58	19 00
March	385 88	44 00
April	704 96	24 00
May	732 08	20 00
June	483 65	22 00
July	880 38	8 00
Totals	$10,964 47	$569 00

Amount of annual rentals received by the Surveyor General for the lease of State lands pursuant to the provisions of chapter 493, Statutes of California, 1917, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State Treasury to the credit of the school land fund:

1924—August	$164 00
September	103 60
October	144 00
November	125 00
December	87 60
1925—January	480 80
February	234 00
March	287 00

1925—April		$110 00
May		96 00
June		89 92
July		266 20
August		135 00
September		58 00
November		34 63
December		15 00
1926—January		392 00
February		186 00
March		120 00
April		143 00
May		64 00
June		62 00
July		380 20
Total		$3,777 95

STATE SCRIP.

Amount of money received by the Surveyor General from the sale of scrip under the provisions of section 3408*d* of the Political Code, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State Treasury to the credit of the school land fund:

1924—August		$8,372 85
September		1,560 00
October		4,469 66
November		5,959 53
December		10,675 79
1925—January		$5,927 61
February		3,835 00
March		7,543 38
April		10,836 90
May		5,649 28
June		5,628 30
July		3,719 89
August		4,484 94
September		4,947 81
October		4,874 35
November		808 80
December		6,950 79
1926—January		9,669 43
February		1,459 96
March		8,580 00
April		7,732 36
May		12,477 35
June		2,793 64
July		7,203 25
Total		$146,160 87

Amount of money received by the Surveyor General under the provisions of chapter 303, Statutes of California, 1921, for application fees, for permits, permit fees, annual rentals, and royalties, and from sales of timber on school lands, and paid into the State treasury to the credit of the school fund:

Application fees for permits	$10 00
Permit fees	160 00
Annual rentals	640 00
Royalties	4,928 55
Sale of timber on school lands	6,499 95
Total	$12,238 50

FINANCIAL RECAPITULATION.

Amount of fees and royalties collected by the Surveyor General and Register of the State Land Office	$10,964 47
Amount of fees collected by Register of State land office for Secretary of State	569 00
Amount of annual rentals received by Surveyor General for the lease of State land under chapter 493, Statutes of California, 1917	3,777 95
Amount of money received by Surveyor General from the sale of scrip under section 3408*d* of the Political Code	146,160 87
Amount of money received by the Surveyor General under the provisions of chapter 303, Statutes of California, 1921, for application fees for permits, permit fees, annual rentals, and royalties	5,738 55
Amount of money received by the Surveyor General from sales of timber on school lands	6,499 95
Total	$173,710 79

PUBLIC AUCTION SALES OF SCHOOL LANDS.

State school lands were sold at public auction under the provisions of chapter 207, Statutes of California, 1919, between August 1, 1924, and August 1, 1926, as follows.

County	Date	Acres	Amount
Los Angeles	June 11, 1925	1,880	$19,380 00
Tehama	June 17, 1925	1,760	3 360 00
Lake	June 23, 1925	1,269	6,274 00
Mendocino	June 25, 1925	1,918	3,908 00
Monterey	July 1, 1925	1,368	5,350 00
Santa Clara	July 3, 1925	1,137	1,806 00
Lassen	July 22, 1925	8,240	23,240 00
Mono	July 29, 1925	2,618	11,324 00
Inyo	July 31, 1925	360	1,100 00
San Diego	Mar, 31, 1926	4,974	18,814 00
Imperial	May 21, 1926	3,167	10,067 00
San Bernardino	June 24, 1926	11,374	26,802 00
Riverside	July 8, 1926	2,567	6,726 00
San Luis Obispo	July 15, 1926	440	1,670 00
Kern	July 29, 1926	5,340	19,178 00
Totals		48,412	$158,999 00

APPLICATIONS TO PURCHASE STATE LANDS.

From August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, applications to purchase State lands were received and filed as follows:

School lands and swamp and overflowed lands	Number of applications	Acres
Imperial Land District, school lands	4	240.00
Independence Land District, school lands	4	637.90
Los Angeles Land District, school lands	370	36,414.29
Sacramento Land District, school lands	51	13,314.06
San Francisco Land District, school lands	76	10,003.92
Susanville Land District, school lands	6	1,042.15
Visalia Land District, school lands	81	10,537.59
Swamp and overflowed lands	8	1,952.57
Totals	600	74,142.48

STATE LAND PAYMENTS.

Amounts of principal, interest and penalties received for the State by the county treasurers, on account of sales of school lands, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926:

County	Principal	Interest	Total	Penalties
Alameda				
Alpine		$527 62	$527 62	
Amador	$160 00	19 30	179 30	$0 54
Butte		162 70	162 70	
Calaveras		118 80	118 80	1 08
Colusa				
Contra Costa				
Del Norte		140 40	140 40	
El Dorado	40 80	406 70	447 50	19 46
Fresno	1,379 00	9,095 39	10,474 39	516 34
Glenn	320 00	121 29	441 29	48
Humboldt	358 00	179 62	537 62	3 40
Imperial	3,646 68	8,335 05	11,981 73	703 17
Inyo	5,539 00	878 71	6,417 71	64 08
Kern	3,643 87	5,352 64	8,996 51	192 79
Kings		3 74	3 74	
Lake	2,976 41	282 93	3,259 34	5 43
Lassen	8,123 24	9,442 32	17,565 56	69 88
Los Angeles	3,684 00	1,910 66	5,594 66	2 37
Madera		418 96	418 96	
Marin				
Mariposa		203 28	203 28	
Mendocino	1,737 48	1,386 40	3,123 88	6 04
Merced	649 13	79 04	728 17	
Modoc	640 00	910 36	1,550 36	2 59
Mono	9,945 78	2,969 42	12,915 20	14 72
Monterey	5,053 88	2,200 42	7,254 30	123 49
Napa	167 70	79 24	246 94	5 62
Nevada	497 03	197 04	694 07	2 80
Orange	40 00	2 80	42 80	

STATE LAND PAYMENTS—continued.

County	Principal	Interest	Total	Penalties
Placer	$745 20	$98 35	$843 55	$3 62
Plumas	----------	44 80	44 80	----------
Riverside	3,090 71	5,566 91	8,657 62	146 06
San Benito	----------	711 22	711 22	24 57
San Bernardino	12,413 89	14,782 00	27,195 89	450 06
San Diego	6,023 97	3,836 27	9,860 24	138 02
San Francisco	----------	----------	----------	----------
San Joaquin	----------	----------	----------	----------
San Luis Obispo	5,526 45	2,305 45	7,831 90	91 50
San Mateo	----------	----------	----------	----------
Santa Barbara	----------	14 68	14 68	----------
Santa Clara	1,381 80	252 26	1,634 06	7 86
Santa Cruz	----------	14 58	14 58	----------
Shasta	96 00	1,314 00	1,410 00	88 15
Sierra	----------	----------	----------	----------
Siskiyou	112 00	784 92	896 92	----------
Solano	396 00	----------	396 00	----------
Sonoma	----------	79 59	79 59	2 28
Stanislaus	----------	227 59	227 59	----------
Sutter	----------	----------	----------	----------
Tehama	816 00	985 15	1,801 15	36 29
Trinity	32 00	105 60	137 60	96
Tulare	$624 80	$521 00	$1,145 80	$8 50
Tuolumne	----------	104 92	104 92	2 38
Ventura	----------	86 41	86 41	10 96
Yolo	40 00	162 88	202 88	12 17
Yuba	----------	317 16	317 16	2 00
Totals	$79,900 82	$77,740 57	$157,641 39	$2,759 66

Amount of annual rentals received for the leasing of State lands pursuant to the provisions of chapter 612, Statutes of California, 1911, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State treasury to the credit of the school land fund by the lessees was $22,100 19

Amount of annual rentals received for the leasing of State lands pursuant to the provisions of chapter 829, Statutes of California, 1921, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State treasury to the credit of the general fund by the lessees was $946

Amount of annual rentals received for the leasing of State lands pursuant to the provisions of chapter 330, Statutes of California, 1923, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State treasury to the credit of the school land fund was $40.

Amount of annual rentals received for the leasing of State lands pursuant to the provisions of chapter 121, Statutes of California, 1925, from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, and paid into the State treasury to the credit of the school land fund was $485.

LEASING OF STATE LANDS.

The number of acres of State lands which were leased from the State of California from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, are as follows:

	Acres
State lands leased pursuant to the provisions of chapter 612, Statutes of California, 1911	7,739.59
State lands leased pursuant to the provisions of chapter 493, Statutes of California, 1917	16,008 44
Total	23,748.03

LANDS LISTED TO THE STATE.

From August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, lands were listed to the State of California by the United States, as follows:

Grant	Acres
Indemnity or lieu lands	19,480.36
Swamp and overflowed lands	1,267.54
Total	20,747.90

CERTIFICATES OF PURCHASE ISSUED.

(From August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926.)

Grant	Number of certificates	Acres
Sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections and indemnity or lieu lands	551	66,852 68
Swamp and overflowed lands	10	981.01
Totals	561	67,833.69

PATENTS ISSUED.

(From August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926.)

	Number of patents	Acres
Sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections and indemnity or lieu lands	396	59,943.79
Swamp and overflowed lands	15	1,938.97
Lake lands	3	79.93
Totals	414	61,962.69

LAND SURVEYORS LICENSED.

Licenses issued to land surveyors from August 1, 1924, to August 1, 1926, numbered 199.

LAND TITLE LAW

October 15, 1925.

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 800, Statutes of California, 1917, I beg to report that, according to reports received, certificates of title have been issued pursuant to the registration of land titles under "The Torrens Law" in eighteen of the fifty-eight counties, as follows:

Alameda County—94 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Fresno County—4 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Humboldt County—182 certificates issued up to August 1, 1924. No report was received from the Registrar of titles in Humboldt County for the year 1924-1925.
Imperial County—268 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Inyo County—5 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Kern County—48 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Los Angeles County—34,139 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Orange County—3897 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Riverside County—148 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
San Bernardino County—1350 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
San Diego County—2500 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
San Francisco County—9 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
San Luis Obispo County—1 certificate issued up to August 1, 1925.
Santa Barbara County—243 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Santa Cruz County—10 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Sonoma County—244 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Tulare County—47 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925.
Ventura County—1 certificate issued up to August 1, 1923. No report was received from the Registrar of titles in Ventura County for the years 1923-1924, 1924-1925.

The Torrens Act provides that upon the original registration of any land, a sum equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the assessed value of the land including permanent improvements thereon as the same were valued for county taxation the last time said land and permanent improvements or either thereof were assessed for county taxes next preceding the filing of the petition shall be collected by the registrar and paid to the State Treasurer to be credited to the "Torrens Title Assurance Fund." The books of the State Treasurer show that on August 1, 1925, the "Torrens Title Assurance Fund" contained State of California Harbor Improvement 4 per cent bonds having a face value of $25,000, which were purchased for the benefit of said fund, and that the amount of cash in said fund on August 1, 1925, was $791.96.

LAND TITLE LAW.

October 1, 1926.

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 800, Statutes of California, 1917, I beg to report that according to reports received, certificates of title have been issued pursuant to the registration of land titles under "The Torrens Law" in eighteen of the fifty-eight counties, as follows:

Alameda County—103 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Fresno County—6 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Humboldt County—198 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Imperial County—297 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Inyo County—5 certificates issued up to August 1, 1925. No report was received from the Registrar of titles in Inyo County for the year 1925-1926.
Kern County—55 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Los Angeles County—39,458 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Orange County—4271 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Riverside County—152 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
San Bernardino County—1619 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
San Diego County—2869 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
San Francisco County—9 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
San Luis Obispo County—1 certificate issued up to August 1, 1926.
Santa Barbara County—303 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Santa Cruz County—10 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Sonoma County—268 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Tulare County—51 certificates issued up to August 1, 1926.
Ventura County—1 certificate issued up to August 1, 1926.

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Respectfully submitted.

W. S. KINGSBURY,
Surveyor General.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committee:

Rules—Jones (chairman), Williamson, Reindollar, Feigenbaum, Little, Walters and Mr. Speaker.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to city officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 8—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from the south bank of the San Joaquin River at or near the Antioch Bridge via Antioch, Pittsburg, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek and to the Alameda County line via Tunnel Road, to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 9—An act to provide for the registration, licensing and examination of persons engaging in the business of repairing motor vehicles; providing rules and regulations therefor; providing for the appointment of a Motor Vehicle Mechanics' Examining Board and to provide a fund to be known as the Motor Vehicle Board fund; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 11—An act to repeal section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to the imposing of sentences in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 12—An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 13—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the term for which certain lands may be leased.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature

of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and make provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the sanitary board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 19—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 21—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 24—An act appropriating money for the resurvey and an estimate of the construction of the State highway known as the Kings River Canyon road.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 30—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to consent to parole.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend section 167 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend sections 5 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to records to be kept by distributors and to the disposition of license taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 35—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 39—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr Baum: Assembly Bill No 41—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1202, relating to the raising of the American flag over polling places.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Miss Miller Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the taking and catching of game fishes and to define game fish and to provide revenue therefrom for fish preservation and restoration," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to fees for game fish licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the hunting of wild birds and animals and to provide revenue therefrom for game and fish preservation and restoration," approved March 22, 1909, as amended relating to fees for hunting licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure to native-born and naturalized citizens of the United States the exclusive right to be employed in any department of the State, county, city and county and city government in this State, except in certain schools, to validate certain acts and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Messrs. Anderson, Roscoe J., and Murphy: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to the taxation of publicly owned utilities.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to poll taxes.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Santa Barbara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Santa Barbara, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of November, 1926.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relative to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

Referred to Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures.

By Mr. West: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers.

Referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON RULES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules recommends the adoption, as the permanent rules of the Assembly for the forty-seventh session, the temporary rules adopted as printed in the Journal of Monday, January 3, 1927, as corrected by the Minute Clerk to conform to the standing rules of the forty-sixth session, and further recommends the adoption of the following amendments.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Rule No 1 to be changed to read as follows:

Hours of Meeting.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Rule No. 57 to be changed to read as follows:

Calling Ayes and Noes

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

JONES, Chairman.

The Speaker ordered the above report printed in the Journal.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Wednesday, January 12, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 12, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, Mr. Melville was granted leave of absence for the balance of the week.

On motion of Mr. Adams, Mr. Scudder was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Reindollar was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Gant was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Harry Fremming of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Crittenden, Messrs. George W. Hench, Fred Von Sostem and George Packer of Tracy were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Messrs. James H. Mitchell, city attorney of Burbank, and W. A. Roberts, former member of the Legislature, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

THE WOMAN'S COUNCIL OF SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, January 10, 1927.

To the Members of the State Legislature, Sacramento, California.

GENTLEMEN: On Sunday, January sixteenth, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. there will be a reception held in honor of Governor C. C. Young and his staff in the State Capitol.

This function will commemorate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the meeting of the first Legislature in this city, and is given by the city of Sacramento and the Woman's Council.

Your honorable body is most cordially invited to attend.

Very respectfully,

MAUDE H. BLANK, President Woman's Council.
LEONE S. GILLETT, Corresponding Secretary.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committtee was received and read:

ON ATTACHES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names:

The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the sixth day of January, 1927:

Erma McKinley, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	$5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the seventh day of January, 1927:

Juanita Dependener, Stenographer	$5 00
Charles Hughes, Page	2 50

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the tenth day of January, 1927:

Faith Bran, Stenographer	$5 00
Irene Flynn, Stenographer	5 00
Otto Coppersmith, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Clarence Prentice, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Thomas Robinson, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Ethel McCarthy, History Clerk	$7 00
Marie Ring, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the eleventh day of January, 1927:

Queene B. Leithead, Stenographer	$5 00
Sybil De Longchamps, Stenographer	5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Jacobson moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO ADOPT REPORT.

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the report of the Committee on Rules, as printed in the Journal of January 10, 1927.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RULES.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules recommends the adoption, as the permament rules of the Assembly for the forty-seventh session, the temporary rules adopted as printed in the Journal of Monday, January 3, 1927, as corrected by the Minute Clerk to conform to the standing rules of the forty-sixth session, and further recommends the adoption of the following amendments:

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JONES, Chairman.

Amendments read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendments.

Amendments adopted.

The question being on the adoption of the standing rules of the Assembly as amended.

The roll was called, and the standing rules of Assembly, as amended, adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

STANDING RULES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

CONVENING AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Hours of Meeting.

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

Speaker to Call House to Order.

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

Order of Business.

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

1. Roll Call.
2. Prayer by the Chaplain.
3. Reading and Approval of the Journal.
4. Presentation of Petitions.
5. Reports of Standing Committees.
6. Reports of Select Committees

7. Messages from the Governor.
8. Messages from the Senate.
9. Introduction and Reference of Bills.
10. Motions and Resolutions.
11. Special Orders of the Day.
12. Unfinished Business of the Preceding Day
13. Business on Special File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
14. Business on General File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
15. Announcements of Committee Meetings.
16. Adjournment.

Priority of Business.

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

Motion to Adjourn.

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

When a motion is made and seconded to adjourn, it shall be in order for the Speaker, before putting the question, to permit any member to state any fact to the House relating to the condition of the business of the House, which would seem to render it improper to adjourn at that time. Such statement, however, shall not be debatable, and such statement or statements shall not, in any case, occupy more than two minutes.

DUTIES OF THE SPEAKER

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Committees to be Appointed by Speaker.

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

Standing Committees.

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

1. A Committee on Agriculture, to consist of seventeen members.
2. A Committee on Attaches, to consist of seven members.
3. A Committee on Banking, to consist of nine members
4. A Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to consist of seven members.
5. A Committee on Civil Service, to consist of nine members.
6. A Committee on Claims, to consist of seven members.
7. A Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to consist of nine members.
8. A Committee on Conservation, to consist of nine members
9. A Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to consist of nine members.
10. A Committee on Contested Elections, to consist of seven members.
11. A Committee on Contingent Expenses, to consist of five members.
12. A Committee on Corporations, to consist of nine members.
13. A Committee on County Government, to consist of fifteen members.
14. A Committee on Direct Legislation, to consist of seven members.
15. A Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to consist of thirteen members
16. A Committee on Education, to consist of thirteen members.
17. A Committee on Elections, to consist of eleven members.
18. A Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, to consist of five members.
19. A Committee on Federal Relations, to consist of seven members.
20. A Committee on Fish and Game, to consist of fifteen members.
21. A Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to consist of eleven members.
22. A Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, to consist of nine members.

23. A Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to consist of thirteen members.
24. A Committee on Insurance, to consist of eleven members.
25. A Committee on Irrigation, to consist of twenty-one members.
26. A Committee on Judiciary, to consist of twenty-one members.
27. A Committee on Labor and Capital, to consist of thirteen members.
28. A Committee on Libraries, to consist of seven members.
29. A Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to consist of eleven members.
30. A Committee on Manufactures, to consist of seven members.
31. A Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to consist of nine members.
32. A Committee on Mileage, to consist of five members.
33. A Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of nine members.
34. A Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members.
35. A Committee on Motor Vehicles, to consist of twenty-one members.
36. A Committee on Municipal Corporations, to consist of thirteen members.
37. A Committee on Oil Industries, to consist of nine members.
38. A Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to consist of thirteen members.
39. A Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to consist of nine members.
40. A Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to consist of nine members.
41. A Committee on Public Morals, to consist of eleven members.
42. A Committee on Public Utilities, to consist of eleven members.
43. A Committee on Reapportionment, to consist of twenty-one members.
44. A Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to consist of fifteen members.
45. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members.
46. A Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to consist of seven members.
47. A Committee on Roads and Highways, to consist of fifteen members.
48. A Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members, including the Speaker.
49. A Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to consist of thirteen members.
50. A Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to consist of seven members.
51. A Committee on Teachers Colleges, to consist of seven members.
52. A Committee on Universities, to consist of seven members.
53. A Committee on Ways and Means, to consist of twenty-one members.

Special Standing Committees.

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

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

Schedules for Committee Meetings.

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

Quorum of Standing Committees.

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

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

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

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

Proceedings of Committee of the Whole House.

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

Rules in Committee of the Whole.

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

Motion to Rise Decided Without Debate

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

SPECIAL DUTIES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES.

Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment

18. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to compare all bills, constitutional amendments, and concurrent and joint resolutions, ordered or considered engrossed by this House with the engrossed copies thereof; and, before they pass out of the possession of this House, see that the engrossed bill is a true copy of the original, with such amendments as may have been made thereto; and said committee shall see that all engrossed bills are reported back in the order in which they were ordered engrossed.

Engrossing and Enrolling Bills.

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

Reports of Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

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

Committee on Ways and Means.

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

Committee's Report on Sine Die Adjournment

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

Committee on Contested Elections.

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

Committee on Attaches.

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

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

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

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

DUTIES OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS AND ATTACHES.

Duties of Chief Clerk

25. The Chief Clerk shall have charge and supervision of all the clerical business of the Assembly. He shall perform the duties imposed on him by law and the rules of the Assembly. Subject to the provisions of Rule 67, he and his assistants shall read from the desk only such matter as the Speaker shall direct. He shall have the supervision of all the clerks and assistants at the desk, of all bill clerks, bill filers, stenographers, and of all committee attaches, and all pages, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties and shall have

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

Duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

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

Expenses of Sergeant-at-Arms.

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

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to Be Doorkeeper.

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

Compensation of Attaches.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Introduction and Reading of Bills.

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

Joint and Concurrent Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments.

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

Procedure on First Day of Introducing Bills.

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

Introduction of Bills by Committee.

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

Introduction of Bills After Constitutional Recess.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Reference of Bills.

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

Order of Reference

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

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

Referring With Special Instructions

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

Reference of Senate Bills

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

Bills to Be Reported Back to Committees.

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

ORDER OF CONSIDERING BILLS.

Order of Making File

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

Order Making Special File.

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

Ordering Bills to Third Reading.

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

Bills Considered During Last Seven Days.

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

QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS.

Precedence of Motions During Debate.

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

Division of Questions.

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

Substitute.

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

Subjects Different from the One Under Consideration.

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

Question Indefinitely Postponed

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

PROCEDURE OF DEBATE.

Motions to Be Stated by Speaker, and, if Desired Shall Be Reduced to Writing, or May Be Withdrawn

49. No motion shall be debated until the same be seconded and distinctly announced by the Speaker; and it shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the

Speaker, or any member, and be read by the Clerk, before the same shall be debated. A motion may be withdrawn, by leave of the House, at any time before amendment or decision.

Order in Speaking to Questions.

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

Speaker to Decide Who Is Entitled to the Place.

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

Calling Members to Order When Transgressing Rules.

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

Called to Order for Offensive Words in Debate.

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

THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Previous Question Demanded.

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

Manner of Putting the Previous Question.

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

Questions of Order After Previous Question Is Ordered.

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

VOTING BY ASSEMBLY.

Calling Ayes and Noes.

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

Members at Clerk's Desk.

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

Voting on Question When Interested.

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

Division and Count of House.

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

Explaining or Changing Vote.

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

Election by House.

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

Notice of Reconsideration of Vote.

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

MESSAGES, PETITIONS AND PAPERS.

Messengers May Be Introduced.

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

Messages from the Governor and Senate.

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

Petitions to Be Presented With a Brief Statement of Contents.

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

Reading of Papers.

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

THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Persons Admitted to the Floor.

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

No Lobbying in the Assembly Chamber.

69. No person engaged in presenting to the Assembly or its committees any business, or claim, or legislation, shall be permitted to engage in such business in the Assembly chamber, or be permitted on the floor of the Assembly at any time while the Assembly is in session, unless seated beside a member upon his invitation; and any person transgressing this rule shall be removed from the floor of the Assembly and be debarred from the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the entire session. The Speaker is charged with the enforcement of this rule This rule can not be suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the entire Assembly

Speaker May Order the Galleries and Lobby Cleared.

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

Smoking in the Assembly Chamber.

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

Use of Assembly Chamber.

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

LEGISLATIVE PRINTING.

Printing of Bills.

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

Printing Extra Number of Bills, Etc.

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

Form for Printed Amended Bills.

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

Printing of Maps.

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

Filling Blanks.

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

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Protest of Members.

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

Personal Explanation

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

Right to Address Assembly

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

Call of the House.

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

Members Absenting Themselves

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

Fees for Witnesses.

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

No Committee Expenditures Permitted.

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

RULES OF PROCEDURE.

Parliamentary Rules.

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

Suspending and Changing Rules.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 53—An act to establish institutions for the confinement, treatment and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for commitment and admission to such institutions; to provide penalties for violations of any of the provisions of this act; to provide a fund for the establishment and maintenance of such institutions and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county or city operating under a freeholders charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing

penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 59—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 149, relating to trials of actions for divorce involving the custody of minor children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third classes, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. McPherson and Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 61—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to lay out, construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from a point on the existing State highway, which extends from the town of Cordelia, Solano County, westerly through Jamison Canyon to the city of Napa, Napa County, said point of beginning being approximately three-quarters of a mile westerly of said town of Cordelia, thence extending in a general southwesterly direction through the American Canyon to the westerly end of said canyon, thence in a general southerly direction to the northerly bridgehead of the Carquinez Straits bridge, now being constructed across Carquinez Straits. Also commencing at said westerly end of the American Canyon and extending in a general northwesterly direction to a point on the intersection of the county highway which extends northerly from the city of Vallejo, Solano County, with the State highway, which extends from the town of Cordelia, Solano County, to the city of Napa, Napa County; said point of intersection being commonly known as the Napa Wye.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737r, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No 65—An act to ascertain the opinion of the people of the State as to the modification by Congress of the federal act to enforce the eighteenth amendment of the constitution of the United States, so that the same shall not prohibit the manufacture, sale, transportation, importation or exportation of beverages which are not in fact intoxicating as determined in accordance with the laws of the respective states.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

Also: Assembly Bill No 66—An act to amend Section 204c of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to duties of jury commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Crawford: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Burbank, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Burbank at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the fourth day of January, 1927.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Crawford asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5, at this time, without reference to printer or committee, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIVE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Burbank, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Burbank at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the fourth day of January, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivа, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO REFER.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Assembly Bill No. 1 was referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.
INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6.—Relative to recommending the calling of a convention for the revision of the constitution of the State of California, recommending that the electors of the State vote at the next general election for the calling of a convention to revise the constitution, and to provide the number and qualifications, compensation and manner of electing the delegates to such convention.

Referred to Committee on Direct Legislation.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Williamson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 56, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 56 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill shall be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage

Mr. Williamson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.
NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 56.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 56 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 37—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of state senators for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LANDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 37, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 37—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of State Senators for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 37 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 37.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 37—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of State Senators for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 37—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of State Senators for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 37 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a m , Thursday, January 13, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 13, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J.; Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Foster, Mr. Guy Windrem, Secretary of the Madera County Chamber of Commerce and former member of the

Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. Milton Marks, Supervisor of San Francisco and former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Oliva, Mr. John B. Badaracco, Supervisor of San Francisco and former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Hon. Raglan Tuttle, Judge of the superior court of Nevada, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Anita Nielsen, teacher of the Roseville Union High School civic class and the following pupils: Juanita Spence, Lucille Orsolini, Irene Keehner, Gerda Eichhorn, Otto Honore, Alex Haggman, Reginald Warwick, Hillis Myers, Alex Broyer and Paul Scaglione were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January, 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

San Francisco Bulletin—John A. Henshall, C. M. Jackson.
The Evening News—Franklin Hichborn.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

Also:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COMMISSION FOR THE
REFORM OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, January 13, 1927.

To the Legislature of the State of California.

We herewith transmit our report, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 346, Statutes of California, 1925, in relation to our study of the methods of criminal procedure, together with certain suggestions for amendments to the present system which will, in our opinion, tend to provide for this State a more efficient system for the swift and certain administration of criminal justice.

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REPORT OF THE COMMISSION FOR THE REFORM OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE, TO THE LEGISLATURE.

To the Honorable, the Legislature of the State of California.

The Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure created by your honorable body in 1925 (Statutes of 1925, page 622), presents its report. By the act creating said Commission, your honorable body directed this Commission,

> "To make a study of the methods of criminal procedure and to recommend to the legislature of the State of California, which will convene in the year 1927, such new system of criminal procedure or such amendments to the present system as will in its opinion tend to provide for this State the most efficient system for the swift and certain administration of criminal justice."

Pursuant to your mandate, the Commission has made the study directed and herewith submits a number of recommendations, all designed to secure an efficient system for the swift and certain administration of justice.

INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT.

The studies of your Commission have shown that the amount of crime in this State, and indeed throughout the United States, is appalling. The first and most fundamental duty of every state is to insure the safety of the lives, homes and property of its citizens. It is sad, but true, that this primary duty is being performed worse throughout the United States, including the State of California, than in any other civilized country in the world The prevalence of crime, particularly crimes of violence, in this country is simply staggering Human life has become so cheap, disregard for it so great, that we have a homicide rate fifty times as high as that of England. Robberies at the point of a gun of citizens on the streets, of banks, stores, oil stations and like institutions, are of daily occurrence. No one's home is safe, for gangs of burglars always armed and ready to kill break into every habitation from the mansion to the humblest dwelling, and in our cities and towns, every morning sees the report of a long list of burglaries frequently accompanied by most atrocious acts of violence. Gangs of gunmen ply their profession of killing for profit or pleasure. In broad daylight and in the streets of our greatest cities, it is necessary to use armored cars protected by men armed to the teeth—veritable engines of war—to transport money or valuables. Even to move the United States mail, it has become necessary to call upon the armed forces of the United States designed to repel foreign enemies and to use armed marines acting under orders "Shoot to kill," in order that this function of our national government may be carried on. Whether we realize it or not, we have a state of war, all the forces of organized crime making war upon the law-abiding citizenry of our country. Crime has become an organized business. It operates throughout the length and breadth of the land. It pays no attention to such artificial boundaries as city lines, county lines or state lines. It makes use of every modern invention, the high-powered automobile, the airplane, the automatic pistol, the machine gun Crime is anti-social It undermines the very foundations of the entire social structure. Either society must control and destroy organized crime, or organized crime will control and destroy society.

There are probably a number of causes which contribute to the vast amount of crime. One of the main contributing causes, if not indeed the chief one, undoubtedly is the gross inadequacy and inefficiency of our system of criminal procedure to meet the present day conditions In dealing with the crime situation, as it exists today, we are dealing with a peculiarly twentieth century problem. Our system of criminal procedure is essentially a seventeenth and eighteenth century system A procedure that may have been quite adequate to meet the conditions of those centuries is utterly inadequate in the present century. It is slow, cumbersome archaic, inefficient. It should be swift, certain, modern and highly efficient. The present system, with its many opportunities for delay, with all the loopholes which it offers for the escape of the guilty, can almost be said to be an encouragement to crime. A swift, certain and efficient system, on the other hand, will be a most real and potent deterrent to crime. The entire history of criminal jurisprudence proves the truth of these observations.

The reasons for the defects in our present system of criminal procedure are mainly historical. The system grew up in England. It grew up at a time when criminal prosecutions very frequently were crown persecutions for political offenses. Another strong contributing factor in the development of the system was the fact that punishment for crime, even relatively trivial crimes, was hanging, and the rights given to defendants were very few As a result of these conditions, there was gradually evolved a series of technical rules deliberately designed to give protection to the defendant, irrespective of whether he was guilty or innocent of the crime charged Many of the rules were deliberately designed to prevent the proceedings from arriving at the truth. We have inherited, to a large degree, this system of rules They may have been proper enough for the times and conditions under which they were evolved. They have no application in this day or to the conditions of today England, where these rules grew up, discarded them and adopted a modern system of procedure seventy-five years ago The result was a great and immediate reduction of the amount of crime. The old system was designed primarily for the protection of the defendant. It ignored almost entirely the rights of the public. The new system must protect all legitimate rights of a defendant, but at the same time must insure and protect, so far as possible, the great body of law-abiding citizens, the public. In the recommendations submitted herewith, great care has been taken not to infringe any right of a defendant At the same time it has been constantly borne in mind that the safety of the great body of law-abiding citizens must also be conserved

The great objective of any judicial proceeding should be to arrive at the truth In criminal proceedings, particularly, the truth should be reached with swiftness and certainty. In general, it may be stated that those provisions which tend to aid courts and juries in arriving at the truth are good, conversely that those which tend to prevent or make more difficult the arrival at the truth are bad. Likewise far too little attention has been paid heretofore to the great importance of prompt and speedy hearings in criminal matters. This is of great importance from two aspects First, as making it much more likely that the truth will be reached; second, in its deterrent effect upon the commission of other crime. The more promptly a case can be heard the more likely it is that a true verdict will be reached.

Indeed when a matter of this kind is delayed, the chances of a miscarriage of justice increase probably not merely in arithmetical, but almost, if not quite, in geometrical ratio. Witnesses scatter, their memory becomes dimmed, they are subject to influence, and a host of other things arise that render likely a miscarriage of justice. Delay has been one of the greatest weaknesses in our criminal procedure and one of the greatest shields of the guilty.

Likewise, delay in the administration of criminal justice greatly weakens its deterrent effect, which is one of the great objectives of the criminal law. Punishment administered promptly after the commission of the crime, while the memory of that crime is still fresh in the minds of the public, brings forcibly to the attention of all the fact that punishment does follow crime. This tends strongly to deter the commission of other crimes. When punishment does not follow promptly after the crime, a very large percentage of this deterrent effect is lost. Every consideration, therefore, proves the correctness and wisdom of the mandate of your honorable body that the criminal law should be made to function with swiftness and certainty. Your mandate has at all times been foremost in the minds of the Commission. The system which we are recommending has this as its objective. That in administering criminal justice the proceedings shall arrive at the truth and do so with the greatest simplicity, swiftness and certainty.

Much of the foregoing object can be accomplished by direct enactments of your honorable body. Certain parts of it, however, can only be accomplished by amendments to the constitution. The Commission, therefore, recommends the adoption of certain statutory enactments and that your honorable body submit to the people of this State for their consideration and action at the next general election certain constitutional amendments. Bills to carry out these recommendations have been prepared and are submitted concurrently with this report. The statutory enactments recommended will first be presented.

GENERAL OUTLINE

It seems advisable to submit a general statement of some of the principal statutory enactments recommended

SWIFTNESS.

There are three primary recommendations on this point:

First—Promptness in filing information and in proceedings prior to trial;

Second—Promptness in bringing the case to trial,

Third—Promptness in the hearing of the appeal

Preliminarily, the Commission recommends the adoption, as section 681*a* of the Penal Code, which is the first section dealing with the matter of criminal procedure, a statute substantially as follows:

> Sec. 681*a*. The welfare of the people of the State of California requires that all proceedings in criminal cases shall be heard and determined at the earliest possible time. It shall be the duty of all courts and judicial officers and of all district attorneys to expedite the hearing and determination of all such cases and proceedings to the greatest degree that is consistent with the ends of justice

The purpose of this statute is self-evident. It declares, as the public policy of this State, a principle as to which we believe there can be no dispute, and imposes a mandate upon all courts, judicial officers, and district attorneys, which should permeate the entire conduct of criminal proceedings with a spirit of promptness and efficiency.

TIME FOR FILING INFORMATION.

The Commission next recommends that section 809 of the Penal Code be amended to require district attorneys to file the information within fifteen days (instead of thirty days, as is now the law) after a defendant has been committed by a magistrate. This seems to be ample time for the district attorney and is also to the advantage of those defendants who for any reason are unable to secure their release on bail. It is further recommended that this section expressly permit the information to charge either the crime named in the order of commitment or any offense shown by the evidence taken before the magistrate. This will save time and avoid uncertainty and vexatious delays in cases where for any reason the order of the committing magistrate does not correctly designate the crime shown by the evidence.

TIME FOR TRIAL.

To insure cases being brought on for trial promptly, the Commission is recommending the enactment of a new section of the Penal Code to be known as section 1050, providing as follows:

> Sec. 1050 (new). The court shall set all criminal cases for trial for a date not later than thirty days after the date of entry of the plea of the defendant. No continuance of the trial shall be granted except upon affirmative proof in open court, upon reasonable notice, that the ends of justice require a continuance. No continuance shall be granted for any longer time than it is affirmatively proved the ends of justice require. Whenever any continuance is granted, the court shall enter in its minutes the facts proved which require the continuance. Criminal cases shall be given precedence over civil matters and proceedings. If any court is unable to hear all criminal cases pending

before it within thirty days after the respective defendants have entered their pleas, it must immediately notify the chairman of the Judicial Council.

The purpose of this section is self-evident. Perhaps the greatest delay in the past has been in bringing causes on for trial. As already noted, the sooner they can be brought to trial the greater the likelihood of a true verdict being reached. Practically all cases can be brought to trial with fairness to all parties within thirty days after defendant's plea is entered. To guard against injustice in the exceptional case, the court is given power to grant a continuance where it is affirmatively proved that the ends of justice require it, but only for such time as it is proved that the ends of justice require. The facts proved which require the continuance should be entered in the minutes for the sake of the record. The proposed statute also gives criminal cases precedence over civil matters. It is believed there can be no dissent from this proposition. The welfare of the entire public is involved in the prompt determination of criminal matters to a far greater degree than in civil matters. It is finally recommended that if a court for any reason can not hear all criminal matters pending before it within thirty days it report that fact to the chairman of the Judicial Council, to the end that additional judges may be assigned to assist in clearing the over-crowded calendar. Under our present procedure delays extending through many months are not uncommon.

TIME FOR HEARING APPEALS

It is recommended that the statute be amended to provide that all appeals in criminal matters shall be heard not later than thirty days after the filing of the record on appeal, unless upon affirmative proof to the satisfaction of the court that the ends of justice require a continuance. This statute, if adopted, will mean that in each district the District Court of Appeal should call a criminal calendar once each month and should insure the prompt hearing of practically all appeals in criminal cases. At the present time, it is not infrequent that six, nine, or even twelve months may elapse after the record is filed in the appellate court before a case is brought on for hearing. No delays should be granted on stipulation of counsel, but only where it is proved to the court that the ends of justice require it.

CERTAINTY.

A number of recommendations are submitted designed to make the functioning of our criminal laws more certain. Only a few of the major recommendations will be referred to here.

PLEADINGS.

A more simple form of pleadings, both of indictments and informations, is recommended. It is believed that this will result in doing away almost entirely with technical questions of pleading and with cases being determined upon formalities rather than upon the merits, at the same time fairly advising the defendant of the nature of the case against him. It should save much time now consumed by demurrers, motions and proceedings of a similar character which relate only to questions of pleading.

TRIALS

One of the fundamental effects in our method of trying criminal cases is that to a very considerable extent the trial has been a game between counsel for the people on the one hand and counsel for the defendant on the other, with the judge a mere umpire. We have had far too much of the "sporting element" in our administration of criminal justice. The administration of justice is far too important a matter to be made a game. The "sporting element," indeed all elements of chance, should be removed to the utmost possible extent and the greatest possible certainty of arriving at the truth substituted therefor. To this end statutes are recommended making it not only the right, but the duty, of the trial court to control the conduct of the trial to limit the examination and cross-examination of witnesses, the introduction of evidence and arguments of counsel to relevant and material matters. For the same reason and also for increasing the swiftness of the operation of the law, a statute is recommended making it primarily the duty of the trial court to see that a fair and impartial jury is selected, with the discretionary power of permitting reasonable examination of prospective jurors by counsel. Nowhere in the world is as much time consumed in selecting a jury, with all the consequent expense and delay and congestion of calendars, as we permit in this country. The proposed statute is designed to cure this evil.

CERTAINTY OF PUNISHMENT.

Several recommendations designed to increase the certainty of proper punishment are made in connection with parole, indeterminate sentence and probation laws. These will be more fully explained later.

BAIL.

The present statutes relating to bail have been carefully reviewed and several changes recommended. These will be more fully discussed later in the report.

With this preliminary statement, we will proceed to take up in their order as they appear in the Penal Code the sections which it is recommended should be amended, or repealed, and new sections which it is recommended should be added, stating briefly the reasons for the several recommendations.

STATUTORY CHANGES RECOMMENDED.

(To the Penal Code)

Section 165. This section relates to the crime of bribery. It is proposed to amend it by making it a crime for a member of a common council, board of supervisors, board of trustees, etc., to solicit or offer to receive a bribe. It has been held that under the law as it now stands such a public official who offers to receive, or solicits a bribe is not guilty of any crime.

Section 190. This section relates to murder in the first degree. Under the law as it now stands, it is made the duty of the jury, when a defendant is convicted of murder in the first degree, to fix the penalty either at death or life imprisonment. It has recently been held by the Supreme Court, People vs. Hall, 72 Cal. Dec. 341, that where the jury unanimously agree that defendant is guilty of murder in the first degree, but fail to agree upon the punishment, the judgment of conviction must be reversed and a new trial ordered. To cure this condition, the amendment recommended provides that if the jury finds a defendant guilty of murder in the first degree but can not agree upon the penalty, the court shall determine the same.

Section 484 (new). This is a new section. It consolidates the present crimes known as larceny, embezzlement and obtaining property under false pretenses, into one crime, designated as theft. The basis of all of these crimes as at present known is the unlawful taking or converting to one's own use of the property of another. The crimes are so similar that as the law now stands it is difficult, frequently practically impossible, to tell which crime has been committed in a particular transaction. By combining them all as the crime of theft, this difficulty will be obviated. In addition, the statute is so drawn that hereafter one who obtains real property by false pretenses will be guilty the same as one who obtains personal property by like pretenses. That seems clearly to have been the intention of the Legislature in the statute as it now stands, but it has been held that as the statute is drafted this object is thwarted. (People vs. Folcey, 50 C. A. D. 203.)

Sections 485–490, inclusive. These sections dealing with the distinction of grand larceny, petty larceny, etc., are recommended to be amended to conform to section 485. In section 487 the word "automobile" is added so as to make one who steals an automobile guilty of grand theft without the necessity of proving its value.

Section 490*a* (new). It is recommended that this new section be added, providing that wherever any law or statute of this State mentions larceny, embezzlement, or stealing, it shall hereafter be read and interpreted as if theft were the crime referred to, thus obviating the necessity of amending several sections which relate to the crimes now sought to be consolidated into the new crime of theft.

Section 644. This is the habitual criminal statute. It is recommended that the statute be amended to provide that any person convicted of a felony, who has been twice previously convicted of a felony, either in this State or elsewhere, shall be adjudged an habitual criminal and sentenced to imprisonment for life. The law now is that a person convicted of a felony, who has been twice previously convicted of robbery, burglary, rape with force and violence, arson, or any of them, shall be adjudged an habitual criminal but he is not for that reason alone punished by life imprisonment. The Commission recommends that this distinction, which makes one who has been convicted three times of certain felonies, an habitual criminal, and one who has been convicted the same number of times of other felonies, not an habitual criminal, be abolished, and that all persons who are convicted the third time of any felony be adjudged habitual criminals and sentenced to imprisonment for life. Under the law as it now stands, one might, for example, be convicted three times of murder, or might be convicted of murder, grand larceny and embezzlement or of bribery, extortion and grand larceny and still not be adjudged an habitual criminal. It is submitted that when a person has three times committed and been convicted of crimes of the seriousness of felonies, it is the right and duty of society to put him where the law-abiding citizens of the State shall no longer be subject to his depredations. The habitual criminal is a fact. Law-abiding citizens are entitled to be protected from him.

If your honorable body feel that this provision is too severe, the general purpose may be preserved and at the same time those felonies which it is deemed are not sufficiently serious to come within the rule may be specifically excepted from its operation. If your honorable body should adopt this view such crimes as violation of the Corporate Securities Act, falsification of public records, and certain other minor felonies (if any crime which your honorable body has declared to be felony may be deemed to be a minor crime) may be excepted.

Section 668. It is recommended that this section be amended to include section 644 within its terms.

Section 669. This section relates to the matter of consecutive or concurrent sentences where a person is convicted of two or more offenses. Its meaning may not be entirely clear. At least it has resulted in considerable confusion in actual practice. It is recommended that the section be amended to provide that when any person is convicted of two or more offenses he shall be sentenced separately for each offense and such sentences shall run consecutively. This will carry out the intent of your

honorable body as expressed in the present section, is in accord with sound policy, and will remove the confusion that has heretofore existed.

Section 681*a* (new). This being the first section relating specifically to criminal procedure, it is recommended that it declare the policy of the law as follows:

> Sec. 681*a*. The welfare of the people of the State of California requires that all proceedings in criminal cases shall be heard and determined at the earliest possible time. It shall be the duty of all courts and judicial officers and of all district attorneys to expedite the hearing and determination of all such cases and proceedings to the greatest degree that is consistent with the ends of justice.

The purpose of this section is to announce a principle and policy which shall be mandatory upon all judges, judicial officers and district attorneys to expedite criminal cases and proceedings from their inception to their final conclusion. This will vitalize all criminal proceedings with a new spirit. The present section 681 is made section 681*b*.

Section 809. This section requires the district attorney to file his information within fifteen days (instead of thirty days as at present) after defendant has been committed by the magistrate. It also authorizes the information to charge any offense shown by the evidence taken before the magistrate. Its purpose has already been explained.

Section 825. It is recommended that this statute be amended so as to require that a defendant be taken before a magistrate within not more than two days after his arrest, excluding Sundays and holidays. No specific time is fixed by the statute as it now reads.

Section 859. It is recommended that this section be amended to provide that the magistrate may postpone the examination for not less than two, nor more than five days, to permit defendant to send for counsel. No limit of time is fixed in the statute as it now reads.

Section 861. It is recommended that this section which relates to continuances of preliminary examination be amended to provide that such examination may be continued for not more than two weeks in all when consented to by defendant.

Section 869. It is recommended that subdivision five of this section be amended so as to require reporters' transcripts of preliminary examinations to be filed within five days after the close of the examination instead of ten days as at present, and provides that should the reporter fail to file the transcript within said time he shall receive but one-half of the compensation to which he would be otherwise entitled. This is necessary in view of the requirement that the information shall be filed within fifteen days after the order of commitment instead of thirty days as at present. It also provides that a copy of the transcript be served on the defendant at least five days before trial.

Section 915. This section now reads that the grand jury "must" inquire into all public offenses committed or triable within the county and present them to the court by indictment. It is recommended that the word "must" be changed to "may." A large percentage of crimes are now prosecuted by complaint and information and it is impossible for the grand jury to inquire into all public offenses. The statute as it now reads is simply ignored.

Section 925. It is recommended that this statute be amended so as to require that every defendant indicted by a grand jury shall be served with a copy of the evidence given against him before the grand jury. As the statute stands at present, he is only entitled to such transcript if a stenographic reporter is present. Thus some defendants receive a copy of the evidence given against them and some do not. Either all defendants should receive a copy of the evidence or none should receive it. The Commission has resolved the doubt in favor of the defendant and recommends that all defendants have this benefit.

Sections 941–942. It is recommended that these sections be repealed. They relate to the effect of the failure of a grand jury to find an indictment. They seem to serve no useful purpose and might well thwart justice being done in some cases.

Section 951. It is recommended that this section be amended to provide a more simple form of indictment or information. If adopted, an indictment for murder (for example) may be in the following simple form:

> "The grand jury of the county of_____ hereby accuses A. B. of a felony, to wit: Murder, in that on or about the_____ day of_____, 19____, in the county of_____, State of California, he murdered C. D."

This is one of the statutes designed to eliminate technicalities in pleading and to make proceedings more simple.

Section 952. To help accomplish the same purpose it is recommended that this section be amended to conform in spirit and intent with section 951 as amended.

Section 954. It is recommended that this statute, which relates to joinder of offenses in an indictment or information, be enlarged to embrace complaints as well as indictments and informations and amended by changing the clause which now reads, "different statements of the same offense" so that it will read, "different statements of the same transaction." This is somewhat broader and more in line with correct policy and is in accord with what was evidently the intent of the Legislature

in adopting the section It is also recommended that a sentence be added reading as follows

A verdict of acquittal of one or more counts shall not be deemed or held to be an acquittal of any other count

It not infrequently happens that where the same transaction is charged in two counts the jury, having convicted of one, feels that it should and it does acquit of the other. Defendant then argues that since the same transaction was involved in both counts the acquittal on one operates as a matter of law as an acquittal on the other. The proposed amendment will obviate such contention.

Section 956. It is recommended that this be amended by adding the words "or of the place where the offense was committed, or of the property involved in its commission" This is in accordance with sound policy and with the evident intent of this statute as it now reads

Section 959. This section, which relates to the sufficiency of indictments and informations, is recommended to be amended to include complaints as well, but to omit sections six and seven for the reason that their subject matter is fully covered by section 952 as proposed to be amended

Section 960. It is recommended that the words in this statute "which does not tend to the prejudice of a substantial right of the defendant upon its merits," be amended to read, "which does not prejudice a substantial right of the defendant upon the merits" This accords with article VI, section 4½ of the constitution. It should also be made to embrace complaints as well as indictments and informations.

Section 969. This section now provides that not more than two previous convictions must be charged in any one indictment or information. It is recommended that it be amended to provide that "all known previous convictions, whether in this State or elsewhere, must be charged." The entire criminal record of a defendant should be before the court in every case. This is particularly necessary, in view of the policy of the habitual criminal act.

Section 969*a* (new). It is recommended that this new statute be adopted designed to cover cases where, after the filing of an indictment or information, it is discovered that defendant has previously been convicted of felonies which were not known at the time of the filing of the indictment or information. If the discovery is made before sentence, the pending indictment or information shall be amended upon order of the court and the case proceed as if such prior convictions had been charged in the original indictment or information. If discovery is not made until after sentence, the statute provides for the filing of a supplemental information. Defendant shall be arraigned thereon and if he admit the prior convictions, shall be resentenced accordingly If he deny them, the issue shall be tried. If the issue be determined in the defendant's favor, the proceeding shall be dismissed. If the issue be determined against him, he shall be resentenced accordingly.

The justice of this provision seems to require no argument. If a defendant has in fact been convicted of one or more previous felonies he ought not escape the consequences thereof simply because he has succeeded in concealing them.

Sections 995 and 995*a*. Section 995 now provides, among other things, that an indictment must be set aside if the names of witnesses who testify before the grand jury are not inserted at the foot of the indictment or endorsed thereon, and that an information must be set aside when not subscribed by the district attorney. To set aside a proceeding for such trivial reasons seems absurd It is proposed that this be amended by eliminating these two provisions and adding a new section, 995*a*, providing that if the names of witnesses are not endorsed on the indictment or the information is not subscribed by the district attorney, the court may order this defect to be cured and the proceedings shall then continue.

Section 1006. It is recommended that this section be amended to require immediate hearings on demurrers unless exceptional cause for a delay be shown.

Section 1008. This section relates to amendments of indictments and informations. It is proposed to change the section to facilitate such amendments and further to provide that the sustaining of a demurrer and consequent dismissal of the charge shall not be a bar to instituting a new prosecution for the same offense It is submitted that a mere defect in pleading in an indictment or information ought not to prevent a trial on the merits if the charge can be stated in such a way as to avoid the defects in pleading.

Section 1011. This section relates to pleas after demurrer disallowed. The changes recommended are to require the plea to be made forthwith and to eliminate the provision that "if defendant does not plead, judgment may be pronounced against him."

Sections 1016, 1017, 1020, 1026 (new), 1026*a* (new), 1151 and 1167. Insanity. These sections are grouped for the reason that they all relate to the matter of the defense of insanity and proceedings based thereon This subject has been one of the most troublesome ones in the administration of American criminal law. The abuses of the present system are great. Under a plea of "not guilty" and without any notice to the people that the defense of insanity will be relied upon, defendant has been able to raise the defense upon the trial of the issue as to whether he committed the offense charged. This lack of notice that such defense would be made has very frequently placed the people at a very great disadvantage. An even more serious

fault of the present system is that a defendant, when on trial as to whether he committed the offense, is able to bring into the case the whole matter of his sanity at the time of the offense charged. This enables him to submit to the jury great masses of evidence having no bearing upon the question whether the offense was committed. This is frequently made the basis of appeals to the sympathy or prejudice of the jury and even though this is not done, often introduces great confusion into the trial. It not infrequently happens that a jury finds a defendant not guilty when, in fact, it is convinced that the defendant committed the crime but believes he was insane at the time. Thus persons who are really dangerous to society through suffering from criminal insanity are turned back upon the public and become a menace to society.

After much study and consultation with experts, the Commission has worked out a system which it is believed will eliminate these evils. We recommend the establishment of a state hospital for the criminal insane. This will be more fully considered later in the report. So far as the legal proceedings relating to the matter of insanity are concerned, we recommend that section 1016 be amended to provide that where a defendant intends to raise the defense of insanity at the time the alleged offense was committed, he shall plead "not guilty by reason of insanity." This plea may be joined with any of the present pleas, but one who does not make such plea shall be conclusively deemed to have been sane at the time of the commission of the alleged offense. When defendant pleads "not guilty by reason of insanity" joining with it any other pleas, he shall first be tried in the regular way as to the issue raised by the other pleas without any question of insanity being raised. In such trial, for example, if defendant pleads "not guilty" and also "not guilty by reason of insanity" he shall first be tried in the regular way on the plea of not guilty. If the verdict be in defendant's favor, that, of course, ends the matter. If the verdict be in favor of the people, then the issue as to whether defendant was sane at the time the offense was committed shall be promptly tried, either by the same jury or by a new jury in the discretion of the court. If it be found that defendant was sane, he shall be given the legal sentence. If, on the other hand, it be determined that defendant was insane he shall be committed to the hospital for the criminal insane, or if such hospital be not yet established, to some other state hospital for the insane. Such commitment shall continue until it be judicially adjudicated that defendant's sanity has been restored. A person so committed, after having been in the hospital for one year, may file an application to have it adjudged that his sanity has been restored. If, on such application, the court finds in his favor, he shall be discharged. If the finding be against him, he may, at the expiration of a year, file a new application.

It is believed that this will obviate practically all the difficulties in the present system. The making of the plea "not guilty by reason of insanity" will give to the people notice that they must meet this issue. By having the trial on the merits distinct from the trial as to the issue of sanity, the present great confusion will be avoided, the issue will be clean cut and much time will be saved. If the defendant is found not guilty, all of the time, expense and delay now consumed in trying the issue of insanity will be saved. If defendant be found guilty, the issue of his sanity will be tried without any confusion with other matters. Where it is determined that a defendant is criminally insane, he will be committed to an institution. Thus the public will be saved from the constant menace to which it is subjected when insane persons with criminal tendencies are allowed to roam at large. By being in an institution designed for care and treatment of such persons, the insane person will be saved from many menaces to himself and will be given treatment which may result in the restoration of his sanity. It is believed that the plan recommended is sound, from a legal, practical and humanitarian standpoint.

In accordance with this policy, section 1167 should be repealed, and section 1151 amended by striking out that portion which refers to acquittals because of insanity.

Section 1044. It is recommended that a new section numbered 1044 be enacted to read substantially as follows:

> It shall be the duty of the judge to control all proceedings during the trial, and to limit the introduction of evidence and the argument of counsel to relevant and material matters, with a view to the expeditious and effective ascertainment of the truth regarding the matters involved.

This is probably only declaratory of the power which the courts now have but which is far too little exercised. The purpose of the statute is to make it mandatory upon the court to control its proceedings to the end that justice shall be done. As heretofore noted, one of the great defects in our criminal proceedings has been that it has been too much a game between opposing counsel with the court acting merely as umpire. It has frequently been declared that in our country it is better to have a poor case and a good lawyer than a good case and a poor lawyer. This may not be entirely sound, but there certainly is an element of truth in it. The aim of judicial proceedings should be to arrive at the truth, regardless of the ability of counsel for the respective parties. To accomplish this, as well as to expedite the proceedings, it is essential that the court be more than a mere umpire. He should at all times control the proceedings. It is believed that the enactment of this statute will be very helpful in attaining this object.

Section 1049. This section now provides that after his plea the defendant is entitled to at least two days to prepare for trial. It is recommended that the words

"two days" be changed to "five days" The Commission does not know of any cases where the present statute has been abused Nevertheless, there might be cases where it would be unfair to force a defendant to trial in as short a time as two days. By increasing this time to five days this possibility of injustice to a defendant will be obviated.

Section 1050 (new). This statute requires that all criminal cases be set for trial for a date not later than thirty days after defendant enters his plea, and no continuance may be granted unless it is proved that the ends of justice require the same. This has already been fully discussed in the early part of this report.

Section 1052. It is recommended that this section be repealed, the matter being fully covered by section 1050.

Section 1070. Peremptory challenges. It is recommended that this statute be amended to provide that the state and the defendant shall have an equal number of peremptory challenges, ten in capital cases and five in other cases. The law now gives the defendant twice as many challenges as the people.

Sections 1077–1078. It is recommended that section 1077 be repealed and section 1078 be amended to read as follows:

> Section 1078 It shall be the duty of the trial court to examine the prospective jurors and to select a fair and impartial jury. He may, in his discretion, permit reasonable examination of prospective jurors by counsel for the people and for the defendant.

The purpose of this section is twofold: First, to cut down the great amount of time now consumed in the selection of juries; second, to increase the probability that a fair and impartial jury will be selected. As heretofore noted, there is no place in the world where anything like the amount of time is taken in selecting a jury as is common in this country in criminal cases. Days, weeks, sometimes even months, are used up in this way. Moreover, at the present time, the selection of a jury is to a large extent a game between counsel It is but natural that each side should endeavor to secure jurors who will be favorable to that side. The ideal should be to select a fair and impartial jury. Each side is entitled to that. Neither side is entitled to more. This statute is designed to make it primarily the duty of the trial court to bring about the selection of such a jury There are undoubtedly cases in which reasonable examination by counsel should be permitted. The proposed statute permits this. It makes it the right and duty of the court always to control such examination to the end that justice shall be done and no undue delay occur.

Section 1089. It is recommended that this section be amended to equalize peremptory challenges to alternate jurors

Sections 1096 and 1096*a*. Presumption of innocence Reasonable doubt. Section 1096 now reads:

> A defendant in a criminal action is presumed to be innocent until the contrary is proved, and in case of a reasonable doubt whether his guilt is satisfactorily shown, he is entitled to an acquittal

It is recommended that this be amended and a new section added, to read substantially as follows

> Section 1096. The defendant in a criminal action is presumed to be innocent until the contrary is proved, but the effect of this presumption is only to place upon the state the burden of proving him guilty, beyond a reasonable doubt Reasonable doubt is defined as follows: "It is not a mere possible doubt: because everything relating to human affairs, and depending on moral evidence, is open to some possible or imaginary doubt It is that state of the case, which, after the entire comparison and consideration of all the evidence, leaves the minds of jurors in that condition that they can not say they feel an abiding conviction, to a moral certainty, of the truth of the charge"
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> Section 1096*a*. In charging a jury the court may read to the jury section 1096 of this code and no further instruction on the subject of the presumption of innocence or defining reasonable doubt need be given.

The question of the effect of the presumption of innocence and of the meaning of reasonable doubt has been one of the most troublesome in the whole field of criminal procedure. It would be difficult to estimate how many mistrials and how many reversals have resulted from instructions on this subject that have been held erroneous. If the proposed section is adopted, it will remove all doubts and uncertainties on this subject, and provide a clear statement of the law which can be given in every case and to which nothing need be added. This statement of the law is as fair and favorable to the defendant as any defendant can ask The definition of "reasonable doubt" is copied verbatim from the most classical statement in American jurisprudence, namely, the decision of Chief Justice Shaw in Commonwealth vs. Webster, 5 Cushing 320. This definition has received the approval of courts and text writers ever since it was pronounced and has frequently been commended and declared to be the best definition by the Supreme Court of this State. (See for example, People vs. Miller, 171 Cal. 649.) The adoption of this statute will add much to the certainty of the operation of criminal law.

Section 1098. This section now provides that when two or more defendants are tried jointly, each of them is entitled to five peremptory challenges in addition to those allowed by section 1070, but the State is given only "one-half the number of

all the additional separate challenges allowed the defendants, any fraction to be regarded as an additional challenge." It is proposed to give the State "additional challenges equal to the number of all the additional separate challenges allowed the defendants," in conformity with the amendment suggested for equalizing the number of peremptory challenges.

Section 1123. When section 1089 was added to the Penal Code, authorizing the calling of alternate jurors, this section was apparently overlooked as the two are inconsistent as they now stand. It is recommended that section 1123 be amended to conform to section 1089.

Section 1156. This section now provides that the court must order a new trial for certain defects in a special verdict which could easily be remedied by further deliberation of the jury after instructions from the court pointing out the defects. The recommendations proposed will bring about a proper verdict at the first trial.

Sections 1168 and 1203. Probation, Indeterminate Sentence and Parole Law. It seems advisable to group the presentation of the recommendations made with reference to these laws. Many persons feel that these laws are wrong in principle and frequently abused in practice. After a careful study, however, the Commission has reached the conclusion that they are sound in principle. At the same time, it must be conceded that great errors and sometimes even serious abuses have occurred in their operation. The Commission therefore sought to work out a plan which would preserve all of the benefits of these systems and minimize their evils. It is believed this result has been accomplished.

A—Probation.

We are convinced that probation has a proper place in the law and serves a very useful purpose. Properly applied it is a great force for good. Improperly applied it is an undoubted force for evil. It is believed that the true purpose and function of probation is this: That one who has for the first time breached the social compact by an act so serious as to constitute a felony, but has not shown himself to be a menace to the lives of his fellow men, should be entitled to apply to the State as a matter of grace (for it should always be remembered that probation is a matter of grace only, not of right) for a chance to redeem himself and not have stamped upon him the brand of a penitentiary sentence. Conversely, however, a person who has more than once been convicted of a crime so serious as to be a felony, or a person who in committing a felony for the first time has shown himself to be a menace to the lives of his fellow citizens, should not be entitled to this act of grace on the part of the State. If probation be granted to such a person, the whole purpose of the law is prostituted. The law-abiding citizens of the State are subjected to a menace which is most unjust to the individual and dangerous to society. For all practical purposes it may be affirmed that any person who commits a felony while armed with a deadly weapon is a potential murderer. By that very act he demonstrates that he is a menace to the lives of his fellow citizens and to society. The person who arms himself with a deadly weapon to commit a felony does so that he may use it, that he may wound or kill if it seems necessary or advisable to insure the perpetration of the crime or his escape. The welfare of society demands that adequate steps be taken to deter such persons from carrying deadly weapons. It is, therefore, recommended that the probation law be amended so as to provide: First, that no person who has been previously convicted of a felony, either in this State or elsewhere, shall be eligible for probation; second, that no person who, at the time of the commission of the offense, or at the time of his arrest, was armed with a deadly weapon shall be eligible for probation; third, that the present provision which prevents public officials guilty of bribery, embezzlement or extortion from receiving probation, be retained.

It is further recommended that subdivision (e) of section 1203 be amended. That section now provides that a defendant who has been admitted to probation may, after such probationary period is complete, withdraw his plea and have the proceeding dismissed, and that he "shall thereafter be released from all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offense or crime of which he has been convicted." It is recommended that there be added to this subdivision immediately after the words quoted the following:

> "except that in any subsequent prosecution of such defendant for any other offense such prior conviction may be pleaded and proved and shall have the same effect as if probation had not been granted or the accusation or information dismissed."

If one who has been convicted of a felony and has received the grace of the State through probation, thereafter commits another felony, there would appear to be every reason, indeed, if anything, more reason, why he should be treated as a second offender, than one who upon his first conviction received and served a sentence. To say that such a person, when he commits the second felony, is really a first offender, is simply to deny the truth. The Commission would not withdraw from the person who has received probation and thereafter lives a life of rectitude any of the protection now given him by this law. But if such person thereafter again becomes a felon, the law should permit the truth to be shown.

B—Indeterminate Sentence.

There is very considerable objection to the indeterminate sentence law. The Commission, however, believes that it serves a useful purpose, but that one very important change in it should be made. Under the system formerly prevailing in this State, the trial court fixed the sentence. This had certain disadvantages, the chief of which probably was the great disparity sometimes existing between the sentences given by one judge and those given by another judge for the same crime committed under like conditions. It had, however, certain very real advantages. The judge of the trial court, who knew local conditions, who saw and observed the witnesses, who saw and observed the defendant, had an opportunity to form an opinion as to the real degree of culpability which the board of prison directors, sitting perhaps hundreds of miles away and acting on a printed record, can not possibly have. Realizing that there were advantages in each system and disadvantages in each, the Commission sought to work out a plan by which the advantages of both could be retained and the disadvantages of both minimized. Such a plan has been evolved. The plan recommended is this: That at the time of, and as part of the sentence, the trial court shall recommend the minimum term for which in his opinion the defendant should be confined before being eligible for release on parole or otherwise. This, it is to be noted, is not the fixing of the sentence, but only a recommendation as to the minimum term of actual confinement. The board of prison directors shall have jurisdiction and power to release the defendant prior to the expiration of such recommended term, but shall not do so unless in its opinion exceptional cause therefor is shown. This leaves power in the prison board to correct any abuses that may arise through excessive recommendations, and to take into consideration facts which may develop subsequent to sentence and which were not known at that time. The plan thus preserves to a large extent the undoubted value of the opinion and recommendation of the trial court without in any substantial degree infringing upon the indeterminate sentence law or the power of the board of prison directors. As a matter of fact, this board has for a long time attempted to get the opinions of trial judges in practically all cases coming before it.

C—Parole.

No changes are recommended in the parole law, except one to insure that second offenders and those who are armed with deadly weapons at the time of the commission of felonies or at the time of arrest shall receive adequate punishment, largely to the end that others may be deterred from embarking on a life of crime or at least from using deadly weapons in the commission of crime or arming themselves to resist arrest. *It is recommended that offenders of this class shall not be* released on parole except in accordance with the following schedule:

1. A person sentenced to life imprisonment shall not be eligible for parole until he has served a minimum of twenty-five years.

2. A person convicted of a felony, who at the time of the commission of the offense or his arrest was armed with a deadly weapon and who has theretofore been convicted of a felony, shall not be eligible for parole until he has served a minimum of fifteen years.

3. A person not theretofore convicted of a felony, but who at the time of the commission of the offense or his arrest was armed with a deadly weapon, shall not be eligible for parole until he has served a minimum of ten years.

4. A person for the second time convicted of a felony, but who was not armed with a deadly weapon at the time of the commission of the offense or his arrest, shall not be eligible to parole until he has served a minimum of seven years.

It is believed that this plan, if adopted, will have a great deterrent value. At the present time many persons sentenced to life imprisonment are released on parole in ten years. There is a strong feeling that a sentence of imprisonment for life should mean exactly what it says, and that a person so sentenced should serve for life, unless released by pardon or commutation of sentence. There is much to be said in favor of this view. The Commission feels, however, that if the law provides that a person so sentenced must serve at least twenty-five years, the deterrent value will be almost as great as if no parole were allowed. There may be cases where after twenty-five years the parole board will find it proper to release such persons on parole. The second offender who uses a deadly weapon ought to be made to realize that he must serve a very substantial sentence. Such a law will probably tend to deter those who have been once convicted from committing other felonies, or at least, if they do commit them, from using a deadly weapon in their perpetration. The purpose of the other two recommendations is obvious and is along the same line.

Section 1180. This section as it now stands provides, among other things, that "the granting of a new trial places the parties in the same position as if no trial had been had." Its effect has been practically nullified by judicial decision. It is believed that it can be restored by amending it to provide that a defendant who makes a motion for a new trial, or who appeals from a judgment of conviction, thereby consents that if a new trial is granted or the judgment reversed, the effect shall be the same as if he had never been tried, and that he may again be tried upon the original charge, irrespective of the verdict of the jury in the first trial. The constitutionality of such a provision is established by the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in Trono vs. United States, 199 U. S. 521, and a series

of cases both in the federal and state courts since that time. The proposed amendment will simply make effective the clear intent of the legislature expressed in the statute as it now stands.

Section 1181. It is recommended that subdivision six of this section be amended so as to provide that where a defendant has been convicted of a crime and the evidence is found insufficient to justify the conviction for that crime, but does justify the conviction of a lesser degree of the crime, or of some lesser and included crime, either the trial court or the appellate court, as the case may be, need not set aside the verdict entirely, but may modify the judgment of conviction to the lesser crime.

The value of such a statute was illustrated by a recent decision of our Supreme Court in People vs. Nagy, 72 Cal. Dec. 192. In that case, defendant was convicted of arson in the first degree. The evidence clearly showed that the defendant was guilty of arson in the second degree, but was insufficient to show the presence of a human being in the property burned, which is necessary to constitute arson in the first degree. The court was compelled to set aside the judgment entirely and grant a new trial. Under the proposed statute, it would have been able to enter a judgment of arson in the second degree. The proposed statute in no way infringes upon the province of the jury, since it authorizes the court to pronounce only judgments on crimes which are lesser than and included within the verdict of the jury.

Section 1191. The proposed amendment to this section requires that judgment be pronounced immediately after plea or verdict of guilty, or after a verdict against the defendant on a plea of former conviction or acquittal, or once in jeopardy, instead of at a time (not less than two nor more than five days thereafter) to be appointed by the court, as now provided.

Section 1243. It is recommended that this section be amended to provide that the granting of a stay of execution on appeal shall rest in the sole discretion of the judge of the trial court. The evident intent of the Legislature in adopting the section as it now stands was to make the issuance of such certificate a matter of discretion. This intent has, to a large extent, been nullified by judicial decision. The proposed amendment will restore it. It is felt that this discretion should rest with the judge of the trial court rather than with the justices of the supreme or appellate courts, who can have no personal familiarity with the case.

Sections 1246, 1247*d*, inclusive. These sections all relate to the matter of making up the record on appeal. It is recommended that they be repealed and in lieu thereof a section be adopted providing that the record on appeal shall be made up within the time and in the manner prescribed by rules to be promulgated by the Judicial Council, and until such rules are promulgated the rules applicable January 1, 1927, shall apply. This suggestion is in accord with the prevailing policy that such matters of detail as making up of records on appeal should be regulated by rules of court rather than by hard and fast statutes.

Section 1252. It is recommended that this statute be amended to provide that all appeals in criminal cases shall be set for hearing for a date not later than thirty days after the filing of the transcript and that no continuance shall be granted unless the court shall find that the ends of justice require it. No continuance shall be granted upon stipulation of counsel. It is further provided that upon an appeal by defendant the appellate court shall, in addition to the points raised by defendant, consider and pass upon all rulings adverse to the State which it may be requested to pass upon by the Attorney General. The purpose of this proposed amendment is to carry out the policy of increased swiftness in the functioning of the criminal law. It is not uncommon under the present system that from six months to a year elapse after the verdict of conviction before the appeal is brought on for hearing. This is not the fault of the courts but rather the fault of the system now in force. There is no good reason why the great majority of cases on appeal can not be heard promptly. Where, for some peculiar reason, the ends of justice require a longer time, the proposed statute permits the court to grant the continuance.

The additional provision that the appellate court shall pass upon rulings adverse to the State which it is requested to consider by the Attorney General is deemed an important one. At the present time the State has no way to review ruling adverse to it made during the trial. The proposed amendment will give this right, and thus a way will be opened to settle many disputed questions.

Section 1256. It is further recommended that a provision be added to the present statutes making it the duty of the district attorney to assist the Attorney General in presenting all matters on appeal. It is believed that it will prove very helpful, both to the Attorney General and to the court, to have the assistance of the district attorney who tried the matter in the court below.

Sections 1270–1307. Bail. The entire subject of bail has received the careful attention of your Commission. As a result of the study of the present system and its practical application, several changes are recommended. The present system has been and is subject to a number of very serious abuses. Perhaps first among these is the so-called "straw bail" evil, that is, the giving of bonds which are not collectible. Another series of abuses has grown up in connection with the bail bond business, that is the business of giving bail bonds for pay. In considering the entire subject of bail, it should always be remembered that while it is right and proper in most cases for a defendant to be released on bail, still the bail bond must be of such a nature and in such amount that it will in practically every case (theoretically

at least, in every case) insure that the defendant will not leave the State or secrete himself to escape punishment. The bail bond should be a secured obligation in favor of the people of the State of California. When cash is used as security, the cash must be deposited. If property is made the basis of security, the people are entitled at least to a lien upon that property. They are entitled to insist, certainly as much as any private client would be entitled to insist, that that security shall be a real, not merely a nominal, security.

This is of the utmost importance from each of two aspects: First, unless the security is of this nature there is a definite inducement to the defendant to flee and so thwart the whole course of justice; second, as the holder of a secured obligation the people are entitled to insist that the security shall be such that the obligation will be certainly collectible.

The general plan proposed is this: The sureties must justify upon oath and list the property which it is proposed to give as security for the bond. They must satisfy the trial judge that they own the property and that its value above all prior liens is ample to satisfy the amount of their undertaking. When the undertaking is approved by the trial judge it becomes a lien upon the property offered as security. This is designed to cure one of the great defects in the present system. Now the undertaking does not become a lien upon anything. There is now nothing to prevent a surety from encumbering or disposing of his property the day after the bail bond is accepted. To remedy this condition and make the undertaking a real security to the people of the state (not merely a nominal one) it is proposed that where the property offered is personal property it shall be deposited with the court to be held until the undertaking is discharged or, in case it be forfeited, the obligation is collected. Where the property offered as security is real property, the undertaking becomes a lien thereon and provision is made for recording notice of the undertaking in the county where the real property is situated. This plan will give to the people of the State the same measure of protection and security which any private client would insist upon his lawyer obtaining for him on a secured obligation. It is believed that the people in this tremendously important matter of insuring the enforcement of the criminal law are entitled to at least this degree of protection.

It is next proposed to amend the form of undertaking by adding a provision by which the surety will consent that, in the event the bail bond is forfeited, judgement may be entered forthwith for the amount of the undertaking. Under the present system, it is necessary to bring a separate civil action to enforce collection of the bond. When such judgment is entered it may be enforced in the usual way by the sale of the property given as security. To give an additional protection to the surety, however, it is provided that if within ten days after forfeiture of the bond the defendant and his bail appear and satisfactorily excuse the forfeiture and show to the satisfaction of the court that the absence of defendant was not with the connivance of the bail, the court may discharge the forfeiture of the undertaking upon such terms as may be just.

It is next recommended that the statute expressly provide that in fixing the amount of bail, the judge or magistrate shall take into consideration the seriousness of the offense charged, the previous criminal record of the defendant and the probability of his appearing at the trial; that the proposed sureties shall be required to state upon oath what, if any, consideration, indemnity or security they have received or been promised, and from whom, and that the bond shall not be accepted unless the judge is satisfied that none of the consideration, indemnity or security was feloniously obtained by defendant. In the British Empire bail for indemnity is prohibited. Indeed, the giving of bail for any consideration is in itself a crime. The Commission feels it is not necessary to go so far here. The proposed amendments will still permit a legitimate bail bond business to be carried on, but it is only right and just that where a bail bond is given for consideration or upon indemnity, the State should know what that consideration of indemnity is and from whom received.

It is further provided that all statements made by the proposed bondsmen (which must be under oath) shall be deemed material statements and if such a bondsman makes a false statement he shall be guilty of perjury.

If this proposed plan be adopted it is believed the present abuses of bail will be substantially cured without any injustice being done to anyone. It has been suggested that the proposed plan may in some cases somewhat increase the difficulty of securing bail. This may or may not be true. If it proves true, however, it will only be in those cases where the bondsmen are unwilling to give to the people of the State real security for the appearance of the defendant. If it be conceded that the people are entitled to have a security that is real, not merely one that is a matter of form this possible objection falls to the ground. The enforcement of criminal justice is a matter of the greatest importance to the welfare of the people of this state. Unless the defendant is present, the whole course of the administration of justice is thwarted and the arms of the people are paralyzed. Hence, when a defendant asks to be released on bail, the people have a right to insist that the bond which he gives to insure his appearance shall be a real one secured in such a manner that it is certainly collectible. This is the result which the proposed amendments are designed to accomplish.

Section 1506. It is recommended that a new section be added giving the right of appeal, in habeas corpus cases, to the people or to the petitioner, from a final order discharging or remanding a prisoner, and providing that if the people appeal, the defendant shall not be released from custody, except upon bail. Under the present system, the people are very greatly handicapped by having no redress where a defendant is improperly released on habeas corpus.

HOSPITAL FOR THE CRIMINAL INSANE.

The Commission recommends that your honorable body create a hospital for the criminal insane. The fact that we do not have such a hospital is a serious blot upon the good name of the State. There can be no doubt about the fact that there are people who are criminally insane. Dementia praecox, paranoia in its various phases, and similar afflictions are real. People suffering from them are a menace to themselves and a most serious menace to society. They belong in an institution, so that this menace both to themselves and to society can be eliminated, and so that they may receive the best of care and treatment and, where possible, be restored to sanity. It is most unfair both to them and to the public that they be allowed to roam at large as most of them now do. It is most unfair likewise that they be confined in a hospital for the harmlessly insane where there are no adequate provisions for caring for them and where they are a menace to the lives of the other unfortunates committed to such institutions

Hospitals for the criminal insane have demonstrated their worth and value wherever they have been established. It is suggested that the hospital be placed under the jurisdiction of the Board of Prison Directors. The same staff of experts can then be utilized for the hospital and for the necessary psychiatric and similar examinations which should be made of all convicts in the penitentiaries. Such examinations are essential in proper penology The hospital will not only provide greatly needed security to the public and to the individuals who are afflicted, but can also be made a splendid clinic for the study of criminal insanity and cures therefor.

The cost need not be great. It can be planned and constructed on the unit system, allowing enlargement from time to time as needed The establishment of such a hospital will not only add greatly to the safety of the people of the State, but will be in accord with the finest humanitarian principles.

EXTRADITION OF WITNESSES.

The Commission recommends the adoption of a statute authorizing the Governor in proper cases to subpoena persons who are present in California, but who are material witnesses in criminal prosecutions pending in other states, to attend and testify in such proceedings; their mileage and fees must be paid by such other state. The law all over the United States is deplorably deficient through absence of provisions for securing the attendance or testimony of witnesses who have left the state If a material witness leaves a state and declines to return, there is usually no way to secure his evidence. Thus in many cases justice is completely thwarted. The proposed statute is an act of comity to assist our sister states in enforcing criminal justice. In this respect it is similar to our statutes providing for extradition of persons accused of crime If any further reason for its enactment be desired, it should be sufficient to call attention to the fact that crime is no longer localized. It has become national in its character. Every state is directly interested in the enforcement of criminal law all over the country.

The proposed statute provides in effect that the Governor of any other state of the United States may apply to the Governor of California to subpoena any person present in California to attend as a material witness in a criminal prosecution pending in said other state. If it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Governor of California that such person is a material witness in a criminal prosecution there pending, and said other state shall advance the mileage and fees for said witness, the Governor of California may issue his subpoena requiring said witness to attend and testify in said proceeding If the Governor of California be of the opinion that said witness may refuse to obey said subpoena, he may issue a warrant for said witness delivering him into the custody of an officer of said other state to be transported to the place where said proceedings are pending. The statute shall apply equally whether the attendance of the witness be desired by the people or by the defense. It is hoped that if California adopts such a statute other states will do likewise and thus promote the enforcement of justice throughout the entire country

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

As noted at the beginning of this report, certain changes necessary to proper administration of criminal justice can be brought about only through your honorable body submitting to the people, for approval by them, of certain amendments to the constitution. It is recommended that your honorable body submit to the people for their action at the general election of 1928 the following amendments:

First—One permitting the jury to consider the fact that defendant fails to take the stand in his own behalf;

Second—One empowering the Legislature to provide for the taking of depositions in criminal cases, either within or without this State;

Third—One permitting the waiver of a jury trial in felony cases where both the people and the defendant desire to make such waiver;

Fourth—One restoring the jury trial as originally known and developed by repealing the provision which prohibits the jury from receiving the benefit of any comments on the evidence by the trial court;

Fifth—One authorizing the Legislature to create new divisions of the district courts of appeal when necessary;

Sixth—One shortening the time within which the decision of a District Court of Appeal in a criminal case becomes final, from thirty days to fifteen days, allowing an additional fifteen days within which the Supreme Court may order a hearing before itself;

Seventh—One authorizing the Legislature in its discretion to provide reasonable compensation to the members of the State Board of Prison Directors and to provide for them the services of trained psychiatrists and similar experts;

Eighth—One providing that where a verdict or judgment of conviction is set aside on the application of defendant he may be retried on the original charge, irrespective of the grade or degree of crime of which he was convicted in such verdict or judgment.

These will be briefly considered in their order:

First—One Permitting the Jury to Consider the Fact That Defendant Fails to Take the Stand in His Own Behalf.

It can not too often be stated that the fundamental purpose of a criminal trial should be to arrive at the truth. If a defendant refuses to take the stand on his own behalf that is a fact in the case. Its weight may vary with circumstances, but whatever its weight it is a fact in the case. The law now provides that the jury must not consider this fact. It may well be doubted whether it is humanly possible to fail to consider it. Be that as it may, the jury should be entitled to consider it. In many cases it will materially aid in arriving at the truth.

The rule which prohibits the jury from considering this fact is probably an outgrowth of another rule long ago in force in England, which prohibited a defendant from testifying in his own behalf. The defendant not being permitted to testify, it was of course fair and just that his failure to testify should not be considered a fact in the case. The rule which forbade him to testify has long ago been discarded and he can now testify like any other witness. Strangely enough, however, we have still kept the companion rule after the reason for it has ceased to exist. In the interests of truth it should be discarded.

Second—One Empowering the Legislature to Provide for the Taking of Depositions in Criminal Cases, Either Within or Without This State.

The law now permits the defendant to take depositions but prohibits the people from doing so. This has brought about a condition that is intolerable. To illustrate: A murders B. C is the only witness. If C can be induced to leave the State of California there is no way to bring him back. His deposition can not be taken by the people and as a result the whole course of justice is thwarted and the arms of the people are paralyzed. The proposed amendment simply empowers the Legislature to provide, upon such terms and conditions as it may deem just, that the people may take depositions either within or without the State.

Third—One Permitting the Waiver of a Jury Trial in Felony Cases Where Both the People and the Defendant Desire to Make Such Waiver.

Jury trials may be waived in all civil cases and in all criminal cases except felony cases. It is submitted that there is no reason why it should not be permitted in felony cases also where both the people and the defendant desire the waiver. This is in no sense depriving any one of a jury trial, for he will have the jury trial unless he voluntarily waives it. This system has been in force for a long time in Connecticut and Maryland and has worked well. In a very considerable percentage of the cases the jury is waived. This results in a great saving of expense to the State and in considerably greater expedition in the trial of such cases.

Fourth—One Restoring the Jury Trial as Originally Known and Developed, by Repealing the Provision Which Prohibits the Jury from Receiving the Benefit of Any Comments on the Evidence by the Trial Court.

The jury trial as originally developed and as now known and conducted in all courts of the English speaking world (including the United States courts) except only the courts of some of the American states, of which California is one, is a trial by a jury which may receive the benefit of comments on the evidence by counsel for the people, counsel for the defense and by the trial court. Such comments by the court have no binding effect. The jury remains the sole judge of the facts. The comments are simply to assist the jury in arriving at the truth. Under the practice in this State, counsel for the people may comment on the evidence, counsel for the defendant may do likewise, but the jury is absolutely deprived of any comment on the evidence by the one trained and impartial man in the courtroom, namely, the judge of the trial court. His lips are sealed with a constitutional padlock, and the jury is ordered to struggle the best that it can to arrive at the truth without the benefit of any comment whatever from the trained judge whom the people have placed upon the bench. This is not the jury trial, which is one of the glories of Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence. The Supreme Court of the United States

in Capital Traction Company vs Hof, 174 U. S. 1, describes the historical jury trial, the time-hallowed institution, as follows.

> "'Trial by Jury,' in the primary and usual sense of the term at the common law and in the American constitution, is not merely a trial by a jury of twelve men before an officer vested with authority to cause them to be summoned and impaneled, to administer oaths to them and to the constable in charge, and to enter judgment and issue execution on their verdict; but it is a trial by a jury of twelve men, in the presence and under the superintendence of a judge empowered to instruct them on the law and to *advise them on the facts*, and (except on acquittal of a criminal charge) to set aside their verdict if in his opinion it is against the law or the evidence. The proposition has been so generally admitted, and so seldom contested, that there has been little occasion for its distinct assertion. Yet there are unequivocal statements of it to be found in the books." (Italics ours.)

Professor Thayer, one of the greatest commentators and jurists that this country has produced, speaking upon the same subject, says

> "It is not too much to say of any period, in all English history, that it is impossible to conceive of trial by jury as existing there in a form which would *withhold from the jury the assistance of the court in dealing with the facts*. Trial by jury, in such a form as that, is not trial by jury in any historic sense of the words. It is not the venerated institution which attracted the praise of Blackstone and of our ancestors, but something novel, modern and much less to be respected." (Italics ours.)

It is probably true that one of the main reasons for the greater efficiency of jury trials in the courts of England and of Canada and in the courts of the United States over that existing in our State courts is the fact that there the jury can receive the benefit of the comments of the trial judge. The fundamental test to be applied to this as to other questions of procedure is: What rule will be most likely to insure that the proceedings will arrive at the truth? The commission believes that, both as a matter of sound principle and by the demonstration of long experience, a jury is more likely to arrive at the truth when it is permitted to have the benefit of the comments of the trial judge upon the evidence than when it is deprived of them. One of the most important functions of citizenship is jury service. Nothing is more essential to the welfare of society than that those who serve upon a jury should return a true verdict. We draw our jurors from all walks of life. Generally speaking, they are not familiar with the processes of adducing evidence in a courtroom, the slow and somewhat cumbersome method of question and answer, the objections and arguments of counsel, and the various matters that arise in the conduct of almost every criminal case. They may listen for days, or even weeks, to the evidence. At the conclusion counsel for the people and counsel for the defense may argue to them at length (in passing, it should be noted that this argument is not to permit counsel to display their talent, but for the reason that their comments on the evidence may assist the jury in arriving at the truth). At the conclusion of it all, the jury must sift the evidence, accept this and discard that, believe this and reject that, and by its verdict arrive at the truth. Can it be denied that in the great majority of cases they will be more likely to arrive at a true verdict if they are permitted to have the benefit of the comments on the evidence not only of counsel, but also of the one trained and impartial man in the courtroom, the representative of the people of the state in a true sense, the judge upon the bench?

Objection may be made to the proposed plan on the ground that it would be possible for the trial judge to abuse his power in commenting on the evidence. It must be conceded that an occasional abuse is a possibility. There can be no power without it being possible that such power may be abused. The pardoning power, the veto power, the power to grant probation and parole, the power of city councils and boards of supervisors, of railroad commissions, of legislatures, and even of the Congress may possibly be abused and perhaps in some instances have been abused. That is no reason for destroying the power or abolishing such bodies. There is no reason to believe that the power proposed to be given to our judges would be abused to any substantial degree. Indeed, any attempted abuse of the power, any attempt to influence the jury unfairly in favor of one side or the other, would be more likely to react against the desired result. Any marked abuse of the power by a judge would probably result in his soon ceasing to be a judge.

Many of the leading jurists of our country, such men as Chief Justice Taft of the Supreme Court of the United States, Dean Roscoe Pound of Harvard Law School, and numerous others of the same caliber believe that the proposed change is not only just and wise, but essential to insure greater certainty of true verdicts in our criminal courts. The Commission appreciates, at the same time, that there are persons who sincerely fear that the proposed power might be substantially abused. The question is one of fundamental importance. It can be decided and should be decided only by one body, namely, the people of California. The Commission believes that it is only just that the people should be given an opportunity to decide. It is, therefore, recommended that the proposed amendment be submitted to the people for their decision.

Fifth—One Authorizing the Legislature to Create New Divisions of the District Courts of Appeal When Necessary

At the present time, it is necessary to amend the constitution each time it is desired to create another division of a District Court of Appeal. The state is growing so rapidly that the business of the courts has greatly increased and the present District Courts of Appeal are far behind in their calendars. It is a fundamental truth that a delay of justice is frequently a denial of justice. Your honorable body has shown that it appreciates the importance of swiftness in the administration of justice. There would seem to be no good reason why your honorable body should not have the power to create new divisions of the District Courts of Appeal when the public interest requires it.

Sixth—One Shortening the Time Within Which the Decision of a District Court of Appeal in a Criminal Case Becomes Final from Thirty Days to Fifteen Days, Allowing an Additional Fifteen Days Within Which the Supreme Court May Order a Hearing Before Itself.

At the present time a decision of a District Court of Appeal does not become final for thirty days and another thirty days then elapses during which time the Supreme Court may order the cause transferred to itself for hearing and decision. For criminal cases, at least, this time seems entirely too long. It is not consonant with the swift administration of criminal justice. An amendment, therefore, is recommended which will provide that in criminal cases the judgment of a District Court of Appeal shall become final in fifteen days after its rendition, with an additional fifteen days allowed during which time the Supreme Court may order the cause transferred to itself. Since this Commission's activities are directed toward the administration of criminal justice only, no change is recommended with regard to civil cases.

Seventh—One Authorizing the Legislature in Its Discretion to Provide Reasonable Compensation to the Members of the State Board of Prison Directors and to Provide for Them the Services of Trained Psychiatrists and Similar Experts

The present constitution (article X, section 4) provides that the members of the Board of Prison Directors shall receive no compensation, other than reasonable traveling and other expenses incurred while engaged in the performance of official duties. This was adopted in 1879 at a time when the duties of the Board of Prison Directors were very much less onerous and less important than they are now. Since that time both the indeterminate sentence law and the parole law have been passed, imposing upon the board very important duties, which were unknown at the time the constitution was adopted. Likewise, the burden of administering the prisons has greatly increased. It is recommended that a constitutional provision be submitted to the people which will reduce the number of members of the board from five to three and authorize the Legislature in its discretion to provide reasonable compensation for the members of the board, and also to furnish them necessary expert assistants, psychiatrists, psychologists, and the like. The duties now performed by this board are of great importance. If they are to be properly carried out they require a large portion of the time of the members of the board. The proposed amendment does not in itself allow the members of the board any compensation. It simply empowers the Legislature in its discretion to provide compensation.

Eighth—One Providing That Where a Verdict or Judgment of Conviction is Set Aside on the Application of Defendant He May Be Retired on the Original Charge, Irrespective of the Grade or Degree of Crime of Which He Was Convicted in Such Verdict or Judgment.

The purpose of this amendment may be illustrated by the following example: A defendant is charged with murder in the first degree. He is convicted of manslaughter. On his motion for new trial or on his appeal the judgment and verdict are set aside. It has been held that he can not again be tried on any charge more serious than manslaughter. This is based upon the theory, which is purely legalistic, that the conviction of manslaughter amounted to an acquittal of murder. The fallacy of this doctrine has been fully exposed. See for example, Trono vs. United States, 199 U. S. 521. Moreover, where a defendant causes a verdict to be set aside, it should be set aside completely and he should not be allowed to claim any protection under it. This is the policy of your honorable body as declared in section 1180 of the Penal Code as it now stands. The Commission has recommended an amendment of that section to make this policy effective. It is believed that amendment is constitutional. To avoid any possible doubt, however, this amendment to the constitution is also proposed.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Your honorable body appropriated $10,000 for the expenses of this Commission. The Commission is happy to report that it will be able to return to the treasury of this State a very substantial part of the money appropriated, probably in excess of $3,000.

CONCLUSION.

It is hoped and believed that if your honorable body sees fit to adopt the statutory changes recommended and the people of the State approve the constitutional amend-

ments, the result will be not merely greatly increased efficiency, swiftness and certainty in the administration of criminal justice in this State, but also a great reduction in the amount of crime. All past experience proves that this increased efficiency is always followed by such reduction in crime. The Commission has endeavored to do the task assigned to it, namely, to provide a more efficient system for the swift and certain administration of criminal justice. It has endeavored not to encroach upon other fields. Our studies have led us to the conclusion, however, that indispensable as it is that such a system of criminal procedure should be adopted, still this is only a part of the problem of crime. There are other very important phases. The Commission, therefore, has reached the conclusion and hereby respectfully recommends that your honorable body create a commission to study the other phases of the crime problem and report its findings and recommendations to you. Some of the important phases that it is suggested might well receive such consideration are:

First and foremost, crime prevention. Everything that can be done to prevent the commission of crime, to turn those disposed toward such a life into a life of honest effort, to take a boy or girl who is just entering upon the pathway of crime and turn his feet to the paths of rectitude is a social service and a humanitarian service of the highest order. There are vast opportunities in this field. Some methods also must be devised for segregating the hardened criminal from those who may be redeemed to become useful members of society. Too often the former become professors of crime, and our jails and penitentiaries (in spite of the best efforts of sheriffs, jailers and wardens) become institutions for education in all the arts of the criminal profession. The whole subject of crime prevention has been too long ignored in this country. This is one of the reasons for the tremendous price we are now paying. Both morally and financially it is cheaper and easier to prevent crime than to attempt to cure it.

Secondly, the matter of crime detection and the apprehension of criminals. The subject of the detection of crime is in itself a vast one. Recent scientific discoveries have opened entirely new fields without disturbing in any substantial degree fundamental principles that have long been known among experts. Those who are charged with the detection of crime should be given the best education in their profession and furnished with all the facilities which the scientific world affords. The matter of the apprehension of criminals is also one where much improvement can be made. The criminal pays no attention to artificial boundaries, whether of city, county or state. Too often our officials charged with the apprehension of criminals are bound down, hampered and limited by such lines. Such a commission as is recommended might be able to evolve a plan which would result in far greater efficiency than we now have in the fields of detection and apprehension.

Third, another subject worthy of careful and complete study is that of Penology. Among other things this might involve a complete survey of our jail system, our reformatories, our penitentiaries, our road camps, and kindred institutions. An important question for consideration is that of giving to convicts in our institutions some kind of training, technical or otherwise, to fit them to earn an honest livelihood after they are released. Another subject worthy of consideration is whether the State can be of greater assistance in helping released convicts to secure employment and keeping some check of their activities for a reasonable time after their release.

The foregoing observations are made not with the idea of expressing an opinion on any of the subjects, but as indicating the great necessity of such a commission as that recommended, the wide scope which its activities may well take and the great public benefits which may result.

Such a commission should be adequately financed. If objection be raised to the State spending the necessary money, it may be worth while to note that it is estimated the cost of crime to the United States is ten billions of dollars each year. Just what is the cost to the State of California can not be accurately stated, but it is fair to assume that we bear at least our fair proportion of this tremendous total. Bearing in mind the human and social, as well as the financial, cost of crime, it would seem doubtful whether money could be better expended than in ameliorating these conditions. Certainly no greater humanitarian service can be rendered.

The problem of crime is probably the most vital one now confronting our State and our nation. All our citizens, whatever their walk in life, their race, their color, their vocation or their political beliefs are equally subject to this menace. All are equally concerned in preserving the lives of their loved ones and themselves, in securing the sanctity of their homes and the security of the property accumulated by their toil. Serious as is the problem of crime, it is by no means a hopeless one. If we meet it with true American courage and determination the problem will be solved and the lives, homes and property of our citizens will be made safe and secure.

Respectfully submitted.

WALTER K. TULLER, Chairman.
THOMAS M. GANNON,
JNO. U. CALKINS, JR.,
Commissioners.

Attest: F. W. FELLOWS, Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

Agriculture—Jost (Chairman), Bernard, Duval, Crittenden, Deuel, Finley, Fisher, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, McPherson, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Snyder, Hedges, Anderson, D. P.

Attaches—Reindollar (Chairman), Jacobson, Morrison, Easley, Byrne, McDonough, Walters.

Banking—Williamson (Chairman), Croter, Hawes, Miller, James A., Spalding, Parkman, Reindollar, Byrne, Woolwine.

Building and Loan Associations—Roberts (Chairman), Crawford, Spalding, Davis, Anderson, D. P., Sewell, Wright.

Civil Service—Crawford (Chairman), Adams, Nielsen, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J.; Badham, Bernard, Brock, Lenehan

Claims—Williams (Chairman), Keaton, Anderson, D. P., Baum, Burns, Miller, Eleanor.

Commerce and Navigation—Scofield (Chairman), Oliva, Keaton, Morrison, Walters, Miller, James A., Parkman, Fisher, Bishop.

Conservation—Noyes (Chairman), Ball, Mixter, Williams, Murphy, Anderson, Roscoe J.; Badham, Clowdsley.

Constitutional Amendments—Anderson, Roscoe J. (Chairman), Coombs, Spalding, Kelsey, Miller, Eleanor; West, Fisher, Croter, Mixter

Contested Elections—Bishop (Chairman), Baum, Smith, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Eddy, Foster.

Contingent Expenses—Melville (Chairman), Fry, Nielsen, Eddy, Williams.

Corporations—Gant (Chairman), Byrne, Brock, Clowdsley, Little, Scudder, Witter, Woolwine, Hedges.

County Government—Rochester (Chairman), Adams, Brock, Dillinger, Clowdsley, Deuel, Leymel, McPherson, Murphy, Smith, Snyder, Eddy, Hedges, Jewett, Keaton.

Direct Legislation—Parkman (Chairman), Brock, Dillinger, Foster, Jost, Lenehan, Nielsen.

Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands—Easley (Chairman), Clowdsley, Crittenden, Noyes, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Miller, Eleanor; Adams, Kelsey, Duval, Eddy, Fisher.

Education—Byrne (Chairman), Williamson, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Lenehan, Rochester, Roberts, Woodbridge, Melville, Reindollar, Adams, McDonough, Crawford.

Elections—Adams (Chairman), Feigenbaum, Flynn, Roberts, Woolwine, Scudder, Little, Mixter, Wemple, Nielsen, Witter

Engrossment and Enrollment—Woodbridge (Chairman), Baum, Deuel, Dillinger, Hedges.

Federal Relations—Witter (Chairman), Jones, Bernard, Fry, Gant, Jewett, Kelsey.

Fish and Game—Oliva (Chairman), Gant, Snyder, Roberts, Burns, Fry, Jost, Finley, Murphy, Melville, Jespersen, Easley, Coombs, Clowdsley, Hedges.

Governmental Efficiency and Economy—Feigenbaum (Chairman), Adams, Crittenden, Jacobson, Miller, Eleanor; Spalding, West, Snyder, Crawford, Scudder, Ball.

Governmental Revenues and Expenditures—Bernard (Chairman), Carter, Flynn, Noyes, Coombs, Morrison, Hedges, Jespersen, Hornblower.

Hospitals and Asylums—Morrison (Chairman), Brock, Coombs, Gant, Scofield, Lyons, Davis, Scudder, Sewell, Woolwine, Roberts, Roland, Wemple.

Insurance—Roland (Chairman), Rochester, Jacobson, Jewett, Carter, Jost, Cloudman, Keaton, Parkman, Patterson, Williams.

Introduction of Bills—Jewett (Chairman), Wemple, Foster.

Irrigation—Mixter (Chairman), Bernard, Murphy, Woodbridge, Noyes, Patterson, West, Jost, Ball, Clowdsley, Dillinger, Eddy, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Finley, Jewett, Leymel, McPherson, Jespersen.

Judiciary—Jacobson (Chairman), Williamson, Anderson, Roscoe J.; Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Feigenbaum, Finley, Kelsey, Hornblower, Jones, Lyons, Miller, James A., Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, West, Woolwine, Little.

Labor and Capital—McDonough (Chairman), Duval, Woodbridge, Foster, Flynn, Burns, Little, Hornblower, Byrne, Eddy, Davis, Bishop, Crittenden.

Libraries—Spalding (Chairman), Badham, Baum, Davis, Scofield, Finley,

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Live Stock and Dairies—Fisher (Chairman), Jewett, Jost, Scudder, Wemple, Hedges, Murphy, Ball, Melville, Mixter, Heisinger.

Manufactures—Burns (Chairman), Davis, Bishop, Dillinger, Hornblower, McDonough, Scofield.

Medical and Dental Laws—Lenehan (Chairman), Lyons, Ball, Davis, Fry, Smith, Wright, Woolwine, West.

Mileage—Flynn (Chairman), Badham, Leymel, Ball, Dillinger.
Military Affairs—Patterson (Chairman), McPherson, Woolwine, Wright, Jewett, Anderson, D. P., Leymel, Lyons, Jespersen.
Mines and Mining—Cloudman (Chairman), Woodbridge, Dillinger, Williams, Wemple, Patterson, Noyes, Jespersen, Bernard.
Motor Vehicles—Nielsen (Chairman), Jones, Smith, Duval, Morrison, Jacobson, Sewell, Croter, Lyons, Hawes, Badham, Fry, Finley, Jespersen, Scofield, Cloudman, Miller, James A., Deuel, Oliva, Williams, Spalding.
Municipal Corporations—Woolwine (Chairman), Byrne, Jones, Rochester, Kelsey, Brock, McDonough, Williamson, Jacobson, Sewell, Walters, Carter, Little.
Oil Industries—Foster (Chairman), Duval, Bishop, Crawford, Easley, Parkman, Patterson, Smith, Scofield.
Prisons and Reformatories—Kelsey (Chairman), Hawes, Hedges, Flynn, Wright, Little, Leymel, Hornblower, Fry, Jewett, Carter, Davis, Reindollar.
Public Charities and Corrections—Finley (Chairman), Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Little, _____
Public Health and Quarantine—Fry (Chairman), Parkman, Roberts, Wemple, Wright, Flynn, Croter, Keaton, Woodbridge.
Public Morals—Anderson, D. P. (Chairman), Miller, Eleanor; Croter, Spalding, Rochester, Burns, Hawes, Little, Sewell, Brock, Easley.
Public Utilities—Miller, James A. (Chairman), Easley, Crawford, Jacobson, Walters, Mixter, Bishop, Oliva, Hawes, Patterson, Reindollar.
Reapportionment—Crittenden (Chairman), Snyder, Coombs, Bernard, Deuel, Heisinger, Scudder, Sewell, Dillinger, Brock, Gant, Flynn, Feigenbaum, Burns, Roland, Roberts, Lyons, Cloudman, Hornblower, Smith, Keaton.
Revenue and Taxation—West (Chairman), Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Miller, James A., Roland, Wright, Reindollar, Williamson, Heisinger, Fisher, Anderson, Roscoe J., Carter, Lyons, Deuel, Parkman.
Revision and Printing—Duval (Chairman), McPherson, Noyes, Witter, _____.
Revision of Criminal Procedure—Hornblower (Chairman), Snyder, Clowdsley, Carter, Feigenbaum, Rochester, Deuel.
Roads and Highways—Hawes (Chairman), Melville, Byrne, Heisinger, Oliva, Jones, Morrison, Witter, Wright, Lenehan, Burns, Easley, Snyder, Foster, Nielsen.
Rules—Jones (Chairman), Williamson, Feigenbaum, Little, Walters, Levey, Roland.
Soldiers and Sailors Affairs—Keaton (Chairman), Nielsen, Patterson, Jacobson, Lenehan, Leymel, Feigenbaum, Rochester, Williamson, Anderson, Roscoe J.; Walters, Miller, James A., Scudder.
State Grounds and Parks—Walters (Chairman), McPherson, Witter, Miller, Eleanor, Smith, Leymel, _____
Teachers' Colleges—Snyder (Chairman), Deuel, Miller, Eleanor, Spalding, Lenehan, Melville, Scudder.
Universities—Croter (Chairman), Cloudman, Badham, Kelsey, Roland, Roberts, Williamson.
Ways and Means—Wright (Chairman), Reindollar, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Duval, Eddy, Fry, Heisinger, Ball, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Scofield, Adams, Melville, Mixter, Parkman, Anderson, D. P., Woodbridge.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Jones moved that the committee appointments of the Speaker be confirmed.

Motion carried.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of December, 1926;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Approving five amendments to charter of the city of Pasadena, a municipal corporation in the county of Los Angeles.

State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election, held therein, on the second day of November, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Roland asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIVE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of December, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No 5 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J.; Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Miss Miller asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, at this time, without reference to committee

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 6—Approving five amendments to charter of the city of Pasadena, a municipal corporation in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election, held therein, on the second day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 ordered transmitted to the Senate

Also

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Burbank, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Burbank at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the fourth day of January, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By ALBERT BRADY, Chief Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 ordered to printer, and enrollment.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to canvassing vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the eleventh day of January, 1927, at 12 o'clock and 20 minutes p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No 1—Relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the eleventh day of January, 1927, at 12 o'clock and 20 minutes p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Burns and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to the duties of grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Lyons, Smith and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 77—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Weed to Calor, near the Oregon state line to be a State highway, providing for the construction of the same and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices, vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities, kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent

of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

Referred to Committee on Rules

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 82—An act to authorize the making of a survey and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to regulate the closing and locking of doors of motor vehicles operated for the purpose of carrying passengers for compensation or hire and provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 85—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of

its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' approved June 3, 1921, by adding a new section to be known as section 6*a* relating to the tax on the personal property of non-residents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Carter, the consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was made a special order for Monday, January 17, 1927, at eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No 8—Approving eleven certain amendments to the charter of the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Los Angeles at a special municipal election held therein on the second day of November, 1926

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Woolwine asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No 8, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Approving eleven certain amendments to the charter of the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Los Angeles at a special municipal election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Friday, January 14, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January 14, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Messrs. Fry and Lenehan were granted leave of absence for the day

On motion of Mr Davis, Mr Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day

On motion of Mr. Wright, Mr. Spalding was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Smith, Messrs. Croter and McDonough were granted leave of absence for the day.

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

On motion of Mr Deuel, Mr. Parkman was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. James A. Miller, Mr. Percy V. Long, former city attorney of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. George M. Wallace of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. Edmund Welch of El Centro, President, Niland Water District, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Miss Anna McSweeney and Mrs. J. A. Martin of Santa Cruz were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Earl Warren, district attorney of Alameda County; J. Paul St. Sure, deputy district attorney of Alameda County, and Eugene R. Duketter of Oakland, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Heisinger:

PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA, January 12, 1927.

Hon. S. L. Heisinger,
State Legislature,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR ASSEMBLYMAN: I noticed in the Fresno Bee a bill which you are going to present and I sincerely trust you will get it through.

The penalties on our taxes are an outrage and from the statement which I am enclosing you will see that the Tulare County court house should have three balls on its front instead of being a hall of justice.

This man has a family to keep and his orange grove has not even paid expenses and he was unable to meet these taxes. He gave a chattel mortgage for them this year and while he has not received full return from his crop, it will not pay more than one-half of the mortgage.

Will you kindly return this statement to me after you have gone over it, and if it is of any benefit to you, you may take a copy to have for your personal use.

I want to congratulate you on the taking up of a matter of this nature. As you can readily see, it is a highway robbery and a man with a little twenty acres and a family to keep, paying probably twice as much tax as the average tax payer, for he has no way to cover up anything, and has a big mortgage on this property, so you can see the amount he is paying on his equity is simply awful.

Our good State has a law that would cancel this debt and put the parties making this charge in disgrace, but for the State of California to charge a man 45% penalty, charge him interest and costs, is an outrage, and if you will take this statement year by year you will find that the penalties, interests, costs, etc., are nearly as much as the original tax. In other words, the great State of California has practically doubled its money in four years.

I want to congratulate you on your efforts, and trust you may put the bill through unanimously.

Respectfully yours, W. E. SIMPSON.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Los Angeles Times—Cleaves A. Jones
New Age-Dispatch—Marvin L. Arnold.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 2—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Santa Barbara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Santa Barbara upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of November, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out) WOOLWINE, Chairman.
JACOBSON.
CARTER.
BYRNE.
JONES
KELSEY.
ROCHESTER.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Finley asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWO.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving the charter of the city of Santa Barbara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Santa Barbara, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

JONES, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly.

Resolution read.

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 8.

Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the following be adopted as the joint rules of the two houses of the Legislature for its forty-seventh session:

JOINT RULES OF SENATE AND ASSEMBLY.

COMMITTEES AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

Standing Committees.

1. Subject to the right of either house to appoint additional committees, the following standing committees shall be appointed in the Senate and Assembly, the number of members and the manner of selection to be determined by the rules of each house:

(1) Agriculture.
(2) Banking.
(3) Building and Loan Associations.
(4) Civil Service.
(5) Commerce and Navigation.
(6) Conservation.
(7) Corporations.
(8) Constitutional Amendments.
(9) County Government.
(10) Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.
(11) Education.
(12) Elections.
(13) Federal Relations.
(14) Finance in the Senate and Ways and Means in the Assembly.
(15) Fish and Game.
(16) Hospitals and Asylums.
(17) Insurance.
(18) Irrigation.
(19) Judiciary.
(20) Labor and Capital.
(21) Manufactures.

(22) Military Affairs.
(23) Mines and Mining.
(24) Municipal Corporations.
(25) Oil Industries.
(26) Prisons and Reformatories.
(27) Public Health and Quarantine.
(28) Public Morals.
(29) Public Utilities.
(30) Revenue and Taxation.
(31) Roads and Highways.
(32) Rules.

Joint Committees.

2. Joint standing committees of Senate and Assembly shall be appointed as follows:

(1) Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of three (3) members from the Senate and five (5) from the Assembly.

(2) Committee on Joint Rules, to consist of the members of the rules committee of each house.

Joint Meeting of Committees.

3. Whenever any bill has been referred by the Senate to one of its committees, and the same or a like bill has been referred by the Assembly to one of its committees, the chairmen of the respective committees, when in their judgment the interests of legislation or the expedition of business will be better served thereby, shall arrange for a joint meeting of their committees for the consideration of such bill.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Scope of Word "Bill."

4. Whenever the word "bill" is used in these rules it shall include constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions.

Joint and Concurrent Resolutions.

5. Joint resolutions are those which relate to matters connected with the federal government. All other resolutions relating to matters to be treated by both houses of the Legislature are concurrent resolutions.

Resolutions Treated as Bills.

6. Joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments shall be treated in all respects as bills; except that they shall be read but one time in each house and that they shall not be deemed bills within the meaning of section 2 of article IV of the constitution, and shall not be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills, and shall not require a vote to authorize their introduction. As in the case of bills, they shall be engrossed in the house in which they originate before being voted upon.

PREPARATION AND INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Title of Bill.

7. The title of every bill introduced shall convey an accurate idea of the contents of the bill and shall be indicative of the scope of the act and the object to be accomplished. In amending a code section, the mere reference to the section by number shall not be deemed sufficient.

Division of Bill Into Sections.

8. Bills amending more than one section of existing laws shall contain a separate section for each section amended.

Bills which are not amendatory of existing laws shall be divided into short sections, where this can be done without destroying the sense of any particular section, to the end that future amendments may be made without the necessity of setting forth and repeating sections of unnecessary length.

Changes from Existing Laws to Be Marked by Author.

9. In case of a bill amending a code section, or general law, all omissions must be shown by the insertion of heavy parentheses or brackets without including the omitted matter; all additions must be shown by underlining the new matter. When printed, the new matter so underlined shall be enclosed in heavy brackets in the printed bill and also heavy brackets shall be retained to show omissions.

Committee on Revision and Printing to Examine Bills When Introduced.

10. Unless otherwise ordered by the house in which the bill was introduced, all bills before being printed shall be immediately sent to the Committee on Revision and Printing, which shall examine the bill, with the aid of the Legislative Counsel Bureau. The committee, by and with the written assent of the author filed with it, shall have authority to correct any clerical error such as in orthography, adding or correcting the enacting clause, mistakes in numbering sections and refences thereto, errors in grammar, phraseology, or in the form of the bill; *provided,* that no bill which bears the stamp of the Legislative Counsel Bureau showing that before introduction it has been examined as to form, shall be sent to the Committee on Revision and Printing.

NOTE—The submission of bill copy to Legislative Counsel Bureau for approval of form before introduction will expedite its course.

Bills Introduced to Indicate Changes in Existing Laws.

11. The Committee on Revision and Printing shall see to it that rules 7 and 9 of these joint rules are observed by the author, and that the bill shall not be sent to the printer until the provisions of these rules have been carried out

Reports of Committee on Revision and Printing

12. The Committee on Revision and Printing shall return to the Secretary of the Senate or Chief Clerk of the Assembly all bills in the order in which they were sent to it, but shall not retain any bill for longer than three legislative days, unless otherwise ordered.

Endorsement of Date of Introduction.

13. Bills introduced in either house shall be endorsed with the date of introduction.

PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTION OF BILLS.

Manner of Printing Bills, etc.

14. The State Printer shall observe the following directions in printing all bills, constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions:

(*a*) The body of such bills and resolutions shall be printed in solid unspaced form so that the same type shall be used both before and after enrollment.

(*b*) All titles of bills, resolutions, etc., shall be set in italics, statute form, and the length of the lines used in the titles shall not exceed that of the body of the bill.

(*c*) The lines of all printed bills shall be numbered by page and not by sections, and amendments shall be identified by reference to title, page and line only; *provided, however*, that concurrent resolutions approving city or county or city and county charters or amendments thereto may be set in smaller type and without line numbers.

(*d*) Enrolled bills may be inclosed in stock cover.

Printing of Amendments.

15. All bills amended by either house shall be immediately reprinted, in the case new matter is added by the amendment such new matter shall be printed in italics in the printed bill, and in the case of matter being omitted, the matter to be omitted shall be printed in type bearing a horizontal line through the center, and commonly known as "strike out" type. When a bill is amended in either house, the first or previous markings shall be omitted. When a bill amendatory of a code section is engrossed, all figures or symbols shall be removed

Distribution of Bills During Constitutional Recess.

16. All requests for mailing or distribution by the members shall be filed with the Secretary of the Senate or Chief Clerk of the Assembly, who shall compile the same with the elimination of duplication as a general mailing list. The distribution of bills, constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions shall be systemized as follows: Members' clerks and legislative officers' files, one hundred fifty full sets; to authors, fifty copies of their own bills; accredited newspaper representatives, twenty-five; to public and law libraries, newspapers, county officials, and other civic, commercial, fraternal or industrial organizations as the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly may compile from the recommendations of the members of both houses, one thousand two hundred copies, to State officers, State Library and Secretary of State, two hundred copies; to legislative committees, bill room files and public requests—confined to single copies of bills designated—one thousand copies. The State Printer shall cause to be printed in the standard form adopted by the Senate and the Assembly as many copies of all bills, constitutional amendments and joint or concurrent resolutions as may be necessary to conform to the provisions of this rule.

A similar number and distribution shall be made of the Semi-final History and Final Calendar.

Distribution of Bills After Constitutional Recess

17. Following the recess, new bills introduced shall be forwarded to the public libraries and law libraries only, and one copy each of amended bills as may be requested. Weekly Histories and Journals shall be distributed generally, following the recess, upon such schedule as the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly may designate.

OTHER LEGISLATIVE PRINTING

Printing of the Daily Journal.

18. The State Printer shall print one thousand copies of the Journal of each day's proceedings of each house; at the end of the session he shall also print a sufficient number of copies, properly paged after being corrected and indexed by the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to bind in book form as the Journal of the respective houses of the Legislature as required by law

What Shall Be Printed in the Journal.

19 The following shall always be printed in the Journal of each house

(*a*) Messages from the Governor and messages from the other house, and the titles of all bills, joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments when introduced in, offered to, or acted upon by the house, and the title and text of joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments when adopted by the house, *provided*, that in the case of a concurrent resolution approving the

adoption of a charter or charter amendments of any kind, the text of such charter or charter amendments need not be printed in the Journal.

(b) Every vote taken in the house, and a statement of the contents of each petition, memorial, or paper presented to the house

(c) A true and accurate account of the proceedings of the house, when not acting as a committee of the whole.

Printing of the Daily File.

20. A daily file of bills ready for consideration shall be printed each day for each house, and copies of the file of each house shall be distributed each day to all of the members of both houses.

Printing of History

21 Each house shall cause to be printed on Monday of each week, during the session, a complete History of all bills, joint or concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments originating in, or acted upon by the respective houses.

Such History shall show the action taken upon each measure up to and including the legislative day preceding its issuance

For each legislative day intervening there shall be printed a Supplementary History showing the action taken upon any measure since the issuance of the complete History A regular form shall be prescribed and no other form shall be used

Immediately following the adjournment for the constitutional recess the History shall be compiled and printed to date of recess.

Authority for Printing Orders

22 The Superintendent of State Printing shall not print for use of either house any matter other than provided by law or by these rules, except upon a written order signed by the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Clerk of the Assembly. The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly may also, when necessity requires it, order certain matter printed in advance of the regular order, by the issuance of a rush order

RECORD OF BILLS

Secretary and Chief Clerk to Keep Register

23 The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly shall keep a register, in which shall be recorded every action taken by the Senate and Assembly on every bill, concurrent or joint resolution, or constitutional amendment.

Secretary and Chief Clerk Shall Endorse Bills

24 The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly shall endorse on every original bill a statement of any action taken by the Senate and Assembly.

ACTION IN ONE HOUSE ON BILL TRANSMITTED FROM THE OTHER.

Bills Read and Referred to Committee

25 When a Senate bill has been received by the Assembly or an Assembly bill by the Senate, with a message announcing that the same has passed the Senate or Assembly, such bill shall be read the first time by the Secretary or the Chief Clerk and referred to a standing committee by the presiding officer, unless otherwise ordered by the house

After a Bill Has Been Passed by the Senate or Assembly

26. When a bill (if it be a Senate bill) has been received from the Senate by the Assembly, after its passage, or (if it be an Assembly bill) has been received from the Assembly by the Senate after its passage, it shall be taken up by the Senate or Assembly, as the case may be, under the regular order of business ("Senate messages" or "Assembly messages"), read the first time, unless otherwise ordered by the house, and shall then be assigned to the proper committee, unless otherwise ordered, who shall act upon the same as soon as practicable, and report the same back to the Senate or Assembly forthwith, and the chairman of each committee is charged with observance of this rule

Special File

27. On the second day after the close of the recess provided for in section 2, article IV of the constitution, the Senate and Assembly shall each adopt and provide a special file upon which shall be placed In the Senate, only Assembly bills that have passed the Assembly, and in the Assembly, only Senate bills that have passed the Senate. Such special file shall be taken up at two o'clock p.m of each day in the Assembly and at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of each day in the Senate and be considered at least one hour and a half after being so taken up unless its consideration shall be completed in a lesser period of time This rule shall not be suspended in either house except by a three-fourths vote of such house.

REPORTS FROM ONE HOUSE TO THE OTHER AS TO ACTION ON BILL

Bill or Resolution in One House, Rejected in the Other, Requires Notice.

28. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one house is rejected by the other notice thereof shall be given immediately to the house in which the same shall have passed.

Each House to Transmit Papers

29. Each house shall transmit to the other papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

Notices to Be in Writing Under Proper Signatures.

30. Notice of the action of either house to the other shall be in writing, and under the signature of the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Clerk of the house from which such notice is to be conveyed.

Secretary, Chief Clerk, etc., to Dispatch Messages.

31. Messages shall be sent to the other house by an officer or attache to be designated by the Secretary, if it be a Senate message, or by the Chief Clerk, if it be an Assembly message.

Messages Must Be Announced by the Sergeant-at-Arms.

32. When a message shall be sent from either house it shall be announced at the door by the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall be respectfully communicated to the presiding officer by the person by whom it may be sent

PASSAGE AND ENROLLING OF BILLS.

Passage of Bills Taking Effect Immediately.

33. Each house shall act in the usual course upon all bills that may be made to take effect immediately, under the provisions of section 1, article IV of the constitution.

Passage of Urgency Provisions in Bills.

34. Upon the third reading of an act which is an urgency measure within the meaning of section 1, article IV of the State constitution, the presiding officer shall direct that the section of said act setting forth the facts constituting the necessity for such urgency (which shall be known as the urgency section) be then read and put to vote. The question shall be thus stated: "Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?" If upon such final vote two-thirds of all the members elected to the house in which the vote is being taken shall not vote in the affirmative, no further action shall be taken on the bill; but, in case an identical bill without such an emergency clause be again introduced into such house, such bill shall be placed on file without reference to any committee.

Passage of Bills Preceding Final Adjournment

35. No Senate bill shall be passed by the Senate and no Assembly bill shall be passed by the Assembly within seven days of the time set for adjournment sine die of the two houses of the Legislature, unless permission to vote on such bill shall be granted by a three-fourths vote of the house of its origin after being recommended by the presiding officer thereof.

Enrollment of Bill After Passage

36. After a bill shall have passed both houses, it shall be duly enrolled after being carefully compared, by the engrossing and enrolling clerk and committee of the house in which it originated, with the engrossed bill, as passed in the two houses. It shall then receive the signatures provided for in joint rule 37, and be presented to the Governor of the State

Enrolling Committee to Present Bills to Governor.

37. After a bill shall have been thus passed in each house, it shall be presented by the engrossing and enrolling committee of the house in which it originated to the Governor of the State for his approval (it being first endorsed by the presiding officers of the two houses, and by the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly). The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor, which time shall be carefully entered on the Journal of the house in which the bill originated.

AMENDMENTS AND CONFERENCES

Amendments to Amended Bills Must Be Attached.

38. Whenever a bill or resolution which shall have been passed in one house shall be amended in the other, it shall immediately be reprinted as amended by the house making such amendment or amendments. Such amendment or amendments shall be attached to the bill or resolution so amended, and indorsed "adopted," and such amendment or amendments, if concurred in by the house in which such bill or resolution originated, shall be indorsed "concurred in," and such indorsement shall be signed by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Senate, or the Chief Clerk or Assistant Clerk of the Assembly, as the case may be; *provided, however,* that an amendment to the title of a bill adopted after the passage of such bill shall not necessitate reprinting, but such amendment must be concurred in by the house in which such bill originated.

To Concur or Refuse to Concur in Amendments

39. In case the Senate amend and pass an Assembly bill or the Assembly amend and pass a Senate bill, the Senate (if it be a Senate bill) or the Assembly (if it be an Assembly bill) must either "concur" or "refuse to concur" in the amendments. If the Senate concur (if it be a Senate bill), or the Assembly concur (if it be an Assembly bill), the Secretary or Chief Clerk shall notify the house making the amendments and the bill shall be ordered to enrollment.

When Senate or Assembly Refuse to Concur.

40. If the Senate refuse to concur (if it be a Senate bill), or the Assembly refuse to concur (if it be an Assembly bill), the Secretary or the Chief Clerk shall notify

the house making the amendments of such refusal, and ask that they recede from their amendments. If they refuse to recede, the presiding officer shall appoint a committee of three (3) on conference and the Secretary or the Chief Clerk shall immediately notify the other house of the action taken and request the appointment of a like committee. Two of the members comprising such committee from each house shall be selected from those voting with the majority on the point about which the difference has arisen, and the other member from each house of such committee shall be selected from the minority, in the event there is a minority vote. The first Senator named on the conference committee shall act as chairman of the committee from the Senate, and the first Assemblyman named on such committee shall act as chairman of the committee from the House, and the chairman thus selected shall arrange the time and place of all meetings and prepare or direct the preparation of reports. The Committee on Conference shall report to both the Senate and Assembly.

Committee on Conference.

41. In every case of an amendment of a bill agreed to in one house and dissented from in the other, if either house shall request a conference and appoint a committee to confer, the other house shall appoint a like committee; and such committee shall meet at a convenient hour, to be agreed upon by the respective chairmen of the committees.

Committee on Free Conference.

42. If the conference fail to agree or either house refuse to adopt the report of the committee, a Committee on Free Conference shall then be appointed, which shall consist of three members from each house, to be constituted and appointed in the same manner as a Committee on Conference. The Committee on Free Conference is hereby directed to include in its report any amendments which it may adopt as a committee, and such amendments shall be attached to the bill.

The report of the Committee on Free Conference shall not be subject to amendment, and if either house refuse to adopt such report the conferees may be discharged and other conferees appointed.

It shall require the affirmative vote of not less than four of the members constituting the committee to agree upon a report. No member who has served on a Committee on Conference shall be appointed a member of a Committee on Free Conference on the same bill.

When Conference Committee Report Is in Order.

43. The presentation of the report of a committee on conference or free conference shall always be in order, except when the Journal is being read or a question of order or a motion to adjourn is pending, or during roll call, and, when received, the question of proceeding to the consideration of the report, if raised, shall be immediately passed upon, and shall be determined without debate.

Miscellaneous Provisions.

44. The Committee on Joint Rules shall be empowered to compile a list of suggestions as to the form of bills and resolutions prepared for introduction into the Legislature.

Press Rules.

45. A person desiring recognition by the Senate or Assembly as a newspaper correspondent shall make application in writing to the President of the Senate or Speaker of the Assembly.

(*a*) The applicant shall state in writing the name of the newspaper or newspapers he represents and that he is not engaged and will not become engaged as a lobbyist for any person, copartnership, corporation or interest and that he is not and will not become the agent or representative of any person, copartnership, organization or corporation in advocating or attempting to defeat any measure pending in either branch of the Legislature, that he is not employed in any executive, administrative or legislative department of the State government and will not become so employed while accepting the privileges of a press representative.

(*b*) It shall be the duty of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly to assign one or more rooms for the exclusive use of correspondents during the legislative session, which room shall be known as the press room. The press room shall be under the control of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds; *provided*, that all rules and regulations shall be approved by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the Assembly.

Adjournment.

46. Adjournment for the constitutional recess and adjournment sine die shall be made only by concurrent resolution; and the resolution for adjournment sine die shall be passed by both houses at least fourteen days before the date of such adjournment.

Joint Address to Governor.

47. When the Senate and Assembly shall judge it proper to make a joint address to the Governor, it shall be presented to him in his audience chamber by the President of the Senate in the presence of the Speaker of the Assembly and a select committee of six members from each house appointed by the respective presiding officers.

Dispensing With Joint Rules.

48. No joint rule shall be dispensed with except by a vote of two-thirds of each house; and joint rules twenty-seven and thirty-five can be dispensed with only in the manner provided for in said joint rules. If either house shall violate a joint rule a question of order may be raised in the other house and decided in the same manner as in the case of the violation of the rules of such house; and if it shall be decided that the joint rules have been violated, the bill involving such violation shall be returned to the house in which it originated, without further action. Or, at the option of such house, the President or Speaker may direct the Secretary or the Chief Clerk to mark the section or sections in conflict with the rules as nonconcurred in or negatived.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as a case of urgency, Senate Bill No. 29—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness, and providing for a levy of taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds, and making same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 29 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 read, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 89—An act to amend section 1308 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to probate wills.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to appeals to superior courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to amend section 264 of the Penal Code relating to crimes against the person.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act declaring and establishing a State highway from a point near Chester in Plumas County to a point on the boundary line of Lassen Volcanic National Park near Drakesbad.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjuged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of nonresident indigents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 94—An act declaring the county road in El Dorado County, extending from Cool, through Georgetown and Wentworth Springs to Lake Tahoe, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322x18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the County Horticultural Commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 97—An act to amend sections 2 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and

adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, relating to the powers of such boards to employ a county forester, deputy county forester, and to fix their salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 98—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to reconstruct and repave the uncompleted section of the existing State highway, which extends from the town of Rio Vista, Solano County, to the town of Fairfield, Solano County, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns: for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereof; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work: for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work." approved May 23, 1921, relating to objections to work.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Nielsen, Coombs and Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 100—An act to appropriate money for the erection of an additional building or buildings and for other improvements at the Veterans' Home at Yountville.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to add a new section to be numbered 335*a* to the Code of Civil Procedure and to amend section 337 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the time in which actions must be commenced.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 102—An act creating a board of examiners to examine and license barbers; prescribing its duties; providing for a license to barbers to practice their trade or calling, and providing punishment for a violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported, and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof, relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts, and declaring the same an urgency measure.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr Williams: Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 738*c*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his payroll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No 107—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of the counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*b*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 111—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*h*, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining, or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved March 3, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1083*a*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Porterville, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein on the fifth day of October, 1926.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to investigation by the Legislature of the national and artificial water and resting places for migratory water fowl and wild life and to proposed formation of certain game preserves.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Monday, January 3, 1927; Tuesday, January 4, 1927; Wednesday, January 5, 1927; Thursday, January 6, 1927; Friday, January 7, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock, m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Monday, January 17, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 17, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Easley was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Bruce Mason of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. Fred Frank of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Hon. George Ashley of Lodi, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, Major Percy Church of Fresno, Department Commander, Disabled American Veterans of State of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Melville, Mrs. Grace Borrows, editor of Fort Bragg News, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. P. B. Goss of Roseville, Director Sacramento Region, Citizen Council, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. A. B. Gray, field secretary Sacramento Regional Council, Inc., and secretary El Dorado Chamber of Commerce, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. H. D. Jerrett of Sacramento, attorney for Highway Commission, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Chief Clerk:

SANTA CLARA AVENUE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA, January 11, 1926.

Secretary of the California State Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: The San Francisco Methodist Ministers Association, at its regular meeting yesterday, passed the following resolution and desired me, through you, to bring it to the attention of the Assembly:

Believing that the law known as the California Anti-syndicalism Law is contrary to the constitutionally guaranteed rights of American citizens, and contrary to the fundamental principles upon which democracy is built, we, the San Francisco

Methodist Ministers Meeting, petition the California Legislature to repeal the Anti-syndicalism Law now in force in California.

H. H. FROST, President.

J. W. BYRD, Secretary.

By Mr. West:

WHEREAS, There has been introduced in the State Legislature of California, a bill to pass a so-called daylight saving law; and

WHEREAS, We believe that agriculture and horticulture are two of the basic industries of California; and

WHEREAS, We believe that the passage of such a law would work a hardship and be detrimental to these industries, and as it would have a tendency to disorganize transportation, industrial and agricultural operations; and

WHEREAS, Congress in its wisdom saw fit to repeal the so-called national daylight saving law; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Sacramento Grange No. 12, at its regular meeting held on Saturday, January 15, 1927, goes on record as opposing any and all efforts of the California State Legislature to pass a law changing standard time. We demand that standard time be maintained; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Sacramento Bee, Sacramento Union, and to the representatives in the Legislature from this county, Senator Inman, and Assemblymen Percy West and Roy Nielsen.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

SUMMARY REPORT ON THE WATER RESOURCES OF CALIFORNIA.

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

January 1, 1927.

To the Members of the Legislature.
State of California, Session of 1927.

In accordance with chapter 477 of the 1925 Statutes, I have the honor to transmit herewith the concluding report on six years of investigation of the water resources and of the present and future requirements for water in California.

As the result of this extensive study, a plan has been prepared for coordinating the development and use of water for all purposes to secure the greatest public advantage. This plan is presented as the most feasible engineering solution for the coordination of the several uses of water and the means by which California may obtain the water necessary for future development.

The plan is very broad in its scope. It deals primarily with the larger areas deficient in local supply that require the importation of water from distant sources for their full development It is necessarily based upon the beneficial use of all water. It involves many problems of execution that could be considered at this time only to the extent necessary to produce an engineering plan with minimum difficulty in other respects No attempt has been made to indicate the adjustments that would have to be made with vested rights and existing uses of water. These and other problems are of such complexity and magnitude that their solution can be reached only through the cooperative effort of all those interested in the development of the State. The facts are presented, therefore, in order that the advantages of adopting this coordinated plan may be weighed with the probable cost and other difficulties and appropriate action be taken.

In conclusion it is my desire to call to your attention the great value received by the State from the services of the consultants to these investigations. Eminent in their profession and mature in experience and judgment, these men have given much time from their busy lives at nominal compensation in order that the State may have for its use the best the engineering profession may offer. I am enclosing herewith a letter in which this committee has expressed a thought pertinent to the coordinated plan so well taken that it should be yours in its original statement.

Respectfully submitted

PAUL BAILEY.
Director of Public Works.

LETTER FROM ENGINEERING ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

December 30, 1926.

Director of Public Works,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: After six years of association with the Division of Engineering and Irrigation in the discussion of the problems arising in the investigation of the water resources of California, this committee feels that it should at least record its good impression of the efficient manner in which the entire program of investigation has

been organized and carried out by the division. Seldom has such an intensive study been made over a long period of time with the thoroughness, efficiency, and complete cooperation of all interests concerned, as has been accomplished in the work described in the accompanying report and its appendices The plan which has been evolved is one of great magnitude and complexity, serving as it does irrigation, domestic water supply, power development, navigation, flood control, hydraulic mining and the prevention of the encroachment of salt water in the delta of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers.

It is the opinion of the committee that the results of the studies as set forth will be of exceedingly great value to the future progress of the state. However, the committee feels that it would be lacking in candor if it did not point out at this time that the value of such a plan depends entirely upon its ultimate completion and operation as outlined, no matter whether constructed by private interests, by the state or federal governments, or by any combination of them.

In order to obtain the benefits of coordination which is the essential feature, it is necessary that the plan be adopted as a whole and a policy be devised that will insure its progressive execution in harmony with existing, pending, and future local projects, and that when completed, the whole be operated in accordance with the method outlined. With such a policy adopted construction may proceed by units.

Respectfully submitted.

LOUIS C. HILL.
J. B. LIPPINCOTT.
WM. MULHOLLAND.
A. KEMPKEY.
A. J. CLEARY.
G. R. OLCOTT.
B. A. ETCHEVERRY.
F. HERRMANN.
W. L. HUBER.
Members of Engineering Advisory Committee.

PERSONNEL OF ADVISORY COMMITTEES.

This report has been prepared in consultation with a committee of engineers who have advised in the preparation of the "Coordinated Plan." Most of the members have served through the entire six years of investigation Also, complete cooperation with federal and State offices has obtained through the entire period. In this regard, it is desired to mention, especially, Lieutenant-Colonel U. S. Grant, III, formerly member and secretary of the California Debris Commission and District Engineer, Second District, U. S. Federal Engineers, who made many helpful suggestions. During the last two years, Major C. S. Ridley, member and secretary of the California Debris Commission, successor in office to Lieutenant-Colonel Grant; Mr. F. E. Bonner, District Engineer, U. S. Forest Service, representing the Federal Power Commission in California, and Mr L. S. Ready, Chief Engineer of the State Railroad Commission, have attended the committee meetings and entered into their discussion. The entire committee membership is

LOUIS C. HILL.
J. B. LIPPENCOTT
WM. MULHOLLAND.
A. J. CLEARY.
G. A. ELLIOTT.
B. A. ETCHEVERRY.
F. C. HERRMANN.
WALTER L. HUBER.
A. KEMPKEY.

Cooperating with committee:

F. E. BONNER.
L. S. READY.
C. S. RIDLEY.

The survey of the water resources of the State, published as Bul. No. 5, "Flow in California Streams," was made in consulation with

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FOREWORD

This report, with its appendices, completes an investigation of the Water Resources of California commenced in 1921. It comprises a survey of water supplies and flood flows throughout the State, a determination of their characteristics, an estimate of the present and future needs for water, and the formulation of a comprehensive and coordinated plan for future development that will insure adequate water supplies for all purposes. Reports have already been rendered upon the work of the first four years. The material and data comprising this report are so voluminous that only a summary statement is contained herein. Details are given in separate

volumes, appendices to this report, being prepared for publication as bulletins of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation, entitled, as follows:

Bul. 13—"The Development of the Upper Sacramento River."
Bul. 14—"The Control of Floods by Reservoirs"
Bul. 15—"The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in the Sacramento Valley."
Bul. 16—"The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in the San Joaquin Valley."
Bul. 17—"The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in Southern California."

Other bulletins pertaining to these investigations that have been published prior to this report are.

Bul. 4—"Water Resources of California." (A report to the Legislature of 1923 on the first two years of investigation.)
Bul. 5—"Flow in California Streams."
Bul. 6—"Water Requirements of California Lands"
Bul. 9—"A Supplemental Report on the Water Resources of California." (A report to the Legislature of 1925.)
Bul. 11—"Ground Water Resources of the Southern San Joaquin Valley."

The first appropriation for these investigations was made by the Legislature of 1921, chapter 889 of the 1921 statutes, in the amount of $200,000. This resulted in the publication of bulletins Nos. 4, 5, and 6. These contain a complete inventory of all the waters within the State's boundaries, an estimate of the future needs of water for all purposes, and a preliminary comprehensive plan for ultimate development that will secure the greatest public service from the State's limited water supply.

No provision was made for the continuance of the investigations by the 1923 Legislature but at the urgent request of the farmers of the southern San Joaquin Valley, the Chambers of Commerce of San Francisco and Los Angeles advanced $90,000 for the study of a first unit of the comprehensive plan that would relieve the stress in a section of the State most in need of an imported water supply. With this money, works were planned that would transport the surplus waters of the Sacramento drainage basin into the San Joaquin Valley and make a new supply available for the southern half of the valley. An account of this work is published in Bulletin No. 9, a report to the Legislature of 1925.

Chapter 477 of the 1925 statutes made $150,000 available to the division for continuance of the work. With this money, the accompanying report and its appendices were prepared, concluding the investigation of the water resources of California.

CHAPTER 889

STATUTES OF 1921

An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of the storage, control and diversion of water for public use and public protection in the State of California, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

[Approved June 3, 1921.]

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared that the people of the State of California have a paramount interest in the use of all the waters of the State and that the State of California shall determine what waters of the State, surface and underground, can be converted to public use, or controlled for public protection.

SEC. 2. The State Engineering Department is hereby authorized and instructed to make the investigation in this act provided for and for the purposes herein specified.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the State Engineering Department to determine the maximum amount of water which can be delivered to the maximum area of land, the maximum control of flood waters, the maximum storage of waters, the effects of deforestation, and all possible and practicable uses for such waters in the State of California.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the State Engineering Department to determine a comprehensive plan for the accomplishment of the maximum conservation, control, storage, distribution and application of all the waters of the State, and to estimate the cost of constructing dams, canals, reservoirs or other works necessary in carrying out this plan, and to report the result of such investigations with recommendations not later than the legislative session of 1923.

SEC. 5. In carrying out the provisions of this act the State Engineering Department is hereby authorized to examine any and all data, estimates and proposals in furtherance of the above purpose, according to its judgment of their engineering worth and to cooperate with any department, bureau, office, service, or division of the United States or of the State or counties, or with any municipality, irrigation, reclamation, conservation, drainage, flood control, levee, or other district agency for irrigation, reclamation, drainage, or flood control purposes, or for the development of hydro-electric power, or with any interested association, company or individual; *provided, further*, that the Engineering Department is hereby expressly authorized to accept, receive and use any funds or moneys contributed to it by any person, irrigation district, reclamation district, water and conservation district or any political

subdivision of the State of California for the purpose of cooperating in the work aforesaid and carrying out the purposes of this act.

SEC 6 With the approval of the Governor, the State Engineering Department is hereby authorized to employ such assistance as in its judgment it may require and to incur such expense as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this act The Governor is further authorized to appoint a consulting board, composed of citizens of special and technical qualifications, to serve in an advisory capacity, and without pay, in making the above investigation

SEC. 7. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, and made immediately available for any of the purposes of this act

SEC 8. This act shall not in any way be construed so as to deprive persons, corporations, or districts of vested rights

SEC. 9. Any section or portion of a section of any act, statute or law of the State of California in conflict with the provisions of this act is hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 477.

STATUTES OF 1925.

An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the state for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose

[I object to the item of two hundred fifty thousand dollars in section 9 and reduce the amount to one hundred fifty thousand dollars. With this reduction I approve the bill. Dated. May 23, 1925. *Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor.*]

The people of the State of California do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared that the protection of the public interest in the development of the water resources of the State of California is of vital concern to the people of the State of California and that the State of California shall determine in what way the waters of the State, both surface and underground, should be developed for the greatest public benefit, or controlled for public protection

SEC. 2. The Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to make the investigation in this act provided for and for the purposes herein specified.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works to investigate the amounts and location of all the waters of the State, both surface and underground, and to determine the amounts available for use; to investigate all possible uses of water; and to determine the future growth of these demands and the works necessary for the accomplishment of the greatest use of the State's waters for all purposes; also to investigate the occurrence of floods and the works necessary for their control.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works to ascertain the bounds of the agricultural lands of the State and the amounts of water required to bring them to maximum productivity, their economic source of irrigation supply, and the value of delivery of water to the land; to ascertain the amounts of water required for municipal and industrial purposes and for the generation of hydro-electric energy and for all other practicable uses and the economic source of supplies for all these purposes

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works to study the coordination of all possible uses of water to the end that a full supply may be obtained as nearly as possible for all purposes with the greatest degree of public economy and to determine a comprehensive plan for the accomplishment of these purposes with the maximum conservation, control, storage, distribution and application of all the waters of the state and to estimate the cost of the necessary works and structures for carrying out this plan and to make all such studies, do all work, make all investigations, compile all data required to determine the manner in which the water resources of the state should be developed for their greatest use and public benefit

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works to prepare a printed report setting forth the results of these investigations with recommendations for a public policy for the development and conservation of the water resources of the State, not later than the first day of January, 1927

SEC. 7. The Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works, in carrying out the provisions of this act, is hereby authorized to examine any and all data, estimates and proposals in furtherance of the above purpose, according to its judgment of their engineering worth, and to consult with and accept the work of any department, bureau, office, service, or division of the United States, or of the state or counties, or with any municipality, irrigation, reclamation, conservation, drainage, flood control, levee, or other district agency for irrigation, reclamation, drainage, or flood control purposes, or for the development of hydro-electric power; or with any interested association, company or individual; *provided, further*, that the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works is hereby expressly authorized to accept, receive and use any funds or moneys contributed to it by any irrigation district, reclamation district, water and conserva-

tion district or any political subdivision of the State of California for the purpose of cooperating in the work aforesaid and carrying out the purposes of this act.

SEC. 8. The Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, with the approval of the Governor, to employ such assistance as in its judgment it may require and to incur such expense as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this act. The Governor is further authorized to appoint a consulting board, composed of representative citizens, to serve in an advisory capacity in preparing the above report.

SEC. 9. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars, and made immediately available for any of the purposes of this act.

SEC. 10. This act shall not in any way be construed so as to deprive persons, corporations, or districts of vested rights.

SEC. 11. Any section or portion of a section of any act, statute, or law of the State of California in conflict with the provisions of this act is hereby repealed

SUMMARY REPORT*

WATER RESOURCES OF CALIFORNIA.

California, extending for eight hundred miles along the Pacific shore of the United States, enjoys a moderate and pleasing climate favorable for human activity. The forests and minerals of its mountains, the fertile soils of its valleys, and the commercial potentialities of its seaports destine this State to advance in wealth and population until the exhaustion of some of life's necessities imposes a limit upon further expansion. With spacious areas of flat lands at low elevations, there is much smooth and accessible ground suitable for habitation Natural resources for supporting man's activities, excepting water, are near at hand in abundance.

The water supply of this great State is derived from its annual drenching by rain and snow Falling with greatest intensity upon the mountain areas, these upland regions constitute expansive collectors of precipitation which concentrates in stream-channels and flows to the ocean, passing by on the way the lower lying lands favorable for human occupation. Once a year the short winters wet the mountains and lowlands alike so that the bulk of the flow in California's streams occurs at the time of least demand for water Three-fourths of all the State's waters reach the ocean within forty-five days after the time of their precipitation as rain or snow upon the mountain areas The long, warm, almost rainless summers require water in large quantities for all human endeavor, but the summer flow in the streams, most valued of all, is only the drain water in wake of the great volume of winter and spring run-off. Those streams to which even the highest mountain areas are tributary, are well sustained by melting snow only through the first half of the summer months

Practically all the summer flow of California's streams that are accessible is now in use Further advancement is attendant upon the construction of reservoirs that will make available for use at the needed time, the great volume of winter and spring run-off of normal years. Including this, ample water originates within the State's boundaries for all future needs, but it is very unequally distributed geographically. Three-fourths of all this water lies within the northerly third of the State's area, while three-fourths of the need for water lies in the southerly two-thirds of the State's area. There is some water available to California in addition to that originating within the State's boundaries in the Colorado and Klamath River systems. Of these, however, the Colorado River is the only one geographically situated to alleviate the very unequal distribution of the waters This survey of the available waters and of the future needs for water shows that full development of the latent resources of California can be attained only through the storage and distribution of water in accordance with some comprehensive plan, embracing both State and interstate streams, that will overcome the very unequal geographic distribution of the State's waters and that will insure adequate supplies for all localities.

CHARACTERISTICS OF A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN.

The agricultural lands, by reason of their flatter topography, their temperate climate, and their accessibility, are most suitable of all the State's lands for habitation. Except for areas about the State's seaports, the urban communities of the future must largely spread over lands now classed as agricultural Since cities of fairly mature growth use water about equal in amount to that required for irrigating crops on the same area, a plan that will provide an adequate allotment of water for all the agricultural lands, together with additional amounts for urban expansion

*A full description of the geography, land and water resources of California and matters pertaining thereto, together with a preliminary comprehensive plan for their development, is contained in previously published reports of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation as follows:

Bul No. 4, Water Resources of California.
Bul. No 5, Flow in California Streams
Bul. No. 6, Irrigation Requirements of California Lands.
Bul. No. 9, Supplemental Report on Water Resources of California.

about the State's seaports, will meet the future demands for water in the maximum development of the State's resources.

At the present time, ninety-six per cent of the water consumed in California is utilized in irrigating farm lands This ratio will continue to be large for many generations because the growth of municipal areas relative to areas farmed, must necessarily be slow. The principal features of a comprehensive plan, therefore, must revolve about the greatly preponderant need of water for agriculture. However, the importance of municipal, industrial, navigation, hydro-electric and mining uses in the future growth of the State requires liberal provision for their needs.

Fortunately the agricultural, municipal, industrial and navigation uses will expand upon areas of low elevation, for three-fifths of the agricultural lands are less than five hundred feet above sea level. The mining and hydro-electric uses will expand in the mountainous regions that rise above the agricultural lands Since these mountain uses of water return to the stream channels practically the full amount diverted, reservoirs to re-regulate the flow situated at levels intermediate between the agricultural and the mountain areas, will permit the unrestricted development of hydro-electric power and mining in harmony with a complete re-use of the same water on the plains below Large reservoirs at these intermediate elevations, therefore, are important features of a comprehensive plan to secure the greatest use from the State's waters.

IMPORTANCE OF ORDERLY DEVELOPMENT

It may be observed in traveling about the State that cities and towns do not flourish where water is deficient. The most prosperous centers of population are those enjoying ample water for both the municipal and adjacent country areas. In a State whose potential wealth, whether derived from industry in the cities or the cultivation of country lands, can only be realized in its full munificence through the artificial development of water supplies, there can be no greater subject for consideration than the creation of a State water policy designed to secure an orderly development of its water resources for the greatest public benefit

NECESSITY OF ACTION.

Since the easily developed waters are now practically all in use, the future must spend greater sums for water than has been necessary in the past. Following the present uncoordinate procedure, the costs of securing additional water in localities of short supply will be large and will become prohibitive as local supplies are exhausted. The expanding population of these communities will then seek more favored localities, either within or without the State's borders. As the unfavorable conditions spread to greater areas the loss to the State will increase rapidly, for only the northerly half of the State has ample water for future local use.

The approach to exhaustion of local supplies in many parts of California presents even more serious aspects than the loss of anticipated wealth through curtailment of expansion. Large areas deriving their supply from underground sources are facing a dropping ground-water plane. These areas are extending as their communities expand. Without additional supplies, well levels in these regions will continue to drop until either the underground basins are exhausted or the cost of pumping water to the ground surface exceeds its value. For the most part, these areas of dropping ground-water plane are only partially developed and are without additional local supplies. Their natural expansion, therefore, will unavoidably destroy the values of their established properties and convert them into decadent communities.

A series of wet years might afford temporary relief to the regions of dropping ground-water plane as well as to other areas of acute water problems; however, unless plans for permanent relief are perfected during the surcease, the disaster will be the greater, for the next succeeding dry years will be entered upon with increased demands for water but no greater supply. The prosperity of any part of this great State should not rest even temporarily upon the chance occurrence of greater-than-normal years Works to relieve these communities are extensive in their character and involve many difficulties. They cannot be executed without long preparation. To defer action, therefore, is to invite future disaster.

Much has recently been said about converting agriculture from a "gamble" into a "business" so that farming may be as other industries. This would be done through diversification of crops and control of production. The diversification of crops and control of production can only be attained in localities where irrigation water is available as needed in all seasons of the year. Variability in the water supply forces the selection of crops best adapted to expected shortages. Uncertainty in supply forces the farmer to gamble on the occurrence of stream flow and prohibits the control of production

Not over two-thirds of the area now under irrigation in California can obtain water as needed with reasonable certainty. Large areas of the State's irrigated lands have been planted to crops most suited to the irregular character of their water supplies and suffer the losses contingent upon variable soil moisture. The perfection of controlled supplies is under way in many communities that can afford the cost. However inadequate local sources, the heavy costs of regulating last increments of stream flow, and conflicting claims to water rights, make progress

slow. Progress would be facilitated by the adoption of a comprehensive plan that would ultimately furnish with reasonable certainty adequate supplies to all localities throughout the growing season.

VALUE OF COORDINATED DEVELOPMENT.

The cost of carrying out a comprehensive plan that would permit the agricultural industry to operate as a business and that would remove the limitations of development on half of the area of this State, would be large; yet, there is no alternative if these objectives are to be attained. The costs may be minimized, however, by coordination of the development of water for all purposes. Through this means the cost of conflict may be removed, the cost of duplicate works may be eliminated, the cost of expensive reconstruction may be avoided as works are enlarged, and the greatest re-use of water may be secured This report is the first to present the advantages of coordinated effort It is believed that through this means only can values be created commensurate with the large costs of a comprehensive plan, and that possibly through this means the State may enjoy advantages not heretofore believed possible.

THE COORDINATED PLAN.

As directed by your honorable body in chapter 477 of the 1925 Statutes, the Division of Engineering and Irrigation, State Department of Public Works, has prepared a coordinated plan for the development of the waters in the major geographic divisions of the State. This plan provides for the storage of flood waters for conservation purposes, the transportation of surplus waters of the Sacramento drainage basin to the deficient areas in the San Joaquin Valley, an adequate summer flow in the Sacramento River for navigation and salt water control, the resumption of hydraulic mining in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, the control of floods by reservoirs, the expansion of irrigation along the lower Colorado River in southeastern California, and the diversion of water from that river to the Pacific slope for municipal purposes All sections could not be considered because of the limitations of time and money. However, any policy that may result from this report should be extended to all parts of the State.

A general description of the plan follows in this report. The volume of pertinent engineering data and detail dimensions is contained in separate appendices,* one for each geographic section of the State.

THE SACRAMENTO VALLEY.

The Sacramento Valley, 170 miles long and 30 miles wide, contains 2,900,000 acres of agricultural land on the valley floor and 2,300,000 acres in its marginal plains and foothills This valley has been growing rapidly. About 1,000,000 acres are now under irrigation systems, mostly on the valley floor The expansion of irrigation has absorbed practically the entire summer flow of the river during the last several years of subnormal run-off, so much so, that for a time each season, navigation was seriously curtailed upstream from the city of Sacramento. The War Department issued warnings to the valley irrigators that sufficient water for navigation must be left in the river. In response, the irrigators organized a state supervisorship over their diversions to reduce them to a minimum quantity. A critical situation is approaching wherein the necessary appropriation of water for irrigation is conflicting with the national jurisdiction over navigation.

Further difficulties arise near the mouth of the river The diminished low water flow of the Sacramento River has been insufficient to hold back the salt water of Suisun Bay. For a period each season, the sweep of the tide through the channels of the delta region at the mouth of the river, carries in salt water from Suisun Bay that mixes with the fresh water of the river. As the summer flow in the river decreases, the menace of salty water becomes more serious in the channels from which the delta lands have habitually obtained their supply. These threatened lands are some of the most fertile in the State

Although the unused summer flow of the Sacramento River is rapidly diminishing, the winter and spring flow is large In their natural state, these waters overflowed large areas along the river. In 1911 the State Legislature and in 1917 the National Congress adopted a general plan of reclamation by which channels and by-passes lead this flood water in Suisun Bay without inundating the valley floor. These channels are wide due to the great flood flows of the Sacramento River. They take up much room and will constitute increasingly awkward barriers to traffic as the valley becomes more thickly populated. Although some of these channels and by-passes are already constructed, nevertheless, reduction in the size of floods would afford greater margins of safety and, on those channels not yet constructed, the widths could be materially decreased. Floods can be reduced in size only through

*A detailed description of the coordinated plan with engineering data is in preparation for publication in bulletins of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation as follows: Bul. No. 15 "The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in the Sacramento Valley." Bul. No. 16. "The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in the San Joaquin Valley." Bul. No. 17, "The Coordinated Plan of Water Development in Southern California."

their control by reservoirs Therefore, at this time when the construction of reservoirs is necessary in order that agriculture may continue to expand in the Sacramento Valley, it is appropriate that the control of floods by reservoirs should receive consideration

Attention should also be given in a program of reservoir construction to the rejuvenation of hydraulic mining. On January 7, 1884, a decision of a federal court prohibited further hydraulic mining in California because the debris dumped in the stream channels was washing down on to the farm lands of the Sacramento Valley floor. Although later congressional enactments provided for the resumption of hydraulic mining under restrictions, the 1000 million cubic yards of gold-bearing gravels in the Sierra foothills remain unmined. It would mean much to the State to revive this industry and much to the nation to increase its gold production. In order that this industry may be revived, it is necessary to place barriers in the stream channels to restrain the debris from reaching the valley floor. Reservoirs constructed for conservation purposes may be so used. If these are located on the lower reaches of the streams, several years will pass before the debris will work its way down the stream channels to lodge in or near the upper edge of the reservoirs. Much of it would pile up at their margins or fill the channels for a distance upstream Other material would lodge in the channels before reaching them. Such material would not impair their capacity. Reservoirs employed as debris barriers, therefore, would maintain their full conservation values for many years after mining started and would never have their capacity impaired to the full extent of the volume of mining debris dumped into the stream channels above them.

The coordinated plan for the Sacramento Valley comprehends the solution of all these public problems, water for navigation and salt water control, the reduction of flood flows, and the restraint of mining debris, while at the same time providing for the increasing demands for irrigation water through the construction of a large reservoir on the Sacramento River, one on each of its main tributaries, and the diversion of the upper portion of the Trinity River into the Sacramento drainage basin. These reservoirs are all located in the foothills near the edge of the valley floor. In this position, with almost the entire watershed tributary to them, they are admirably situated for the control of floods and the storage of mining debris as well as for conserving flood water for irrigation. Also, in this strategic position, they separate the mountain and valley use of water, permitting each to proceed as best suits its needs without conflict, and so secure the maximum public service from the State's limited water supply. Lastly, they occupy the sites of least cost for the many advantages obtained.

The units of a coordinated construction program comprise a high dam near Kennett on the upper Sacramento River, one on the Feather River near Oroville, one on the Yuba River near Smartsville, one on the Bear River near the State highway crossing, and one on the American River near Folsom The Trinity River diversion would introduce a new supply from the Klamath River system into the Sacramento Valley These would each be integral parts of the comprehensive plan for ultimate development, could be constructed progressively, and would provide sufficient water to meet all the increase in demands of navigation, of salt water control and of conservation during the next half century if operated in accordance with the plan herein presented. The reservoir capacities of these units are adequate to reduce floods and, on those streams on which placer gravels exist, to restrain mining debris for many years without interference with their conservation values. Also a large amount of electric power could be generated at the dams.

In preparing this coordinated plan, special attention has been placed upon devising a safe procedure for the use of reservoirs for flood control without sacrifice of their conservation values Heretofore, it has been considered impossible to use the same space for the two purposes, because for flood control it should be held empty during the season of large run-off in readiness to absorb flood flows, while for conservation it should be allowed to fill while the water is available After elaborate research to determine the characteristics of floods, a method has been evolved whereby the space reserved for flood control can be safely released in time to fill for conservation as the season progresses.

The application of these principles to the operation of the series of proposed reservoirs in the Sacramento Valley would effect a marked reduction in the flood flows in all the large tributaries as well as in the main channel. On the upper Sacramento, the flood flow would be cut to half the maximum, a reduction that would make it feasible to reclaim Butte Basin, if desired On the Feather, Yuba and Bear rivers, floods would be controlled to two-thirds their maximum volume. This reduction would permit reclamation along the Feather River to be completed without much additional levee construction and with the use of the present levee alignments except for a mile or two in a particularly restricted section of channel below Marysville On the American River, the Folsom reservoir operated under this plan, would limit floods on this tributary to a flow that could be confined between levees on the banks of the present river channel The cities of Sacramento and North Sacramento could then expand to the river's edge and so eliminate the awkwardness of the present crossing that spans a wide area of overflow land between them.

Since power is the most readily marketable product of the reservoir system, the plan proposes to operate these reservoirs for the first period of years in a manner that will produce the greatest revenue from power. The block of power generated at these reservoirs should produce a substantial income if successfully marketed. The output is large. Including the Trinity River diversion, it is about equal to the present total production of power in northern California. To sell this large block of power will require skill in laying out the construction program and the complete cooperation of every marketing agency. Without this cooperation, a program as herein described would be wholly impracticable. With this cooperation, the sale of power could do much toward carrying the construction costs.

In proposing to operate this system of reservoirs for the first period of years to obtain the greater power revenue, the other benefits to be derived from their construction would not be neglected. Through the program of reservoir operation devised by these investigations, the flood control values could be secured without material interference with the generation of power. The water from the tailrace of power plants would be ample for navigation, irrigation and salt water control for a long time. On the streams on which placer gravels exist, the accumulation of mining debris in the reservoirs, in being slow and not affecting the power drop at the dam, would not materially affect the power output.

At the end of the period of operation for greatest power revenue, the system of operating the reservoirs would be gradually changed to that producing the largest flow regulated for irrigation purposes. This change in the method of operation would about double the summer flow yield of the reservoirs. Power could still be generated, but being largely seasonal power, could only be marketed in part. Following this scheme, the summer flow in the Sacramento River could be adequately maintained for all purposes in the face of increasing diversions for the next half century.

The realization of such a program would be of inestimable value to navigation, salt water control, mining, flood control, irrigation and farming in general. It would secure for the present day the great advantages of a substantial summer flow in the Sacramento River for navigation, the advantages of salt water control in the delta region, the rejuvenation of hydraulic placer mining, and a substantial reduction in the flood flows. None of these could be obtained in nearly such full measure for years to come except through a coordinated program of development. These advantages all have such real and substantial value that earnest consideration should be given to the recommendations contained in this report.

The probable costs of the units of the coordinated plan, including spillways, gates, sluices, tunnels, conduits and power plants required to accomplish the results described herein, are:

Unit	Stream	Height of dam, feet	Capacity of reservoir, acre-feet	Total cost
Kennett Reservoir	Upper Sacramento	420	2,900,000	$80,000,000
Oroville Reservoir	Feather	300	345,000	35,000,000
Narrows Reservoir	Yuba	435	445,000	30,000,000
Parker Reservoir	Bear	250	100,000	6,000,000
Folsom Reservoir	American	190	307,000	11,000,000
Fairview Reservoir	Trinity	370	1,400,000	*46,000,000
Total				$208,000,000

The plan does not include the construction of canals for distributing the water developed by these reservoirs, although studies have been made of alternate layouts. In general, the public advantage of following one particular scheme of canal construction was not found to be large. It is believed that this part of the program can be most effectively carried out by local effort as necessity arises. Therefore, the plan for the Sacramento Valley is confined to the production of a full supply of water in the stream channels in a way that will secure the maximum public service from these waters at the least expense.

THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.

The San Joaquin Valley, 250 miles long and 40 miles wide, comprises the largest continuous block of agricultural land in the State. On the vast plains of the valley floor are 6,600,000 acres of land having gentle slope and flat surface conformation favorable for agriculture. The marginal foothills to the east and south add 1,800,000 acres more, making a total of 8,400,000 acres of agricultural land in the San Joaquin Valley, one-third of all the agricultural lands in the State.

Favorable conditions for growing crops, other than scant rainfall, have made this valley a pioneer section in irrigation. One-half of the lands now under irrigation in California are in the San Joaquin Valley. Much of this land has an imperfect water supply. Some receives little or no water in dry years, other areas receive only a partial supply, and over half of the projects are short of water during

*Includes cost of completely developing the power drop from the Fairview reservoir on the Trinity River to the Sacramento River.

the late summer months. Less than half of the area under irrigation has an adequate water supply throughout all seasons. Nevertheless, this development is utilizing all the low-water flow of the streams in the northern half of the valley and four-fifths of the entire run-off of the streams in the southern half.

The perfection of supplies in the northern half of the valley concerns principally the preparation of suitable economic plans for constructing storage reservoirs to hold over winter and spring flood waters for summer use. This has already been done or is now in progress on most of the projects in the northern half of the valley. In the southern half, however, the perfection of present inadequate supplies necessitates the importation of large amounts of new water that presents problems insurmountable to local effort. Here more than four-fifths of the mean flow of the streams is now in use although no reservoirs have been constructed. The irregular diversions from the rivers are supplemented by pumping from underground sources on one-third of the irrigated lands while on another third the entire supply is derived from wells. Favored with large areas overlying excellent supplies of underground water,* the southern San Joaquin Valley has enjoyed an attractive source of water easy for individuals to develop. So encouraged, extensive communities dependent upon irrigated agriculture have come into being. Their wealth is reflected in their assessed valuation that shows a greater investment in rural improvements than any other section of the State excepting properties adjacent to our largest cities.

Although intensive development is in progress, there is still much good land in these communities without an adequate water supply. Nevertheless, so extensive is the use of underground water that the water plane is receding in many places. Experience is demonstrating that these underground supplies are not sufficient for the full development of the overlying lands so that at some point in the progress of expansion, the draft from the underground waters must exceed their average supply. There are now about half a million acres in the southern San Joaquin Valley supporting prosperous communities, that are either overdrawing their underground supplies or are approaching this condition. These areas are constantly growing larger. Their available surface supplies are already put to full use. Therefore new water from some outside source is essential for continued growth and prosperity. Without it, the level of the underground waters upon which the southern half of the valley is so dependent must permanently recede over extending areas until the profit in farming is entirely consumed in pumping the irrigation supplies to the ground surface.

The complication in the approach to exhaustion of the water supply in the southern San Joaquin Valley is of State-wide concern, for there is no simple means of relief. There is no way to stop the sinking of new wells. All the overlying lands have the legal right to pump from the underground sources if they choose. The construction of storage reservoirs on local streams would help temporarily, but little new water would be created thereby because four-fifths of the mean flow in the streams is already in use. The principal value of storage reservoirs would be in effecting a controlled supply. Unused water in other parts of the San Joaquin Valley is not available for the southern half, because there are areas of deficient supply close at hand to the few regions of surplus. The valley as a whole has little more than half enough water for its future needs. Therefore, a permanent solution to the water problem of the southern San Joaquin Valley can only be attained by the importation of a large supply from some outside source.

The most accessible region of surplus is the Sacramento and upper Trinity drainage basins. Here is ample water, taken with the San Joaquin Valley streams, for the full development of both valleys. The complication and large cost of transporting the surplus waters of the Sacramento several hundred miles to the southern San Joaquin Valley, requires a comprehensive treatment of the problem. The coordinated plan proposes to correlate the conveyance of a new supply into the southern San Joaquin Valley with the development of water for local needs throughout the length of the two valleys. In this way the new supply may be obtained with full protection to established properties.

Accordingly, the new supply for the San Joaquin Valley would be derived from the water used to maintain navigation in the channel of the Sacramento River. After serving its useful purpose in the Sacramento Valley, this water would be diverted at the mouth of the river into the San Joaquin. Passing through the channels of the island region forming the delta of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, it would be boosted up the main channel of the San Joaquin by a series of pumping plants, each one pumping the water over a low dam to the higher level of the pond behind it. These dams would be collapsible so that they would not obstruct the channel during the flood season. They would be so located that, if desired, locks could be constructed alongside them that would make the San Joaquin River navigable for a distance of 160 miles from its mouth.

This series of dams and pumping plants, extending the length of the main channel on the valley floor, would also constitute a means of conserving the scant water supply of the San Joaquin Valley. Water entering any section of the channel would be caught by these dams and redistributed throughout its length by the

*For detailed description see Bul. No 11 of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation, "Ground Waters of the Southern San Joaquin Valley."

pumping plants. Thus water, entering the lower reaches of the channel, that often escapes into Suisun Bay, could be readily utilized by the greater area upon which it could be served.

The new supply of water obtained through the operation of these dams and pumping plants would be distributed to the lower lying lands in the San Joaquin Valley in order that the pumping lift may be a minimum. This would release San Joaquin water now used on these lower lands, at high elevations for diversion by gravity to the lands in the southern San Joaquin Valley that need more water. In this manner, the new supply could be obtained with a maximum pumping lift of 160 feet. The exchange of waters would save 340 feet of pumping lift. All plans for conducting the new supply directly to the higher lands that need water, either by gravity or by pumping, were found to be prohibitive in cost. The only plan of practicable proportions includes exchanges of water and involves properties extending the entire length of Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys. The exchange of water is now practiced in several western states.

In diverting the water used for navigation in the Sacramento River to the San Joaquin, a certain portion would escape into Suisun Bay unless a physical barrier were constructed below the junction of the two rivers. Investigations of the cost of such a barrier have been completed recently in cooperation with the United States Bureau of Reclamation. These reveal that the probable cost would vary from $45,000,000 to $90,000,000 according to the site selected. This exceeds considerably the cost of developing the volume of water that would escape into Suisun Bay if no barrier were constructed. At some future time when this volume of escape water is needed for irrigation in the San Joaquin Valley, a physical barrier could be constructed in order to make it available. In the meantime, the escape of this water into Suisun Bay would automatically dispel the menace of incursion of salt water into the channels of the delta region. The volume of water desirable for navigation in the Sacramento River is adequate for both salt water control and diversion into the San Joaquin Valley for a long time. Thus, the coordinated plan avoids the large cost of a barrier for many years to come.

In pumping the new supply from the Sacramento up the grade of the San Joaquin River, it will be necessary to construct levees along the banks of the river for a distance upstream from each dam in order to confine the water to the stream channel at its increased level. The required height of these levees would grow less as the next upstream dam is approached, until at some intermediate point, the ponded stream would be confined within the natural banks of the channel. The coordinated plan proposes to incorporate these levees in a general plan of reclamation for the overflow lands of the San Joaquin Valley.

Unlike the Sacramento Valley, the strip of overflow land in the San Joaquin is so narrow that the reservation of a channel large enough to pass the maximum flood leaves an insufficient area benefited to pay for the cost of the levee system. Although much study has been placed on plans for reclaiming these overflow lands, an economic plan of complete reclamation has not yet been devised. However, opportunity is afforded by the coordinated plan to improve these conditions because the required width of flood channels could be reduced if the scheme of reservoir operation devised by these investigations, were applied to the reservoirs on the tributaries of the San Joaquin that are either already constructed or will be required to meet the demand of the next few years for irrigation water. These will have sufficient capacity to reduce flood volumes without interference with conservation, to nearly half their maximum flow except for the lower one-third of the main river channel. On this section some reduction could be effected but not as much as on the upper two-thirds of the channel.

At some later time, a greater degree of flood control can be effected on the San Joaquin River than here described. The reservoirs now constructed and at present contemplated on its tributaries will not develop the entire run-off of these streams. Additional storage will have to be provided at some future time for conservation purposes. By including this additional storage in the flood control system, floods may be reduced to smaller volumes than described above. This additional storage is part of the comprehensive plan for the ultimate development of the San Joaquin Valley, but is not included in the units here suggested because it will be some time before it is needed for conservation purposes.

Large reservoir units, sufficient in size to make the entire run-off of the streams available in controlled supplies, are included in the coordinated plan for the southern part of the San Joaquin Valley. Such a large fraction of the entire stream flow is already utilized in this part of the valley, that even by the construction of these large reservoirs, the new supplies made available would be sufficient to serve the normal growth for only a few years. However, they could temporarily relieve the stress caused by the overdraft on underground waters in the southern half of the valley.

The construction of these reservoirs would accomplish more than the development of some additional water and the delivery of completely controlled supplies. A very considerable amount of power could be generated as well. In order to generate the largest amount of power possible with an economic installation, the coordinated plan proposes that about one-fifth of the peak irrigation demand on the area served directly from the reservoirs, be supplied by pumping from the underground basins.

By so doing, the draft on the reservoirs would be more nearly constant throughout the season and a greater output of salable power could be generated. Also, by pumping still greater volumes of water from the underground basins during years of subnormal run-off, completely regulated supplies could be delivered to the land with smaller reservoirs than otherwise would be needed. The coordinated plan proposes that this be done to the extent that the total cost of completely regulated supplies would thereby be reduced. An exceptional opportunity exists for an economic arrangement of this character, for one-half of the area now receiving water from the rivers through canals is already equipped with wells and pumping plants.

These same reservoirs could easily be used for controlling floods. Their capacity would be sufficient, if operated under the plan herein proposed, to reduce floods to one-half their maximum flow without interference with their conservation functions.

Plans for constructing storage reservoirs on the upper San Joaquin, Kings and Kern rivers, the largest streams of the southern San Joaquin Valley, are now being perfected by water-storage and conservation districts. These are organizations of the many corporate units that now utilize water from these streams or desire to do so. The coordinated plan in no way conflicts with the plans of these districts. It is distinguished from them in providing for a more complete development than the studies of the districts indicate are desirable if the entire costs are assessed against the lands within the projects. The coordinated plan sets forth greater accomplishments for public consideration.

A series of trunk canals is included in the comprehensive plan for the ultimate development of the San Joaquin Valley. These canals would extend southerly, one from each main tributary of the San Joaquin River and one also from the American River in the Sacramento Valley. They would divert at the highest practical elevation on the edge of the valley floor that would not involve expensive foothill construction. The function of these canals would be to feed the water from each tributary into systems of distribution canals at the highest possible elevation. This would take water now used in one system and deliver it to another system further south upon receipt of an equivalent amount from some other source. No exchange of ownership in supplies is suggested. Following this system, the entire valley floor may ultimately be brought under irrigation with the maximum economy in pumping the new supply imported from the Sacramento Valley. Even with this economic arrangement, the pumping lift on much of the imported water that ultimately will be required to irrigate the entire valley floor will be large.

Only two of these trunk canals will be needed for some time to come. These two take out from the upper San Joaquin River and the Kings River, respectively, and are necessary to convey a new supply into the area of dropping ground water plane in the southern San Joaquin Valley. They are part of the first construction units of the coordinated plant for importing surplus Sacramento River water into the San Joaquin Valley. With these two canals in operation, new supplies could be delivered into the heart of the area that needs them

The probable costs of the reservoirs of the coordinated plan in the southern San Joaquin Valley that will yield, in conjunction with the ground water development already existent, completely regulated supplies of irrigation water, control floods to one-half their maximum values, and develop incidental hydro-electric power to the greatest economic extent, are:

Unit	Stream	Height of dam, feet	Capacity of reservoir, acre-feet	Total cost
Temperance Flat Reservoir	Upper San Joaquin	595	1,100,000	$51,000,000
Pine Flat Reservoir	Kings River	450	1,400,000	35,000,000
Isabella Reservoir	Kern River	250	1,100,000	40,000,000
Bakersfield Reservoir	Kern River	140	200,000	
Total				$126,000,000

The foregoing estimates include the cost of spillways, gates, sluices, tunnels, conduits and power plant required for conservation, flood control and power development. On the Kern River the estimate includes conduits and power plants to develop the entire power drop through the Kern Canyon, between the Isabella Reservoir and the Bakersfield Reservoir, exclusive of the capacity of the power plants now operating in the Kern River Canyon.

The probable cost of the first units of the coordinated plan for introducing a new supply from the Sacramento into the southern San Joaquin Valley, that will have a capacity of three thousand second-feet, the equivalent supply for 450,000 acres of new land, is

Item	Cost
Dams and pumping plants on San Joaquin River complete with levees along river banks	$13,000,000
Canals extending southerly from Friant on upper San Joaquin River to Kings River and from Kings River southerly to near Earlimart	11,000,000
Total	$24,000,000

The foregoing estimate does not include the cost of the salt water barrier that will undoubtedly be ultimately required, nor any part of the cost of the coordinated plan in the Sacramento Valley that is necessary to make the surplus water of the Sacramento drainage basin available for diversion into the San Joaquin Valley; neither does the estimate of cost of the dams and pumping plants on the San Joaquin River include the cost of locks that would be necessary at each dam to render the river navigable.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

California, southerly from Tehachapi Pass, embraces twenty per cent of the area of the State that is favorable for human habitation, while but little over one per cent of the State's waters, exclusive of the Colorado River, are tributary thereto. Although possessing a disproportionately small share of the waters originating within the State's boundaries, these lands have experienced a rapidity of settlement and improvement that has amazed the entire world. Already one-fifth of the area possessing a water supply on the Pacific slope lies within the limits of incorporated cities and towns, and this ratio is continuously growing larger. The relinquishment of agricultural land for urban use does not reduce the total water consumption, as cities of fairly mature growth use water in amounts about equal to that required for irrigating the same area. The demand for water, therefore, can never grow less in southern California, but larger supplies will be needed for industries and manufactories within cities, and for the extension of agriculture to the limits of the available lands if supplies for this purpose can be found.

A survey of the available waters, both surface and underground, shows that four-fifths of the local supplies on the Pacific slope of southern California, excluding Owens Valley, are now in use. Utilizing four-fifths of the available local water, less than half of the favorable area is occupied by cities or towns and irrigated lands. In order that growth and expansion may continue to the full limit of the natural resources other than water, the Pacific slope of southern California will require three times the volume of water that can be obtained from nature's allotment to this territory. Unless this additional water can be secured, the future must face a curtailed growth incommensurate with the opportunities offered by the other natural endowments of this remarkable territory.

The development and use of the local supplies is attended not only by the usual complexities of the California water law but also by the problem of dropping ground-water plane similar to that of the southern San Joaquin Valley. The problem is serious because three-fourths of the local waters now in use are taken from underground sources. Observations of ground water levels during the years 1922 to 1925 show that drops have generally prevailed and that, in three seasons, the water plane has receded over large areas as much as fifteen to fifty feet Although the greater values in southern California permit pumping from greater depths than in the San Joaquin Valley, nevertheless, the inadequacy of the underground supplies for the support of the full development of the overlying lands results in a similar necessity for imported water. Unless large amounts of water can be so obtained, the southern communities must suffer from the destructive competition of pumping from underground sources that have a receding water-plane Such competition will burden the communities with prohibitive pumping costs and attendant loss in property values, and in the end reach their limit.

The threatened exhaustion of local waters has not occurred only through the foresight of Mr. William Mulholland, chief engineer of the Bureau of Water Works and Supply of the city of Los Angeles. Because of the importation of water from Owens Valley for the city of Los Angeles, there are still some local waters available for the expanding uses of adjacent territory. Further relief may be obtained by extending the Owens Valley project to include the waters of Mono Basin. However, a complete development of the surplus or unused water from these sources would import in total but a quarter of the water that will ultimately be desired for the Pacific slope of southern California in addition to their local supplies Nevertheless, Owens Valley and Mono Basin are important sources of additional water, as they will be required ultimately in any event irrespective of the acquirement of other supplies. Studies have been pursued to find sources from which adequate supplies for the future may be secured These investigations show that sufficient surplus water exists in California, only in the north Pacific coast region 600 miles distant and separated by mountain barriers that could be pierced only at costs beyond our present conception of possibilities.

In the absence of supplies sufficient for all future purposes, attention should be directed toward providing for municipal and domestic needs. The rapid rate at which lands, formerly agricultural, are being converted into urban and suburban properties in southern California, makes it difficult to distinguish between irrigation and potential domestic water. In fact, it appears that ultimately, practically the entire use of water on the Pacific slope will be urban or suburban in character. The pleasing climate of this section is attracting residential settlement from all the states of the Union that will be limited only by the available water supply. However, distinguishing between these two uses for the next third of a century, an analysis of the past and present rate of increase in the demand for municipal water indicates that a continuous supply of 1500 second-feet will be required in addition

to water in present use, to serve the normal expansion of the metropolitan areas of this region.

It is generally conceded in the division of the waters of the Colorado River that fifteen hundred second-feet should be allotted to the Pacific slope of southern California for municipal purposes. It is anticipated that this will become available with the passage of the Swing-Johnson bill for the construction of the Boulder Canyon dam on the Colorado River, now pending in Congress It is vitally important to the entire State, not only that this water should be secured for the cities and towns of the Pacific slope of southern California, but also that the advantages that will accrue from the construction of the Boulder Canyon dam in the control of floods and of the greater summer flow, should be obtained for the California lands bordering on the lower Colorado River.

The construction of the Boulder Canyon dam is one of the most important issues before the public at this time for the deficiency in the natural water supply of southern California and the control of floods on the lower Colorado River is a matter of serious concern. Although it is not apparent from what source the required large volumes of new water can be obtained for the full development of the Pacific slope, nevertheless, present attention should be directed towards securing those new supplies that are available on the Colorado River and elsewhere and in coordinating their use to obtain the greatest benefit from their limited amounts. In this effort, these investigations have cooperated to the fullest extent with the Bureau of Water Works and Supply of the city of Los Angeles in their projected plans Data, analyses, and plans of accomplishment have been exchanged with this office Separate and independent estimates of water requirements, of water supplies and of plans of development have been made and placed at its disposal.

In the study of local supplies, special attention has been placed upon the coordination of surface storage in reservoirs, the control of floods, and the replenishment of the underground basins from which such a large part of local water is obtained. The Los Angeles County Flood Control District has under way the construction of a series of twelve reservoirs for these purposes on the principal streams in Los Angeles County. Such reservoirs will be desirable on all local streams in southern California as growth continues. The intensive development in progress creates a particularly large flood hazard and makes the reservation of large flood channels undesirable. The reduction of flood flows by reservoirs is therefore very desirable.

Unfortunately, reservoirs on nearly all the streams are costly One exception is at the Prado site near the entrance to the Santa Ana Canyon. Here large capacity can be obtained at fair costs A reservoir at this point would control the floods of the Santa Ana River on the coastal plain and make available for use considerable amounts of flood water that now run into the ocean. A plan for the complete development and control of floods on the Santa Ana River is now in process of assembly through special investigations being carried out in cooperation with San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange counties Reservoir sites have been selected on all the tributaries of the Santa Ana River at locations that would control the floods as they debouch on the valley floor. These sites are all more costly than the one at Prado; however, it is believed that their construction will become desirable.

The coordinated plan proposes that reservoirs be constructed on all the principal streams and that they be operated both for conservation and flood control. Although the total quantity of flood water reaching the ocean is relatively small, still it can be most effectively conserved by these methods. The principal storage of water would be in the large natural underground basins on the lower reaches of the stream where these are available. These offer a splendid opportunity for cheap storage in many basins. However, some surface storage is necessary even in these instances in order to equalize the stream flow. In the natural state, flood waters rush down the channels in volumes too large for absorption by the underground basins. By reducing these flows through reservoir control, practically their entire volume could be introduced into the underground basins through absorption by the stream channels or by prepared spreading works.

The desirable capacities for these reservoirs have not been finally determined at the time of writing this summary report so that their cost can not be tabulated, however, they will be large The coordinated plan will secure the greatest results from their use in the same manner as proposed in the coordinated plan for the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys By the application of the principles developed by these investigations for the combined use of reservoirs for conservation and flood control, the conservation value of their space will not be sacrificed for flood control. In this way the maximum results will be attained at minimum cost.

It is believed that these principles of reservoir operation for flood control can also be applied to the Boulder Canyon reservoir to advantage. Their application should result in a more effective utilization of the reservoir capacity than has been contemplated because they secure flood control without the sacrifice of any reservoir space. These principles will be fully set forth in an appendix* to this report.

*Bul No. 14. "The Control of Floods by Reservoirs."

RECOMMENDATIONS.

California, endowed by nature with climate, soils, forests, minerals, and harbors favorable for an advanced civilization, is dependent, nevertheless, upon the artificial development of water-supplies for the complete fruition of its many advantages. At this time in the progress of expansion when all the easily developed supplies are now in use, it is of the greatest importance to every person and to every industry that expects to partake of the future prosperity of this State, to have assurance that progress shall not be arrested by the lack of adequate water supplies.

The creation of a State water policy that will insure to present and future generations the uncurtailed development of natural resources along sound and economic lines would be an outstanding achievement. The benefits would be far reaching. All activities are vitally concerned in water. Although the total requirements of agriculture greatly exceed those of industry and commerce, nevertheless, industry and commerce would indirectly reap the greater benefit. They will endure and expand most successfully in the midst of thriving agriculture. Agriculture in California requires large quantities of water. The total supply is limited and unequally distributed over the State.

This report presents an engineering plan whereby, through coordination of effort, those sections deficient in local supply may enjoy adequate water for agricultural and all other purposes. The new supplies for the deficient areas would be taken from regions of surplus after providing for their complete development. This plan is presented as the one containing the fewest difficulties in the attainment of the desired accomplishments. While only the major areas were considered in formulating the plan, any policy that may result should extend to all parts of the State alike.

So extensive is the area, so many and varied are the interests, and so great are the expenditures involved in this plan that the usual method of procedure is impracticable. The economic, financial, legal and political problems relating to its execution are so complex and far reaching that they should be the subject of careful deliberation. The broad values and public advantages of the plan should be weighed with the costs and difficulties. Methods of execution, of operation and of financing should be considered along with the extent to which costs should be distributed. In view of the intricate nature of these problems and their momentous bearing upon the future of California, the division and its advisors earnestly recommend that a committee representative of all those concerned in the development of the water resources of California, including national and State offices, be appointed solely for the purpose of determining first, the practicability of carrying out this plan, and second, if found to be practicable, to recommend a method of procedure.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

JONES, Chairman.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

MOTION TO SET SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Carter moved that further consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7 be made a special order for Tuesday, January 18, 1927.

Motion lost.

The question being on the adoption of resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—56.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Gant, Patterson, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Woodbridge—11.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 7.

Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

WHEREAS, Section 2 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California requires that, after the Legislature has been in session for a period not exceeding thirty days, a recess must be taken by both houses for a period of not less than thirty days; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California shall adjourn for said recess at twelve o'clock noon on Friday, January 21, 1927, and shall reassemble at the hour of twelve o'clock noon on Wednesday, February 23, 1927.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered on file for adoption.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends its adoption.

MELVILLE, Chairman.
FRY.
WILLIAMS.
EDDY.
NIELSEN.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. West asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, at this time, without reference to committee or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relating to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4 adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Relating to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers.

WHEREAS, The flags of the United States and the bear flags hanging behind the desks of the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate should be replaced with new flags, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds of the Department of Finance be directed to procure two American flags and two bear flags to replace the flags now hanging behind the desks of the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate; and be it further

Resolved, That one-half of the cost of such flags shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Assembly and the remaining one-half shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Clowdsley asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 9.

Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring. That there shall be printed as a public document five hundred copies of the sixtieth session of the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic for the year 1927, and of each succeeding department encampment, together with illustrations, copies of general orders of the department and of the official rolls, two hundred fifty copies for the use of the Senate and two hundred fifty copies for the use of the Assembly. Annual cost not to exceed six hundred dollars, payable from legislative printing appropriation.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Approving nine certain amendments to the charter of the city of Alhambra, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Alhambra at a special municipal election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Crawford asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Approving nine certain amendments to the charter of the city of Alhambra, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Alhambra at a special municipal election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to approving eleven certain amendments to the charter of the city of Stockton, State of California,

ratified by the qualified electors thereof, at a general municipal election held therein on Tuesday, October 12, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By ALBERT BRADY, Chief Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No 10—Approving the charter of the county of Alameda, State of California, which was submitted to the qualified electors of the said county and voted for and ratified by them at a general election held therein on the second day of November, 1926;

Also Senate Concurrent Resolution No 11—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein on the twelfth day of April, 1926

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Santa Barbara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Santa Barbara upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of November, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Hornblower and Burns: Assembly Bill No. 116—An act requiring owners of certain motor vehicles and trailers to furnish security for their civil liability on account of personal injuries caused by negligent operation of their motor vehicles and trailers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 119—An act to amend section 330 of the Penal Code, relating to gambling.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections

Also: Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 124—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½ and 6 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to fish and game districts and defining the boundary lines of fish and game districts 1, 1½ and 1½ "D".
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 125—An act to establish a College of Mining at or near Redding, California, to be known as the Northern Branch of the University of California, to provide for the purchase of land therefor and the construction of buildings and other improvements in connection therewith, to provide for the equipment, conduct and management thereof and to make an appropriation therefor.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 126—An act to appropriate money for the annual expenses of the College of Mining, Northern Branch of the University of California, at or near Redding.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to establish the Lassen Volcanic National Park highway, and to declare the same to be a part of the State highway system, and to provide for the survey and construction of such highway, and to make an appropriation therefor.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Anderson, Roscoe J., and Walters: Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a state park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park" at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for

the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 129—An act declaring the highway extending from or near the town of Burney, Shasta county, California, to a place within said county known as Burney Falls, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 131—An act levying an excise or license tax upon the production of petroleum or other crude oil, or mineral oil, and of natural gas, providing for the collection and disposition of such excise taxes, providing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 132—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the West Side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend section 2322*x*21 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties and cities and counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 800 of the Penal Code of California, relating to the limitation of prosecution in felony cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 136—An act to amend section 647 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to vagrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend sections 3746, and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector and delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 138—An act regulating the stock and bond brokerage business, licensing persons engaged in such business, providing for the enforcement of the act by the State Superintendent of Banks, and providing penalties for the violation of such act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to the parole of prisoners from the State prison.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No 141—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 142—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of evolution in elementary and secondary schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 146—An act providing for a resurvey, relocation and construction of that State highway known as "The Kings River Canyon Road."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to amend section 1563 of the Political Code, relating to compensation of teachers while attending institutes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*a*, relating to the publication of annual reports and courses of study by city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the bag limit on game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Alvah H. Mitchell against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 156—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689, and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors; and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098, and 1099, relating to real property; and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Santa Barbara.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No 162—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relating to bridge and highway districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to add a new section to be numbered 22*a* to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tide-lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to create a cattle protection board, to define its powers and duties, to protect the breeders and growers of cattle from theft, to provide for the registration of cattle brands and the licensing of cattle slaughterers and the sellers of the meat thereof, to provide for the inspection of cattle and cattle hides for brands and marks, to provide for the collection of licenses and inspection fees, to provide for the creation of a fund to be known as the cattle protection fund, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the fees of inspectors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 2639 of the Political Code, relating to maintenance of county roads.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No 174—An act to amend section 365*d* of the Political Code, relating to maintenance of highways in counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to Superintendent of Schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1858*a* and relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school district suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any

organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof, and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Carter:

WHEREAS, on the fifteenth day of January, 1927, a great swimming contest occurred off the shores of Los Angeles on the east and the island of Santa Catalina on the west, all within the seventy-first Assembly District, in which a prize of $25,000 was offered to the contestants of all nations and to be given to the contestant who would first complete the course laid out from Santa Catalina Island to the mainland, and

WHEREAS, Of those entering, George Young, a young man of seventeen years of age and a citizen of Toronto, Canada, was the only contestant who accomplished this extraordinary feat of swimming the distance and completing the course; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly of the Legislature of California offers its congratulations to the young man, who so splendidly achieved the difficult feat and contributed so much to the sport which has become international, and that the residents of the seventy-first Assembly District be congratulated for affording an opportunity for such sport; and be it further

Resolved, That the Assembly of the State of California offers its congratulations to our sister nation that produced such an exponent of aquatic sports; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the said George Young and to his mother of Toronto.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Carter unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Roland:

WHEREAS, Divine Providence has seen fit to call from earthly labors, Mrs. B. A. Melville, the mother of a member of this body, Assemblyman Charles B. Melville, of Fort Bragg; and

WHEREAS, We desire to express our sorrow for the bereavement so sustained by our fellow member of this Assembly and our sympathy to him and to his family thus deprived of the loving companionship of a mother and grandmother; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Assembly extend to Assemblyman Melville and to the members of his family the sincere sympathy of the Assembly; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause these resolutions to be suitably engrossed and transmitted to Assemblyman Melville for expression to his family.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Roland unanimously adopted.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names:

The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the thirteenth day of January, 1927:

Lewis Harris, Page.....$2 50

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants from said funds in favor of the above named person for said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to amend the Political Code of the State of California by adding thereto certain new sections to be known as and numbered sections 2331*a*, 2331*b*, 2331*c*, 2331*d*, 2331*e*, 2331*f*, 2331*g*, 2332*a*, and 2347 relative to the care and rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons under the age of twenty-one years, by the State of California, under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Welfare, and appropriating funds therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 187—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of and to add a new section to be numbered 11 to an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 9*x*4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the

salary and expenses of the county librarian in counties of the fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code relating to the protection of deer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Messrs. Walters and Eddy: Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled, "An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tide lands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes," approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto, two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minor fixed by court: payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift or other process, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 3—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution relative to the term of office of judges of courts of record.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

MOTION.

Mr. Coombs moved that a committee of five be appointed to report upon some appropriate proceedings, commemorating the event of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the first convening of the State Legislature in the city of Sacramento.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The speaker appointed as such committee: Miss Eleanor Miller (chairman), and Messrs. Coombs, West, Nielsen and Wright.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock, and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jacobson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Tuesday, January 18, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 18, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Mixter, Mr. Cloudman was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. D. Fricat of Angels Camp, Calaveras County, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mrs. Edyth Tate Thompson, ex-secretary California State Tuberculosis Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Hon. Anna L. Saylor of Berkeley, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Earl Warren, district attorney of Alameda County, and Paul St. Sure, deputy district attorney of Alameda County, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. H. D. Jerrett of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Hon. J. J. Prendergast of Redlands, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Hon. Albert F. Ross, former member of the Legislature from Shasta County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mrs. Elizabeth I. Drendall, president American Legion Auxiliary, from San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Mrs. Marion Arnold and Mrs. Janie H. Evans of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Mr. P. M. Anderson of Burbank and J. A. Winans of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for the day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Chief Clerk:

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION OF CALIFORNIA,
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, January 17, 1927.

Believing that the law known as the "California Anti-syndicalism Law" is contrary to the constitutionally guaranteed rights of American citizens, and contrary to the principles upon which true democracy is founded, we, the "Woman's Christian Temperance Union of California" in executive session assembled, petition the California Legislature at its present session to repeal the "California Anti-syndicalism Law."

By Mr. Speaker:

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, January 17, 1927.

State Legislature, Sacramento, California.

Enclosed please find copy of verdict in the case of Mario Pagano, deceased, which is self-explanatory.

Very sincerely,

THOS. B. W. LELAND,
Coroner of the City and County of San Francisco.

State of California, }
City and County of San Francisco } ss.

Inquisition taken at the coroner's court on the twenty-first day of October, 1926, before Dr. T. B. W. Leland, coroner of said city and county, upon view of the body of Mario Pagano, then and there lying dead, upon the oath of ten jurors, good and lawful men of the city and county, who being duly summoned and sworn to inquire into all the circumstances attending the death of the said Mario Pagano and by whom the same was produced, and in what manner and when and where the said Mario Pagano came to his death, do say upon their oath aforesaid:

That the said Mario Pagano, male, white, about 36 years old, single, born in Italy, occupation, merchant (soft drink parlor), residence, 1005 Powell street, came to his death at Clay and Powell streets on October 10, 1926, from shock and hemorrhage following gunshot wound of chest severing right subclavian artery.

And we further find: That said deceased came to his death at the hands of Clarence Kelly and Lawrence Weeks, and we hereby charge said Clarence Kelly and Lawrence Weeks with the crime of murder.

On account of the ease with which the two men concerned in this crime obtained their firearms from irresponsible persons and on account of the wave of crime existing in the United States at the present time in which not only ordinary firearms but machine guns are being used, we the jury, recommend the passage of a national bill to restrict the sale and use of firearms; also that the Governor, State Legislature, the public press and all State and civic bodies lend their active support toward the passage of proper legislation controlling the sale, possession and use of firearms.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Approving the charter of the county of Alameda, State of California, which was submitted to the qualified electors of the said county and voted for and ratified by them at a general election held therein on the second day of November, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Roland asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Approving the charter of the county of Alameda, State of California, which was submitted to the qualified electors of the said county and voted for and ratified by them at a general election held therein on the second day of November, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 29—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness and providing for a levy of taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds, and making same an urgency measure—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

Senate Bill No. 29—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness and providing for a levy of taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds, and making same an urgency measure.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Approving the charter of the city of Porterville, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein on the fifth day of October, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Mixter asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Approving the charter of the city of Porterville, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein on the fifth day of October, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January, 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Baum asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWO.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relating to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—52.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jost, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Roland, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

Relating to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats.

WHEREAS, Under the existing conditions, newly elected members of Congress do not take their seats in Congress, unless at a special session, until the elapse of more than a year after their election; and,

WHEREAS, Members of Congress who are not reelected continue to serve and vote for their constituents for more than a year after their predecessors have been elected; and,

WHEREAS, Such conditions are not productive of the best interests of the people of the United States; therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California earnestly petitions Congress to submit a constitutional amendment to the several states which would provide that members of Congress should take their seats within a short time after their election; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is hereby directed to send copies of this resolution to the President and Vice President of the United States, to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States and to the governors of each of the several states.

ON GOVERNMENTAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 3—Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Bernard asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to file, for the purpose of adopting the committee amendments.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Amendments adopted.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Bernard asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

WHEREAS, The present residence provided by the State of California for her chief executive, the Governor, is now in a state of rapid deterioration, and as this antiquated structure has long ceased to be worthy of the dignity of this great State, and has become a disgraceful reflection upon the good taste of her people, and out of harmony with her progress and financial standing; and,

WHEREAS, It is desirable that California should possess an executive mansion befitting her place in the Union and one that favorably compares with those of sister states; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That a committee of two members of the Assembly be appointed to confer with one member of the Senate to investigate the needs of the State with reference thereto, said committee to report its findings and submit its recommendations to this forty-seventh session of the State Legislature not later than the first week in March, 1927; said committee to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate, respectively, and be it further

Resolved, That the said committee is directed to especially investigate the feasibility and desirability of disposing of the present property, located at the corner of H and Sixteenth streets, and the selection of a more fitting location for the Governor's residence.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to approving eleven certain amendments to the charter of the city of Stockton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors thereof at a general municipal election held therein on Tuesday, October 12, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Clowdsley asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWELVE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to approving eleven certain amendments to the charter of the city of Stockton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors thereof at a general municipal election held therein on Tuesday, October 12, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts,

Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

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

Motion carried.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power." approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Witter asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 104, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and

that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Witter:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 104 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Witter moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillmger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Funley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Noves, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering, at this time, Assembly Bill No. 104.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust

companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 104 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Levinel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to investigation by the Legislature of the natural and artificial water and resting places for migratory water fowl and wild life and to proposed formation of certain game preserves—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Heisinger asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to investigation by the Legislature of the natural and artificial water and resting places for migratory water fowl and wild life and to proposed formation of certain game preserves.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the concurrent resolution, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "speaker", and insert in lieu thereof the word "President".

Amendment adopted.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Heisinger asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, at this time, without reference to printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to investigation by the Legislature of the natural and artificial water and resting places for migratory water fowl and wild life and to proposed formation of certain game preserves.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, as amended,

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 10.

Relative to investigation by the Legislature of the natural and artificial water and resting places for migratory water fowl and wild life and to proposed formation of certain game preserves.

WHEREAS, Migratory water fowl, wild life and game have been on the decrease for several years; and

WHEREAS, The increase of the number of hunters from year to year has caused and is causing a greater depletion of said water fowl, wild life and game than formerly; and

WHEREAS, The increased development of the agricultural areas of this State and the irrigation of the same have dried up many lakes and swamplands, thereby taking away from said water fowl, wild life and game their natural resting places; and

WHEREAS, Said water fowl, wild life and game of the State are a very great asset to the people thereof; and

WHEREAS, This important question is one of state wide interest; and

WHEREAS, Effective protective measures will be impossible by other than through State legislation; and

WHEREAS, If effective protective measures are not instituted in the near future, there promises to be a serious depletion, if not extinction, of many varieties of our water fowl, wild life and game; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Speaker of the Assembly shall appoint two members and the President of the Senate shall appoint one member to compose a committee of three to investigate, in conjunction with the State Fish and Game Commission during the constitutional recess of this session of the Legislature, the natural and artificial water and resting places of migratory water fowl, wild life and game and upon the reconvening of the Legislature said committee shall report its findings and make recommendations for the permanent location of game preserves and such water and resting places of said migratory water fowl, wild life and game as said committee shall deem necessary, desirable and expedient.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of the 1925 edition of Deering's Codes and General Laws of the State of California in six (6) volumes; also eighty-one (81) copies of Robert's Rules of Order;

Also, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver one set of said Codes and General Laws to each member of the Assembly, Chief Clerk of the Assembly and Judiciary Committee and the Ways and Means Committee and one (1) volume of Robert's Rules of Order to each member of the Assembly and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution as a substitute for the original resolution:

SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of the 1923 edition of Deering's Codes, and General Laws of the State of California with the 1925 supplement in seven (7) volumes; also eighty-one (81) copies of Robert's Rules of Order.

Resolved, further, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of printed amendments of 1925 for the said Codes;

Also, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver one set of said Codes and General Laws, and one set of amendments to each member of the Assembly, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, and Judiciary Committee, and Ways and Means Committee and one volume of Robert's Rules of Order to each member of the Assembly and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
WILLIAMS.
NIELSEN.
FRY.
EDDY.

Mr. Williamson moved the adoption of the substitute resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the substitute resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Coombs, Heisinger, Hornblower, Kelsey, McDonough, Rochester, Roland, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, and Wright—12.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election held therein on the twelfth day of April, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Roland asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER ELEVEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election held therein on the twelfth day of April, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relating to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 7 and 4 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOUR.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 100—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 100 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 198—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 69*b*, providing for the filing of a

health certificate before marriage licenses are issued, and making the issuance of false certificates a felony.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637*c*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*x*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to special classes in schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322*x*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to prohibit the railroads in the State of California from collecting the surcharge or surtax on Pullman sleeper and chair car fares within the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Levey, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to provide for the survey, location, construction, widening, straightening and maintaining of the Junipero Serra boulevard from its intersection with Sloat boulevard in the city and county of San Francisco to the northerly boundary line of the city of Burlingame, county of San Mateo; declaring and establishing the same as a State highway or State highways, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 215—An act appropriating money for the purposes and things set forth in an act entitled, "An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way or rights of way for a highway or highways from the county line of the city and county of San Francisco, in, to and through San Mateo County, and to construct the same at a location or locations to be selected by said commission; declaring and establishing the same as a State highway or State highways; authorizing any county or city and county to contribute money or property toward

the cost of construction and maintenance of said highway or highways; authorizing the California Highway Commission to accept said contributed money or property and to place the same and any other unappropriated money which may come under the control of said California Highway Commission in the general fund of the California Highway Commission, which fund is hereby created," approved May 18, 1923, and authorizing the State Controller to draw warrants and authorizing the State Treasurer to pay said warrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Hawes and Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semi-monthly entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "the people of the State of California" delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Messrs. Deuel, Duval, Jost and Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products on commission and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products on commission; to provide under certain contingencies for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 218—An act to add a new section to be numbered 10, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of names, marks or other devices used to indicate ownership, providing for certain benefits therefrom, and prescribing penalties for violating the provisions hereof; repealing an act, approved March 21, 1911, entitled 'An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons and kegs used in the sale of olives, olive oil, salad oil, soda waters, mineral or aerated water, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, white beer, or other beverages,' repealing 'An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons, and kegs used in the sale of soda waters, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, large beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer, or other beverages,' approved March 31, 1891, also repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons, and kegs, used in the sale of soda waters, mineral and aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer or other beverages, approved March 31, 1891, by adding thereto a new section after section 4 thereof relating to deposits, to be numbered as section 5 of said act, by renumbering section 5 of said act as section 6 thereof, and amending the same relating to assignments, and by renumbering section 6 of said act as section 7 thereof,' approved March 5, 1903," approved May 26, 1921; relating to the enforcement of the provisions of the act by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California and authorizing said department to accept and use in the enforcement of the act funds voluntarily subscribed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act to amend section 628*g*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 220—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code, relating to annexation of common school districts to high school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 1861*b*, allowing keepers of furnished apartment houses or furnished bungalow courts to take possession of baggage and other property of their guests or tenants for the purpose of enforcing all liens thereon.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 227—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1859*a*, limiting the liability of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code relative to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend sections 2090 and 2096 of the Civil Code, relating to the gratuitous carriage of persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose

of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of water therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 234—An act to amend sections 23, 25, 27, 61 and 62, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the costs thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend sections 1073 and 1174 of the Political Code, relating to election supplies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to amend section 57*a* of the Penal Code, relating to officers of election aiding in wrong doing.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and of voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," and to add to said act a section to be numbered 24*b*, relating to reassessments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and the reporting of certain election returns.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Eddy: Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 245—An act to amend section 1729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estates by the public administrator.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 246—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 20*b*, relating to a reservation of a portion

of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with the amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 2080, relating to the introduction of evidence as to the value of real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to be known as the "bovine tuberculosis law" of California; to define "person," "tuberculin," "accredited herd," "tuberculosis eradication area," "tuberculosis modified area," "test," "grade animal," "grade herd," "purebred animal," "purebred herd;" to regulate the sale of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to provide for reports of test of tuberculin; to restrict the use of tuberculin; to regulate the sale of milk or products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide regulations for accredited herd work (voluntary); to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas (compulsory); to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to provide for the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 19*x*56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled: "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts: and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, relating to petition for formation of district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend sections 1457, 1570 and 1061 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to disposition of fines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19*x*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Crawford: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize

all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Messrs. Adams, Bernard, Foster, Mixter, Scudder, Jespersen, Gant, Wemple, Melville, Hedges, Fisher, Easley and Witter: Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California irrigation district act by amending sections 13, 19, 19*b*, 22*b*, and 25 thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe keeping thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' court in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and

completion of the roof and building of the State armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henry Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. J. and T. D. Borie against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G. Johnson against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J. H. Newman against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Messrs. Cloudman and Wright: Assembly Bill No. 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft Way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to organization of high school districts.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19*x*10 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public waterways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 4300*f* of the Political Code, relating to fees of jurors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 295—An act requiring private service corporations to tender receipts for all charges paid and specifying the amount of State taxes thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to marriage licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Deuel and Bernard: Assembly Bill No 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 161 of the Civil Code, relating to the interests of husband and wife in property, and providing for the powers of management thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to limitation of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 682 of the Civil Code by declaring expressly the equal vested interest of the wife in the community property and providing for the powers of management thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 302—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, so as to make the act apply also to manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile industries, sanitariums, relief homes, asylums, banks, general and professional offices, insurance offices and real estate offices.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to poll-lists and tally-lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and poll-lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers, and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk, butter, ice cream and other milk products; to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service; to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service to provide for examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculin cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports, providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owner and/or operator of any oil well to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts, and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and improvement act of 1925," relating to the definition of terms.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the Fish and Game Commissioners and their assistants and employees and prescribing their duties and powers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 1379 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to nomination of administrators.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 314—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of same, and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of such regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to the definition of the crime of grand larceny.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fine.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, and 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to amendments to the charter of the city of Berkeley, after due ratification by the qualified electors of said city at a city election properly held.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to initiative and referendum.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to memorializing congress to adopt bill introduced by Hon. John E. Raker for the establishment of a Pacific coast national highway system.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Messrs. Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Levy, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva and Williamson: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relative to recreating the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Monday, January 10, 1927; Tuesday, January 11, 1927; Wednesday, January 12, 1927; Thursday, January 13, 1927; Friday, January 14, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At one o'clock, and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock, and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, January 19, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 19, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Gant, Mrs. Alma A. Weigart, advisor of the Oakdale Union High School Scholarship and the following pupils: From Knights Ferry, Marjorie Sisson. Oakdale—Myra Bacher, Chandler Bandy, Philip Berry, William Bjorge, Evelyn Bright, Muriel Chatfield, Bernice Coffey, Margaret Ellerson, Myra French, Don Goolsby, Dan Gilbert, Ruth Gilbert, Yvonne Gorne. Riverbank—Florence Bahlmann, Myrtle Bahlmann, Clarence Benish, Hazel Glines, Clyde Johnson, Margaret Hagedorn, Olga Martella, Ralph Maxwell, Lois Overman, Fay Pattee, Effie Redding, John Robbins, Madlyn Rydberg, Jewell Stanley, Nellie Stude, Burton Vasche, Mary Washburn, Robert Washburn, Avisia Kingston, Charles Monk, Zella Shepherd and Edith Wishart. Roberts Ferry—Helen Hawkins, Dorothy Ketcham and Zelda Ketcham. Valley Home—Philip Angell, Louise Schuller. Waterford—Leolla Butler, Vera Quick, Ruth Riddle, Rosa Walker were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Hon. George A. Clark of Bishop, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Badham, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Adams of Los Angeles, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. Fred Lowell, supervisor of Sonoma County, and Mr. Thomas Maxwell, supervisor of Napa County, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Ted C. Koenig, chief of police of Sacramento, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hornblower, Mr. Daniel J. O'Brien, chief of police of San Francisco, and Captain of Detectives Duncan Mathewson of San Francisco, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Messrs. Thos. C. Ridgeway, Kemper B. Campbell, and E. W. Mattoon of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. J. M. Nielsen, of Berkeley, father of Assemblyman Roy Nielsen, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Fred A. Jones, of San Leandro, and Judge Harry W. Pulcifer, justice of the peace of Alameda County, and former member of the Legislature, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jewett, Mr. O. D. Strong, former county assessor of Kings County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. Joseph J. Webb of San Francisco, member of executive committee of the California Bar Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Gant, Mr. G. B. Hjelm of Turlock, and D. C. Kilroy, justice of the peace of Turlock, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. James A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Springer of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Rev. James Whitaker, former Chaplain of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. James B. Blair, coroner and public administrator of El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, and ordered printed in the Journal.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COMMISSIONER FOR CALIFORNIA
NEVADA TRANSCONTINENTAL HIGHWAYS EXPOSITION

AUBURN, January 18, 1927.

Cora M. Woodbridge, Member of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR MRS. WOODBRIDGE: As you were one of those who took a prominent part in the introduction and passage of the act of the Legislature making provision for California's participation in the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition to be held at Reno, June 29 to August 5, 1927, I am pleased to inform you that the California Building is completed, and is a credit to the architect and the builders. It is of Mission architecture.

Everything is moving nicely, applications for county exhibit space are coming in rapidly, and the exposition proper has gotten to the point where it is an assured success. Reno is going to give us a wonderful show, typical of the West and great out doors, and California will do her part, both as to exhibits of her wares, and also as to genuine hospitality toward the visitor.

Should the members of the Legislature desire to make the trip to Reno some time in the future, say during the second part of the session, I would be glad to make the necessary arrangements with the exposition management for the dedication of the California Building, and with the Reno people for their reception and entertainment.

Yours very truly,

W. A. SHEPARD,
Commissioner for California.

MOTION TO APPOINT SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that a select committee of three be appointed to consult with the commissioners of the Nevada Transcontinental Exposition, relative to the dedication of the California Building at Reno, Nevada.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above mention, the Speaker appointed as such select committee Mrs. Cora Woodbridge and Messrs. Oliva and Jones.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 142—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 100—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Little. Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Inglewood, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of the said city of Inglewood, upon a special municipal election held therein on the fourteenth day of December, 1926.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Little asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, at this time, without reference to committee or printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWELVE.

Assembly Concurrent resolution No. 12—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Inglewood, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of the said city of Inglewood, upon a special municipal election held therein on the fourteenth day of December, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehau, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13—Relative to deputy game wardens.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to adoption and ratification of certain amendments to the charter of the county of Butte.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Deuel asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14, at this time, without reference to committee or printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOURTEEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to adoption and ratification of certain amendments to the charter of the county of Butte.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Carter, Clowdsley, Jones, Kelsey, Roland, and Sewell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 5—Proposed amendment to article X of the constitution, relative to the State Board of Prison Directors.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 6—Proposed amendment to article VI, section 4 of the constitution, relative to jurisdiction of, and divisions of supreme and appellate courts.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 7—Proposed amendment to article VI, section 19 of the constitution, relative to powers of judges in charging juries.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 8—Proposed amendment to article I, section 7 of the constitution, relative to trial by jury.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 9—Proposed amendment to article I, section 13 of the constitution, relative to rights of persons accused of crime and the taking of depositions in criminal cases.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 10—Proposed amendment to article I of the constitution, relative to provide that three-fourths of a jury may render a verdict in all civil cases and five-sixths of a jury may render a verdict in all criminal cases excepting where as a result of such verdict the death penalty might be imposed.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to the charging of juries by judges

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to State Firemen's Pension Law.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Hornblower. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13—Proposed amendment to article IX of the constitution, relative to the powers new or additional benefits or standards of employment in behalf of any or all employees in its public schools including retired teachers.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7—Relative to an act of Congress of the United States restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8—Relative to the elimination of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Messrs. Carter, Clowdsley, Jones, Kelsey, Roland and Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 321—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No 323—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c* and 1247*d* of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 326—An act to amend section 1280 of the Penal Code, and to repeal section 1280*b* of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1280*a* of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds, providing that bail bonds shall constitute lien on property, and providing for the filing of notice with the county recorder, the justification of sureties on bonds, and for subsequent release of lien by the court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 328—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 330—An act to amend section 861 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which preliminary examination must be completed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 331—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 332—An act to amend section 1191 of the Penal Code, relating to time for pronouncing judgment in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 1180 of the Penal Code, relating to the effect of an order granting a new trial in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 334—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 336—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictments and informations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 339—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 340—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals in habeas corpus cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information or complaint in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations, and complaints.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 345—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 346—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of persons convicted of two or more offenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 348—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 349—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 350—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089 and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also Assembly Bill No. 351—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 352—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information or complaint in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 353—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 355—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488 and 490 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 359—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 360—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 361—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 363—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to the granting of probation after conviction in criminal cases and permitting the pleading of said conviction where the defendant is prosecuted for a subsequent offense.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also Assembly Bill No 364—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also· Assembly Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to enforce the attendance of witnesses in felony cases in another state or territory of the United States, and providing penalty for failure to comply with the Governor's subpena issued for attendance of such witness.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 367—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or informations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 369—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 370—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institution for insane in criminal case.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 371—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017, and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter-claims.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend section 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to demurrers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1063, relating to declaratory relief.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to joinder of parties plaintiff.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*c*, relating to the joinder of parties defendant.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 379—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 391, relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to exempt property from execution or attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to repeal sections 633 and 634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to findings of fact and conclusions of law and the entry of judgment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to amend sections 10, 11, 17, 20, 22 and 24 of an act entitled, "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended, relating to organization of water conservation districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44, 47, and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to state for delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and relating to reassessments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to add a new section to be numbered 13 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, relating to exclusion of territory from such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to add a new section to be numbered 8 to an act entitled "An act to provide for public cemetery districts," approved March 6, 1909, as amended, relating to exclusion of territory from such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 162*a*, relating to the duty of district attorneys to disclose material evidence in criminal cases and providing a penalty for the violation thereof

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Patterson (by request): Assembly Bill No. 391—An act to add a new section to be numbered section 640 to the Political Code of the State of California, to create a State Bar Commission of the State of California for the purpose of enforcing the laws of the State of California as to attorneys and counselors at law and to assist in securing a greater degree of public service from and higher ethical conduct of such attorneys and counselors by the use of educational and cooperative methods and providing that said commission shall be known and designated as the "State Bar Commission of California," and that this act may be known and cited as "State Bar Act," and to provide for the organization, powers and duties of such State Bar Commission and prescribing obligations of attorneys and counselors at law to and in connection with such State Bar Commission, and

providing for the payment by attorneys and counselors at law of a monthly license fee to be paid said State Bar Commission of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to amend an act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 26*a*, relating to appeal to the superior court from decisions of the Commissioner of Corporations and providing procedure therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Levey, Miller, Morrison, Oliva and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

By Messrs. Hawes and Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 6 and section 10 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of artificially colored butter and neutralized butter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 1191 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon lots or tracts of land for street, highway or sidewalk improvement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2322*x*16 of the Political Code relating to the salaries of the county

horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 399—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 2322*x*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors, and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 405—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and

printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to amend section 65 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to use of rooms in buildings subject to the provisions of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 409—An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to the ownership of pharmacies or drug stores.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House

of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the Sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No 5, Sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 411—An act declaring the public highway extending from Los Banos, in Merced County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Newman, Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k and* 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and right of way owned by municipalities to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants

for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exacting of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property of equivalent value, providing for the protection of money put up as a cash bond and providing penalties for violation of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 416—An act to provide for the direct accomplishment of the work of direct improvement of San Rafael Harbor, and appropriating the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, to be expended under the supervision and direction of the State Board of Finance for such purpose

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-fifth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 19*x*25 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the juvenile court law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*x*25 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1922, as amended relating to the salary of the county librarian in counties of the twenty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. Flynn: Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estates not exceeding $2,500 in value.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend sections 851 and 854 and to repeal section 858 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings in justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend section 896 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to taxation of costs in justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*v*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of the fact of death.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 432—An act to amend section 1070 of the Penal Code, relating to the number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 433—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John A. Ingelhart against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Highlands Fruit Association, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the County Horticultural Commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 437—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to persons entitled to administer the estates of decedents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 438—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*d*, relating to the care, treatment and cure of crippled children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 441—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds." Approved May 25, 1919, as amended by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publications of ordinances.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans and to select a site for a permanent penal institution for women offenders.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to repeal section 629 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the maintenance of fish screens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Banking

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 450—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of Director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the Commissioner of Corporations and the Surveyor General; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 451—An act creating a board of retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said board of retirement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 3440*a*, relating to transfers of personal property presumed fraudulent.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by reqest): Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to amend section 284 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to liens of an attorney.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be number 531*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of the sheriff.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 456—An act to amend section 132 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decrees of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Lenehan and Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 458—An act requiring the State Engineer to make surveys and soundings in Richardson's Bay, and to submit plans for a terminal and for increasing transportation facilities along the waterfront of said Richardson's Bay, and making appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289 and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292 and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part III of the Civil Code

embracing sections 653a1 to 653a13 inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 462—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this state; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to payment of part time teachers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Laws of California," approved June 15, 1923, and amendments, relating to imitation milk, imitation condensed or evaporated milk, imitation dried milk, imitation cheese, imitation ice cream, renovated butter, and oleomargarine, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms, symbols, and illustrations in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to provide for the licensing of marine surveyors, cargo surveyors and cargo appraisers by the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to require all motor vehicles to be equipped with a life saving device and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Hedges: Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities, or cities and counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and of city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1577 of the Political Code, relating to the formation of new school districts and

providing for board and lodging for school children under certain conditions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 472—An act adding a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California to be known as section 1822*bb* providing for the sale or mortgage of real property of missing persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 477—An act to prevent the unnecesasry flow of water from subterranean sources from artificial wells and prescribing penalties therefor, and defining artificial wells and unnecessary flow, and repealing all acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 752*c*, relating to powers of boards of trustees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 479—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1760, 4, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443, and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No 482—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for purpose of obtaining counsel.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior colleges therein, approved May 27, 1921," by amending section 8 thereof relative to the powers of the junior college board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Hueneme Harbor District; to provide for the improvement, development and protection at Hueneme Bay of a harbor and approaches thereto; to provide for the government control, operation and maintenance of said district and harbor and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness for said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds to pay the cost thereof; and to provide for the levy of assessments and taxes by said district and the collection thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act appropriating one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of building and equipping certain buildings on the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles, to be devoted to the teaching of subtropical horticulture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 488—An act to amend "An act appropriating money for the purpose of payment of that part of the principal and interest of any bonded indebtedness created and outstanding by any city, city and county, county, town, township or district, on the eighth day of November, 1910, which is provided in section 14 of article XIII of the constitution of this State and as provided in an act of the thirty-ninth session of the Legislature entitled 'An act to carry into effect the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 8, 1910, providing for the separation of State from local taxation, and providing for the taxation of public service and other corporations for the benefit of the State, all relating to revenue and taxation,' " approved June 7, 1913, by amending its title and sections 1 and 2 thereof, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb*, and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 68*a*, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 1763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardians of insane and other incompetent persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules, and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911;" and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An

act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,' " approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 499—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining 'food commodities' and 'food warehouseman'; food warehousemen to be public utilities and subject to control and regulation by the Railroad Commission as specifically provided prohibiting the storage of food commodities except in accordance with the provisions of this act; making unlawful certain discriminating and monopolizing practice by food warehousemen and those dealing with food warehousemen, except as provided by the Railroad Commission; requiring food warehousemen to file schedules showing certain rates, charges, and other matters with the Railroad Commission and to keep the same open to public inspection, and providing for the uniform operation of such rates and charges, and prohibiting the business of storing food commodities unless such schedules are filed and made public, and empowering the Railroad Commission to fix the rates, charges, rules and regulations of food warehousemen, to change the form of such schedules and forbidding, except as otherwise ordered by the Railroad Commission, changes in or departures from such schedules except on certain conditions, and forbidding acceptance of rates or charges differing from the rates or charges in such schedules by those dealing with food warehousemen, subject to exceptions by the Railroad Commission; declaring certain contracts illegal and void and forbidding recovery thereon; providing for applications and complaints and other procedure before the Railroad Commission and the courts in matters wherein authority is conferred by this act upon the commission; defining the duties of the attorney general upon the violation of certain provisions; providing for actions to enjoin violations of certain provisions and to recover damages for such violations; making the violation of certain provisions a misdemeanor; and providing penalties; and declaring the purpose and effect of this act," approved May 5, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV, of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to authorize assessors and tax collectors to accept checks, bank drafts and money orders in payment of taxes, assessments, and licenses, and relating to the manner of making collection thereon and settlement therefor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize assessors and tax collectors to accept checks, bank drafts and money orders in payment of taxes, subject to the due honor thereof and relating to the manner of making collection thereon and settlement with the county treasurer therefor."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Crawford (by request): Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 506—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes, and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act." approved June 6, 1912.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 508—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code relating to fees of the public administrator.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Fry (by request): Assembly Bill No 510—An act to repeal section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the asexualization of inmates of State hospitals for the insane, the Sonoma State Home, of convicts in the State prisons, and of idiots, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to permit asexualization of inmates of the State hospitals and the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble-minded Children, and of convicts in the State prisons,' approved April 26, 1909," approved June 13, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Fry (by request): Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the asexualization of inmates of State hospitals for the insane, the Sonoma State Home, of convicts in the State prisons, and of idiots, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to permit asexualization of inmates of the State hospitals and the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble-minded Children and of convicts in the State prisons,' approved April 26, 1909," approved June 13, 1913.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*x*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses

of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322*x*52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Jones and Little: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, as amended, relating to executions in civil actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 517—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of school property unoccupied by any public school; to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the management of community real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, providing who may bring actions for partition.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 533—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates or decedents or of persons under guardianship

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*e*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, maintain, and operate cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87 and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Messrs. Heisinger and Williams: Assembly Bill No. 539—An act relating to the Piute Pass highway; making a survey, location and estimate of cost of the highway to be known as the Piute Pass highway, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to amend sections 1357, 1359 and 1361 of the Political Code, relating to absent, injured and disabled voters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to amend sections 33, 36, 37, 38, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 52, 55, 56, and 57 of "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended relating to the registration of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers, and setting up a system of title certificates and requiring the owner of every such vehicle in this State to secure such certificate of title and various other matters connected therewith and with the provision of said California Vehicle Act and providing penalties for the violations thereof, and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provision of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution, of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 545—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 546—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled, 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915, by amending section 1 thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Scofield (*by request*): Assembly Bill No. 547—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Bill No 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section of the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalty for the violation thereof; and creating a Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and fixing the compensation of the commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Little and Jones: Assembly Bill No. 551—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to April 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act declaring the county road in Amador and Sacramento counties extending from its intersection with the State highway, at a point about three miles west of Ione, northwesterly to its intersection with the Perkins-Michigan Bar road to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts, and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 28, 1901, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, January 19, 1927.

WHEREAS, During the constitutional recess services of the officers, attaches and employees of the Assembly will not be required with the exceptions hereinafter noted; and

WHEREAS, The Journal and History must be corrected and indexed, the semi-final calendar of legislative business be arranged and published, a copy made for the Legislative Handbook, and other exacting details pertaining to this session of the Legislature taken care of; and

WHEREAS, It will be necessary to retain a certain amount of help to assist in the performance of this work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the name of each of the officers, attaches and employees heretofore employed by this forty-seventh session of the Assembly for the positions at the per diem provided by law, be, and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Saturday, January 22, 1927, save and except the following:

Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk	$10 00
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer	6 00
William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms	8 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named persons heretofore appointed for the positions and at the per diem provided by law, be, and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Tuesday, January 25, 1927:

Louis F. Erb, Minute Clerk..... $9 00
C. W. Booth, First Assistant Clerk..... 9 00
Edwin C. Lynch, Assistant Clerk..... 7 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named person heretofore appointed for the position and at the per diem provided by law be, and he is hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Sunday, January 29, 1927:

W. I. Gunlock, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms..... $5 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named person heretofore appointed for the position and at the per diem provided by law be, and he is hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include from January 12, 1927:

Daniel Whelan, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms..... $5 00

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to amendments to the charter of the city of Berkeley, after due ratification by the qualified electors of said city at a city election properly held—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Kelsey asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER ELEVEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to amendments to the charter of the city of Berkeley, after due ratification by the qualified electors of said city at a city election properly held.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11 adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

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

BUDGET MESSAGE OF C. C. YOUNG, GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

To the Members of the Senate and Assembly

The budget herewith presented has been prepared in accordance with section 34 of article IV of the State constitution, which reads in part as follows:

> "The Governor shall, within the first thirty days of each regular session of the Legislature, and prior to its recess, submit to the Legislature, with an explanatory message, a budget containing a complete plan and itemized statement of all proposed expenditures of the State provided by existing law or recommended by him, and of all its institutions, departments, boards, bureaus, commissions, officers, employees, and other agencies, and of all estimated revenues, for each fiscal year of the ensuing biennial period; together with a comparison, as to each item of revenues and expenditures, with the actual revenues and expenditures for the first fiscal year of the existing biennial period and the actual and estimated revenues and expenditures for the second fiscal year thereof.
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> "If the proposed expenditures for the ensuing biennial period shall exceed the estimated revenues therefor, the Governor shall recommend the sources from which the additional revenue shall be provided. The Governor, and also the Governor-elect, shall have the power to require any institution, department, board, bureau, commission, officer, employee, or other agency to furnish him with any information which he may deem necessary in connection with the budget or to assist in its preparation. The budget shall be accompanied by an appropriation bill covering the proposed expenditures, to be known as the budget bill."

I have quoted fully these budget provisions of the constitution in order to show how the budget is prepared and what it should contain. The fact that these provisions have not been carried out in former budgets compels us, in conformity with the purpose of the constitution, to strike out along new lines and to incorporate into this budget features which have been wanting in those which have preceded.

A COMPLETE BUDGET.

In the first place it will be noted that the constitution requires the Governor to submit a complete plan of "*all* proposed expenditures of the State provided by existing law or recommended by him." The budget submitted in 1923 purported to total less than $79,000,000 for the ensuing biennium, although the actual total State expenditures for that biennium exceeded $142,900,000. The budget of 1925 was announced as totaling $103,430,000, as against an actual total of more than $180,000,000. That it should not have been difficult to determine what these totals really were is evidenced by the fact that the figure of $179,000,000 was announced nearly a year and a half ago, at the beginning of the present biennium period, both by the State Controller and by myself—a figure which was afterward raised to $180,000,000. Notwithstanding this fact, owing to its incomplete presentation this $180,000,000 budget has, during the past six months, been quoted as of varying amounts ranging all the way from $44,000,000 to $104,000,000.

ITEMS NOT SUBJECT TO BUDGET.

By frankly including in the budget every State expenditure, all possible grounds of future budget controversy will be removed, the budget requirements of the constitution will be satisfied, and the people of the State will have a complete knowledge of the cost of every department, institution, or activity of their government. The only agencies which can not be included are those which, though established and conducted under State law, do not receive or expend State funds. Such agencies are the State Compensation Insurance Fund, the Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund, the Veterans' Welfare Board, the State Land Settlement Board, the State Reclamation Board, the State Board of Accountancy, and the Board of Pilot Commissioners for San Francisco.

After consultation with the Attorney General in one specific case, it is my opinion, and the opinion of the fiscal officers of the State, that the funds and boards named above should not be included in the budget as connected with State expenditures, since they can not be included in the budget bill as beneficiaries of State appropriations. However, in order that the financial operations of these independent activities may be made known, they are reported in an appendix to the budget herewith submitted, except for the Land Settlement Board and the Board of Pilot Commissioners, which are omitted for the reasons explained in the appendix.

There has been one item inserted by error in both previous budgets—namely, the Division of Printing, which expends only such money as is supplied to it by the various departments, boards, and commissions. The actual expenditure of this money

is reflected as one of the expenditures of each of the departments concerned, and the inclusion in former budgets of these same expenditures under the head of Division of Printing is an obvious duplication.

Accordingly the second presentation of these expenditures is omitted from the present budget, both for this biennium, and, in comparative statements, for the preceding biennial periods. A statement of the financial operations of the Division of Printing, including the estimated figures for the coming biennium, is also reported in the appendix to this budget.

WHAT THE BUDGET CONTAINS

Aside from the items mentioned above as not properly subject to a budget, the budget herewith submitted contains all State expenditures of every kind, irrespective of the agency through which they are made or the sources from which their revenues are secured. For instance, the budget contains large sums for schools, highways, orphan aid, tuberculosis subsidies, and the like, expended in accordance with State law, not by the State directly but through the agency of the counties. All these are properly held by the Controller to be State expenditures.

The money from which all State expenditures are made comes from a variety of sources. Much of it is derived from taxes on public utility corporations, which, in consideration of their contribution toward State support, pay no local county or city taxes on their operative property. Much comes from franchise taxes, inheritance taxes, and the like, contributed by those who also pay local taxes. Much comes in the form of fees, licenses or special taxes, such as automobile licenses, fish and game licenses, gasoline taxes, harbor revenues, corporation and real estate department fees, and similar sources, the revenue in each case fully sustaining one of the twenty-five or more so-called self-supporting activities of the State. A small part comes from revenues produced from State hospitals, agricultural boards, prisons, commissions and other like activities; while the remainder is secured from federal allotments to our highways and schools. Your attention is directed to section 12, article XIII, of the constitution adopted November 4, 1924, providing for the levy of an annual educational poll tax. The Legislature has not provided for the levy or collection of this tax. For that reason no prospective revenue from this source is estimated to accrue in the budget figures herewith presented to you. The expenditure of money borrowed through bond issues is reflected in the budget only as it is repaid in the form of interest or principal, since this constitutes the only actual State expenditure involved.

The only point here to be stressed is that the budget contains every expenditure of the State, no matter how the money to meet that expenditure is secured. In this way every citizen on examining the budget may get a complete picture of our entire State expenses for every institution, department, or activity of any kind. They are all State expenditures, whatever the agency which spends the money or whatever the source from which the bills are paid.

THE BUDGET BILL.

In conformity with the constitutional requirement, this budget is accompanied by a general appropriation bill, known as the "budget bill." My conviction is that the constitution intends that this budget bill shall be so proposed as to reflect exactly the recommendations of the budget. Accordingly, you will find that every provision of this budget appears in the accompanying budget bill, excepting those items of fixed charges and recurrent appropriations now specifically covered by existing constitutional or statutory enactments.

Certain changes of language, to clarify the budget bill in the light of past experience, have been incorporated after consultation with the State Controller and the Attorney General. I believe that in all these respects the present budget bill will be found a great improvement over any other budget bill heretofore submitted.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION BILLS.

The constitution clearly contemplates that, as far as possible, every state expenditure shall be included in the budget. Such a procedure would do away with a vast number of special appropriation bills which in the past have contributed so much toward slowing down legislation. For instance, at the last session a hundred of these special appropriation bills were signed, many of which might properly have been given a place in the budget.

In the present budget will be found provisions for the San Joaquin Valley deep water channel, for the completion of the John Muir trail, for the purchase of land for the State Fair grounds and for other institutions, and for many similar purposes which have previously been the subjects of special appropriation bills. If any have been inadvertently omitted, it is suggested that they be included by the Board of Control as budget amendments, rather than presented as special acts. In this way we can help to reduce materially the number of bills before the Legislature.

There are bound to be certain appropriations, however, which can not be included in the budget. Among these is the payment of claims, which affect, not the ensuing biennium and its budget, but the present or past bienniums. Neither should increases of statutory salaries nor the compensation of additional statutory officers or employees be included until such increases or additions have been provided by new legislation. Nor can the budget include appropriations for the launching of new

projects and policies, such as the expenses of proposed commissions and the like, until you have given to such projects legislative authorization. All other expenditures, I believe, were intended by the constitution to be included within the budget and budget bills In being thus included they are in no respect removed from the power of the Legislature, since that body has exactly the same relation to the budget bill and its amendments as it has to every other appropriation bill.

TOTAL STATE EXPENDITURES.

As will be noted from an examination of the budget herewith submitted, the total State expenditures for next biennium are estimated at $193,518,165.09. This sum has been arrived at after numerous conferences with the heads of all the institutions and departments of the State—conferences which resulted in reducing the figures submitted to the previous Board of Control by somewhat more than $10,000,000. As will be noted also, the increase of expenditures of this budget over the last is far smaller than any other increase during the past twelve years, as well as probably the smallest percentage of increase in the history of the State.

During the course of the present legislative session, I shall possibly suggest certain amendments to the budget bill submitted at this time. For instance, after solving our main highway problems it may be thought wise to make an appropriation for prison road camps. Partially offsetting this, however, would be a reduction in the maintenance cost of the prisons; so that the actual budget figures will not be materially increased.

OUR INCREASING EXPENDITURES.

Notwithstanding the comparatively small increase in expenditures for the next biennium we can not shut our eyes to the fact that State expenditures during the last decade have grown very rapidly. This growth may be seen by tracing during the past twelve years the total expenditures for each biennium, together with the increase and percentage of increase from one biennium to the next. The figures for the first three of these bienniums are taken from the State Controller's table, "Showing State Expenditures for the Past Fifteen Years." The figures for the last three bienniums are identical with those in the body of this report, and have been compiled by the State Board of Control in consultation with the Controller. They may be easily traced by an examination of the following table:

GROWTH OF STATE EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE-YEAR PERIOD.

Fiscal years of bienniums	Date limits of bienniums	Total expenditures of bienniums	Increase over previous biennium	Percentage of increase over previous biennium
69th and 70th	1917-1919	$61,122,962.32		
71st and 72nd	1919-1921	79,687,495.03	$18,564,532.71	30.3%
73rd and 74th	1921-1923	115,448,943.27	35,761,448.24	44.8%
75th and 76th	1923-1925	142,915,833.44	27,466,890.17	23.8%
77th and 78th	1925-1927	180,189,054.40	37,273,220.96	26.0%
79th and 80th	1927-1929	193,518,165.09	13,329,110.69	7.4%

As will be noted the percentage of increase for this biennium over last is 7.4 per cent, as compared with 23.8 per cent, the lowest percentage prior to this time during our twelve-year period This percentage of increase, for the first time in many years, has been held down to the approximate percentage of the State's growth in population. I need not say that it will be the policy of this administration to continue holding down these increases to the lowest possible figure. It is of course inevitable that expenses must grow with a growing state, but we must exercise constant care that not a dollar is spent which does not bring back one hundred cents worth of efficient service or of absolutely necessary permanent improvements. This is the kind of sound economy that the public demands.

OTHER BUDGET COMPARISONS.

The present constitutional budget provisions have been in effect for the past two biennial periods. For this reason I have presented to you certain comparative tables covering the entire experience under the budget system You will find among these a comparative table for the periods 1923-1925, 1925-1927, and 1927-1929, reflecting State revenues of every kind, from every source—the first such presentation which has ever been made. Another feature of the table of revenues reflects the disposition of these, indicating which go into the State's general fund and which go into "special funds" dedicated to certain specified uses.

Expenditures of all departments, for all purposes, during the same periods, are likewise presented for the first time. You are invited to make careful comparisons of these expenditures during the three bienniums for each agency or activity in which you are particularly interested.

ANALYSIS OF SURPLUS

From the report of the State Controller to Governor Richardson, under date of December 14, 1926, I quote the following:

"The general fund surplus will approximate $15,000,000 as of June 30, 1927 * * * In the event a $5,500,000 appropriation for highway construction, authorized at the last legislative session, is unexpended, the present surplus will be augmented to that extent.

"An analysis of the surplus indicates that it is transitory in character and will be absorbed by increased fixed charges and normal departmental expansion within the next four years * * *

"The budget for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years will reduce the general fund surplus to $10,000,000 as a minimum, without taking into consideration special appropriations for road construction or other items commonly provided for at each legislative session."

The Controller in his report properly characterizes this surplus as one which "is transitory in character and will be absorbed by increased fixed charges and normal departmental expansion within the next four years." This period of four years must elapse before we can hope to modify our tax system, should a constitutional change in that system be found necessary. On the basis of the Controller's forecast that the absolutely fixed and unavoidable increases in governmental expense will inevitably absorb our surplus within four years it is very evident that we must conserve this surplus and make it last as long as possible by the most rigid economy in every direction.

SOURCE OF PRESENT SURPLUS

It is interesting to note how it has come to pass that we have so large a surplus at this time. This is clearly shown by the same report of the State Controller to Governor Richardson On this point the Controller says:

"On June 30, 1923, there was a general fund surplus of $4,707,852.21. * * * During the past two years $11,500,000 has been paid into the general fund by railroad companies to cover the impounded taxes as a result of the King tax bill litigation. It is to be observed that the sum so received, plus the surplus on hand as of June 30, 1923, is substantially the present general fund surplus."

In other words, the present surplus, instead of being an accumulation of the past four years, in large part was actually inherited from the earlier administration, either in the form of cash or of impounded money from a suit instituted in 1921. This is an unusual situation which can not be expected to occur a second time. It is therefore imperative that some modification be made in our existing tax system before the accumulated excess of future irreducible expenditures over corresponding future revenues shall have entirely wiped out our surplus now in the treasury.

NECESSITY FOR STUDY OF TAX SYSTEM.

In pointing out these facts I am in no wise assailing our present tax system In my opinion it is incomparably better than the old system which it supplanted sixteen years ago. The last legislation produced by the present system under the form of the King tax bill a bill which not only equalized the burden of taxation, but which has also saved the State from an ad valorem tax. If the King tax bill had not been enacted, instead of a surplus we should now be faced with the necessity of levying upon all property owners to meet a $25,000,000 deficit accruing within the past six years.

The only thing to be determined by an investigation of our tax system is whether we can continue to raise the necessary revenues for our growing state by periodic new "King tax bills," or whether we must make some modification of or addition to our present system To determine this, I trust that the Legislature will authorize the appointment of a tax commission to make a careful study of the entire situation

CONCLUSION.

The budget which I am here presenting has been prepared under my personal supervision, but it would have been impossible to present it so early in the session had its details not been worked out with an immense amount of labor by the members and accountants of the present Board of Control. To them I wish to express my appreciation for their long hours of faithful service. And to you, the members of the Legislature, I herewith submit these results of our work, confident that each of you will cooperate with me in helping to make this budget a pledge to the people of California that you and I propose to unite in giving to them everything they can possibly desire in the way of an economical and business-like administration.

Respectfully submitted

C. C. YOUNG, Governor of California.

January 19, 1927.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the necessary expenses for travel, board, and lodging incurred by judges and justices sitting in the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive;

Also: Senate Bill No. 225—An act appropriating money for the support and maintenance of the Judicial Council for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 223 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 224 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 225 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California,
Sacramento, California.

Assembly Bill No. 142 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

In my opinion the appropriation necessary for such expenditure during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34 of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency measure.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 142, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 142—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 142 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering, at this time, Assembly Bill No. 142.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No 142—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 142.—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 142 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California,
Sacramento, California

Assembly Bill No. 268 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State Armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

In my opinion the appropriation necessary for such expenditure during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34, of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency measure.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 268, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State Armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 268 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that

section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Assembly Bill No. 268.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State Armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State Armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 268 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California,
Sacramento, California.

Senate Bill No. 100 makes appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments, submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926.

In my opinion the appropriation necessary for such expenditure during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, Sec 34 of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency measure.

Respectfully submitted. C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 100, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED.

Senate Bill No. 100—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 100 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 100.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED.

Senate Bill No. 100—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED.

Senate Bill No. 100—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 2, 1926.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 100 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Mr. Snyder asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 29, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

Senate Bill No 29—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness and providing for a levy of taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds, and making same an urgency measure.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWENTY-NINE

Senate Bill No. 29—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 29 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to amendments to the charter of the city of Berkeley, after due ratification by the qualified electors of said city at a city election properly held.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Approving the charter of the city of Inglewood, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of the said city of Inglewood, upon a special municipal election held therein on the fourteenth day of December, 1926.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 ordered to printer and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No 275—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 1381 and relating to who shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors, and making the same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 275 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The select committee appointed by the Speaker to report upon some appropriate proceeding, commemorating the event of the seventy-fifth

anniversary of the first convening of the State Legislature in the city of Sacramento, submitted the following report:

California was admitted into the union of states on the ninth day of September, 1850. The people had adopted a constitution on the thirteenth day of November, 1849, and at the same election Peter H. Burnett was elected as the first Governor of California and was inaugurated at San Jose on the twentieth day of December, 1849.

Thus we find evidenced the highest attribute in the pioneer, the making of a State of equal sovereignty with the several states of the Union, at a period prior to its admission into the Union as a state. The right of organization was much debated, but a constitutional convention was held at Colton Hall in Monterey on the first day of September, 1849, and a committee reported that the first session of the Legislature should be held in the Pueblo de San Jose, which should be the seat of government until moved by a two-thirds vote of the members elected to each house.

Another resolution was introduced proposing that the first session of the Legislature be held at Monterey and subsequent sessions be held at the seat of government, which should be at Pueblo de San Jose.

It was contended that San Jose would not have sufficient accommodations for the members; that Monterey had been the seat of government since 1781. Of course, this refers to the sovereignty of Spain followed by Mexico during the years prior to the American conquest. It was decided that the first session be held at San Jose and to convene on the fifteenth day of December, 1849, nearly a year prior to the admission of California as the thirty-first State of the Union

It was complained that all of the rooms in San Jose had been engaged by lobbyists and that there were no accommodations for the members and the two branches of the Legislature were compelled to meet in separate buildings.

On April 3, 1850, General Vallejo submitted to the Legislature the proposition that he would lay out a city upon the Straits of Carquinez and would grant to the State one hundred fifty-six acres of land for building purposes, and besides, pay to the State, within two years, the sum of $370,000, to be applied to the construction of buildings and asked that the proposition be submitted to the people.

On April 22, 1850, the Legislature passed an act directing the Governor to submit the same to the people at the following general election to be held October 7, 1850.

At the election the people voted for Vallejo, the votes standing Vallejo, 7477; San Jose 1292—showing the great diversity of interest in California and the zone which encompassed these interests.

Votes were cast for Donnieville, Nevada, Eureka, Yuba and San Diego.

Action was then taken by the Legislature, which resulted in the selection of Vallejo and on the fifth day of January, 1852, the third session of the Legislature convened at Vallejo. On the twelfth day of January, 1852, both houses adjourned to meet at Sacramento on the sixteenth day of January, 1852.

Just seventy-five years ago last Sunday the session of the California Legislature convened for the first time at the present Capital City. On the seventh day of March, 1852, the city of Sacramento was inundated, this being the time of the flood, which has always been a glowing, if disastrous, part of the history of northern California. On May 18, 1853, the Legislature adopted a resolution to adjourn, to meet at Benicia, and in pursuance thereof the Legislature met at Benicia in 1853 and 1854.

On the twenty-fourth day of February, 1854, while the Legislature was in session at Benicia, it passed the act to move the seat of government to Sacramento and, on the twenty-eighth day of February, 1854, the Governor and State officers removed to the new seat of government and the Legislature met on the first day of March, 1854, at Sacramento, and this city has remained the seat of government ever since, though there have been attempts to remove it to other places.

On the afternoon of Sunday, January 16, 1927, the seventy-fifth anniversary of the first convening of the Legislature was observed by a reception given by the citizens of Sacramento, under the auspices of the Woman's Council of Sacramento, to Governor C. C. Young and Mrs. Young, and Lieutenant Governor Buron Fitts and Mrs. Fitts, where congratulations were extended and heartfelt wishes offered for a successful administration of government for the next four years, to which appropriate replies were made by the Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

ELEANOR MILLER, Chairman.
FRANK L. COOMBS.
PERCY G. WEST.
ROY J. NIELSEN.

Report read.

On motion of Mr. Carter, the report was unanimously adopted and ordered printed in the Journal.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock, and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, January 20, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 20, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Wilhamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Adams, Mr. W. E. Landram of Merced was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. J. L. Beebe, Esq., of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. J. W. McNiece, executive secretary to commissioner of streets, Oakland, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. W. H. Graham of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Miss Eloise B. Cushing, law librarian of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Miss Hortense M. Cushing of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Patterson, Judge Howard A. Pearrs, former member of the Legislature, and superior court judge of Kern County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scudder, Mr. George R. Harrison of Sebastopol was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Spalding, Mr. J. J. McDonald of Stockton was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Burton F. Becker, sheriff of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Hon. H. D. Gregory, judge of the superior court of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. C. F. Belding, county clerk of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mrs. Buron Fitts, wife of the Lieutenant Governor of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Williamson, Mrs. E. Walton Hedges Jr., wife of E. Walton Hedges Jr., Assemblyman of the Forty-eighth district, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Oren A. King, member of the State Real Estate Commission, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Stewerd McNab of Georgetown, El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving the charter of the city of Santa

Barbara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Santa Barbara, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of November, 1926—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the nineteenth day of January, 1927, at 3:20 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving the charter of the city of Burbank, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Burbank at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the fourth day of January, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the nineteenth day of January, 1927, at 3:20 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the necessary expenses for travel, board, and lodging incurred by judges and justices sitting in the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive;

Also: Senate Bill No. 225—An act appropriating money for the support and maintenance of the Judicial Council for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workman's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to the policy of caring for the Indians of California by the expenditure of federal appropriations through State agencies.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWO.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2—A resolution relative to the policy of caring for the Indians of California by the expenditure of federal appropriations through State agencies.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James, A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

Relative to the policy of caring for the Indians of California by the expenditure of federal appropriations through State agencies.

WHEREAS, There is now pending in Congress of the United States a bill known as the Swing-Johnson bill, numbered _____ in the House of Representatives, providing that funds appropriated for the care and relief of the Indians of California, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, shall be expended through certain public agencies of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, The California State Board of Health, State Department of Education and the State Department of Public Welfare are excellently equipped to handle such federal appropriations and administer the relief which they are designed to accomplish for the Indians of California; and

WHEREAS, The health, economic welfare and education of the Indians of California is a matter in which the people of this State have a growing concern; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby heartily endorse the principles embodied in said Swing-Johnson bill pending before the Congress of the United States and believes that the best interests of the Indians of California will be served by its speedy enactment; be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the House of Representatives, chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the United States Senate and to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, as well as to each of the Senators and Representatives in Congress of the State of California.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act" creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stock-

holders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems; for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto river and its tributaries, and for the protecting the water sheds from fire; and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, and improving, expending and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization; and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of county auditors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to amend section 19*x*40 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and deputy probation office in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 3322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 561—An act regulating the sale of grain in sacks, defining the term grain, providing that the sacks and the weight thereof be included as a part of the net weight of grain sold or purchased, providing for the payment for sacks as a part of the purchase price of grain sold or purchased, making it the duty of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions thereof and providing a penalty for a violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Yuba City, Sutter County, to Woodland, Yolo County, to be a State highway; providing for acquiring of rights of way and construction of a causeway with approaches on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to add a new section to be known as section 4219½ to the Political Code of the State of California, relating to and defining the powers and duties of the county surveyor pertaining to and concerning the preparation of plans, specifications, drawings and estimates for the building and construction of roads, highways and bridges, the superintendence of the maintenance, repair and construction of permanent highways in the county and providing for the designation by the board of supervisors of the surveyor as the person to prepare plans, specifications, drawings and estimates for the building, construction, repair and maintenance of any road, highway or bridge and to supervise the building, construction, repair and maintenance of such road, highway or bridge.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Juvenile Court Law,' and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years: and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with

such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915 as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend subdivision 42 of section 2322 of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 19*r*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Also: Assembly Bill No. 567—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California, by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith" approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 568—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 762, relating to the appointment of law secretaries by judges of the Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 569—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 763, relating to the salary of law secretaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend subdivision 7 of section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 572—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended,

relating to the number of employees on passenger, mail or express trains, and the number of employees on freight, mixed or work trains of various lengths.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1669 to the Political Code, relating to courses of instruction in schools, colleges, universities, and other educational institutions of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to amend "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations and providing for compensation therefor." (Approved May 18, 1917, Stats. 1917, p. 673. *In effect* July 27, 1917) Amended 1919, p. 231; 1921, pp. 1009, 1114, 1923, p. 87.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 575—An act to amend sections 1578 and 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate petitions for leave to mortgage or lease.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*a*, and relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 586—An act to amend section 737*o* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 587—An act to amend section 3 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the classifying of tuberculosis as an injury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Kelsey (by request): Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, etc., and to rent temporary buildings, etc.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the Commission or City Manager plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No 590—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to provide for the destruction by the State Fish and Game Commission of certain fish in Clear Lake, in the county of Lake, State of California; for the disposal thereof; to pay a bonus therefor, and appropriating moneys in order to carry on the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 594—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the leasing by the State of California of salt marsh and tidelands adjoining salt marsh and tidelands sold pursuant to an act approved April 1, 1870, entitled 'An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to survey and dispose of certain salt marsh and tidelands belonging to the State of California, approved March 30, 1868,' and lying between the boundary line of the land so sold pursuant to said act and the line of mean low tide of the stream upon which said lands to be leased border," approved June 13, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding proprietors of hotels, inns, restaurants, and boarding houses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section to be numbered 383*a* to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to refund of erroneously collected taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 600—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*k*, relating to protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d* and 16*e* to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a state laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to vital statistics and the duties of local registrars in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 606—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, as added to said code by an act entitled "An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4225*a*, authorizing the appointment of public health nurses by boards of supervisors and providing for the determination of their duties, qualifications and compensation," approved April 30, 1919, relating to the duties of county public health nurses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Messrs. Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Feigenbaum, Gant, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Nielsen, Patterson, Rochester, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Williamson, and Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the board of control.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass.

Bill read first time, and referred to committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hedges: Assembly Bill No. 612—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers

or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by amending sections 4 and 5 thereof and adding a new section to be numbered section 8.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Parkman. Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 and 271*a* of this code to work.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Crawford. Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered_____and_____, relating to newspapers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 617—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 230*b*, relating to the adoption of persons of full age.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 618—An act to add a new article to be numbered article V, and embracing section 149, to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale, possession and use of machine rifles, automatic rifles, machine guns and submachine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 620—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 230*a*, relating to the adoption of persons of full age.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their

appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation', approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Messrs. Jacobson and Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 625—An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, including among others those persons known as inside shop operatives, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a board of examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commisioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said board of examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*d*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees and city boards of education pertaining to the funds and financial transactions of school organizations composed largely or wholly of pupils in the public elementary and secondary schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, referring to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 632—An act to amend section 3245 of the Political Code, relating to hours of labor on public work.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation thereof," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

By Mr. Jost (by request): Assembly Bill No. 635—An act to add a new section to be numbered_____, relating to hospital associations and benefit societies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells so as to unduly diminish or render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the conduct of research and investigation of sewage and industrial wastes to determine upon proper methods for treatment and disposal, and providing for an advisory council.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*b*, relating to the bonding of school employees and officials, and to the establishing of a revolving fund by school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*r*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the open season for the hunting of doves.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 643—An act declaring the public highway extending from or near Minturn, Madera County, to its intersection with that portion of the State highway known as the "Merced-El Portal," to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 2*a* of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts, approved March 11, 1911," and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 19, 1915,' approved May 23, 1925," relating to the fish and game district 1¾.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, relating to water rights.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Messrs. Bernard, Anderson, Roscoe J., Heisinger, Roland, Duval, Lyons and Walters: Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division

of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19*x*44 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No 659—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation and restoration of shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, with respect to issuance of licenses to marry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 61 and 131 of the Civil Code, and to repeal section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to interlocutory decree for divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined: to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer: to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers of materials used in manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Commitee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 668—An act to authorize the California Fish and Game Commission to select certain areas within the State, to be designated as resting places or loafing grounds for migratory water fowl and to establish such areas as game preserves.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming and change of names of public highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Commitee on County Government.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, prescribing the number and fixing the salaries thereof and making a supplement appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Flynn: Assembly Bill No. 676—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 4, to an act entitled "An act to prevent

the adulteration of paints, oils, varnishes and pigments," approved March 22, 1907, relating to labeling of paint containers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 365*g* of an act entitled "An act relating to eminent domain actions by the California Highway Commission," approved May 19, 1925, by adding a new subdivision entitled subdivision (*d*).

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend section 2168 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of reclamation district No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof and the proceedings

relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand or trademark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act and providing for penalties for the violation of same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Feigenbaum, Gant, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Nielsen, Patterson, Rochester, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Williamson and Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 10 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* and to add a new section, to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend sections 2167, 2174, 2189 and 2190*a* of the Political Code, relating to the custody and discharge of patients from State hospitals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title X*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Byrne (by request): Assembly Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 and to add two new sections to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the indication by the registered qualified electors of their choice for nomination by their respective political parties for President of the United States through the election of the delegates of said political parties to their respective national conventions, and to appeal an act approved December 24, 1911, known as the Presidential Primary Act, and also to appeal all other acts or parts inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved April 28, 1915, as amended relating to party principles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 694—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of moneys collected in municipal courts, as bail, fines and forfeitures.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 695—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of all moneys collected therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 697—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 698—An act to add five new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c* and

928*d*, providing for the establishment of small claims courts in cities and counties where municipal courts are established

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 699—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to add a new chapter, to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to amend chapter 358 of the Municipal Court Act, approved May 23, 1925, by adding a new section to be known as section 31, providing for municipal court auditors for municipal courts in cities or cities and counties of one and one-half class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to who shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons and minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 702—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State Employees; providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Hornblower (by request): Assembly Bill No 703—An act to prevent all persons not eligible to citizenship in the State of California or in the United States of America from catching or taking fish or shell fish in the waters of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Messrs. Keaton and Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 705—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of

being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*r*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Burns, Levey, Oliva, Fry, Feigenbaum, Hornblower, Jacobson, Flynn, Miller, James A., Hawes, Williamson, Morrison and Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to create the office of public defender, relating to creating an office to defend persons charged with crimes, without means to hire counsel.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, relating to security of deposits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494 providing for payment of expenses of county treasurer in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3495 providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts and to add thereto a new section 3496 providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 710—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts

of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 12, 1923, relating to security of deposits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 67 of the "Bank Act" of the State of California, as amended, relating to limitations on loans.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section ------ of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section ------, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 714—An act to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4308*a*, relative to a special fund for certain expenses incurred by grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*x*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants and inspectors and fixing the number thereof in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*x*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 1278*a*, relating to the form of undertakings of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 721—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1305*a*, concerning the notice to defendant or surety of the forfeiture of a bail bond or deposit in lieu of bail, or of the commencement of an action for the recovery of the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 722—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 1280*c*, relating to the recordation of bail bonds, making a lien on property and providing for the release of the lien.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 1280 of the Penal Code, relating to examination of sureties on bail bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 724—An act to amend section 1297 of the Penal Code, relating to money deposited in court in lieu of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend section 1302 of the Penal Code, relating to the return of money deposited with the clerk of the court in lieu of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 862*a*, relating to the powers and duties of the magistrate at the time of fixing the amount of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 727—An act to amend section 1280*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the contents of affidavits made at the time of justification of bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 653*a*, relating to theaters and other places of public entertainment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Messrs. Woolwine and Wright: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend sections 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3722, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758 and 3759 of the Political Code of California, relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to repeal section 924 of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14—Proposed amendment to article IV, section 6 of the constitution, relative to apportionment of the State into assembly and senatorial districts.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 15—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to revenue and taxation.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—Proposed amendment to article IX of the constitution, relative to textbooks, county boards of education and granting of teachers' certificates.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relative to printing and publication of school textbooks.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Mixter, Crittenden, Bernard and Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to appointing a committee to investigate the water resources of the State.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Mixter asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, at this time, without reference to committee or printer, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIXTEEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 16—Relative to appointing a committee to investigate the water resources of the State.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 16.

Relative to appointing a committe to investigate the water resources of the State.

WHEREAS, It appears that a complete and detailed report by the State Engineer upon the water resources of the State has been rendered impossible at this time by reason of the decease of the Honorable W. F. McClure, former State Engineer; and

WHEREAS, The summary report upon water resources of the State recently submitted by the State Engineer to the Legislature at the forty-seventh session thereof is lacking in the detailed information which is necessary to a proper and adequate study of the subjects therein considered; and

WHEREAS, It is vital to the interests of this State, particularly to the agricultural districts thereof, that the Legislature of the State of California, at the forty-seventh session thereof, have available for the consideration of its members sufficient and adequate information to enable them to consider and to further the adoption and enactment of constructive legislation in relation thereto; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That a committee of seven members, consisting of four members of the Assembly and three members of the Senate, be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate, respectively, in conjunction with the assistance of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to make a further study of the records of the State Engineer, pertaining to the subject of this resolution and to report its findings and submit its recommendations to this Legislature at the forty-seventh session thereof not later than the first week in March, 1927, and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying

the expense of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid equally from the contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of the said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Melville.

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

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Reindollar:

WHEREAS, Various members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence their bill files and other printed matter for use during the constitutional recess; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other material as is necessary for the purpose of shipping the same, properly packed, to said members, and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed three hundred fifty dollars and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be authorized and directed to receipt for any warrants for members, officers or attaches of the Assembly during the constitutional recess

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $3141.31 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

Bancroft-Whitney Company, 83 sets Deering's Codes and General Laws with 1925 Supplement in 7 Volumes	$2,324 00
Carithers Sign Company, Lettering Door	2 80
Frank Tipping, Florist, one wreath	5 00
State Purchasing Department, Supplies for January	749 81
Hall, Luhrs & Company, Domino Matches	4 05
Moise-Klinkner Company, one box	4 65
Geo. N. Hammond Typewriter Company, Rent of Typewriters	47 50
Purcell Stationery Company, Supplies	3 50
	$3,141 31

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597, relating to carrying animals on automobile.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Crawford: Assembly Bill No. 737—An act providing for the certification by the street superintendent of delinquent assessments for public improvements in amounts under $25 to the tax collector of the city or county wherein such assessments originate and providing that such delinquent assessments shall be payable with, when and as the general municipal or county taxes are payable, and providing a penalty on such delinquency.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 740—An act to require the State Printer to print, and provide for the sale and distribution to the public, the decisions of the Supreme Court, the District Court of Appeal, and the codes and general laws of the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 6 and section 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes; to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits; to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof; and to provide a method of dissolving such district," approved May 16, 1919, as amended.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 745—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time education in high schools.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Crawford: Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to amend section 4131 of the Political Code, relating to the recording of instruments by the county recorder.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 747—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 750—An act declaring the public road commencing at or near Kane Springs, in Imperial County, and extending through Julian, in San Diego County, to Riverside, in Riverside County, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 752—An act to amend section 1373 of the Penal Code, relating to the expenses of insane persons

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Williams (by request). Assembly Bill No. 754—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to the protection of fur-bearing wild animals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 755—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation of storm drain systems, levied upon the property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch, on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend by-laws in division IX of section 599 of the Civil Code, for the benefit of women's clubs.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 758—An act to amend section 737*p*, of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto five new sections, to be numbered 4½, 5½, 17½, 19½ and 23½, relating to the annexation of county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, the operation and maintenance of lateral and collecting sewers, the construction by such districts of sewers under the "Improvement Act of 1911," and the dissolution of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No 766—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1202*a*, prescribing what evidence of confessions and admissions may be admitted in evidence upon the trial of any criminal cause, and regulating the mode of obtaining such evidence and presenting the same to the trial court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 767—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1543, excluding property taken, seized, or obtained in violation of the provisions of section 19 of article I of the Constitution of California and the further provisions of chapter III of title XII of part II of the Penal Code, from use in evidence upon the trial of criminal causes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 768—An act granting to the regents of the University of California for the use of the University

of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain tidelands bordering on the Pacific Ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said tidelands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Jacobson and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 770—An act to amend section 927*p*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees in justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 771—An act to amend section 136 of the Civil Code, relating to maintenance of wife and children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to procedure before the Industrial Accident Commission following death of compensation claimants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 773—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to suspension of operator's and chauffeur's licenses in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from preexisting injury, disability or condition.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No 775—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No 776—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr Hedges: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito.

Bill read first time, and referred to Commitee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expenses of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to the power of the city council to overrule a majority protest by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of its members, and to omit the provision giving the council such power therefrom.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 781—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the setting of backfires.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 782—An act to amend section 95 of the California Vehicle Act, relating to horns and warning devices on motor vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to wilful and malicious burning of buildings and structures under circumstances not amounting to arson.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend section 111 of the California Vehicle Act, relating to red lights visible from the front of motor vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 785—An act to add a new section to the California Vehicle Act, to be numbered section 95½, relating to signs upon fire department and fire warden vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 786—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 601 of the Penal Code, relating to malicious use of explosives and inflammable substances.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 631*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 789—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild animals; to provide bounties for the killing thereof; making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties; providing a penalty for making a false affidavit under the provisions of this act; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 790—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and the temporary transfer of funds to the credit of school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 792—An act to amend sections 60 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to amend section 230 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relative to the adoption of illegitimate children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hedges: Assembly Bill No. 795—An act to amend sections 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to require owners of forest lands to

provide a fire patrol therefor," approved June 6, 1923, relative to protection of forest lands from fire.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing the State Board of Forestry to receive gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2985, relating to the care and treatment of tubercular persons in private sanitariums and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester; and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident, or on account of fire.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the duties of constables and sheriffs in the service and levy of writs, notices and other process issued by justices of the peace or justices' courts in civil actions or proceedings.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water master.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 808—An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of California, division I, part IV, title XI, chapter VI thereof, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 453*q*, providing for a guaranty surplus fund of corporations formed to carry on mutual insurance business on the assessment plan, and deposit thereof with the State Treasurer under the supervision of the Insurance Commissioner and relating to the provisions of contracts of such corporations maintaining such guaranty surplus fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto,

prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend section 2322*x*36 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of horticultural commissioners, their deputies and assistants in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 814—An act requiring owners of motor vehicles to file with the division of motor vehicles a contract of indemnity, indemnifying persons suffering damages to property, injuries to person, and loss by death, by negligence of operators of such vehicles; fixing the maximum liability under such indemnity contract, the terms thereof and requirements of the insurance carrier; prescribing penalties for operating vehicles without such indemnity contract.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 815—An act providing contracts in violation of any usury law of the State or charge of interest in excess of the rate and amount allowable by the laws of this State shall be void and that this act shall be a cumulative remedy to any law in relation to contracts for unlawful payment or collection of interest

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 816—An act regulating the employment of railroad, interurban, tramway and street car flagmen and signalmen.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Scofield (by request): Assembly Bill No. 817—An act for the protection of natural resources of petroleum and gas in the State of California from waste.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 818—An act to amend an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental ruling; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of seals in Santa Barbara Channel.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by adding thereto a new section numbered 25½, relating to magistrates as the term is used in said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May

16, 1925, by amending section 145, relating to powers of boards of supervisors and legislative bodies of cities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 824—An act providing for the appointment by the Judicial Council of a director and an executive secretary of said Judicial Council for the compensation thereof and for the prescribing of the duties thereof by said Judicial Council.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to compensation of viewers and surveyors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance and the reserves required in certain classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the giving or lending of public credit.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution is proposed to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the District Court of Appeal, and of the judges of the superior courts.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19—Proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution, relating to the conservation, storage and equitable distribution of the unappropriated and surplus waters in order that the same may be utilized to the best advantage for the promotion of the general welfare of the public.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Woolwine: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 223, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the judicial council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "pay" insert "the state's share of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, after the word "inclusive", strike out the semicolon and the words "provided however that" and insert in lieu thereof a period, and begin the following word "the" with a capital.

Amendments adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California,
Sacramento, California.

Senate Bills Nos. 223, 224 and 225 make appropriations for the expenses of the Judicial Council, for the State's share of additional salaries of judges transferred by order of the Judicial Council, and the necessary expenses of the judges so transferred.

The constitutional amendment creating the Judicial Council became effective immediately after its adoption in November, 1926. The Judicial Council is now functioning in accordance with the powers fixed by that amendment.

In my opinion the appropriations necessary for the expenses of such operation during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitute an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34, of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of these bills as emergency measures.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 223 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder,

Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 223.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called and Senate Bill No 223 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No 224, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the necessary expenses for travel, board, and lodging incurred by judges and justices sitting in the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 224 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second, and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 224.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the necessary expenses for travel, board, and lodging incurred by judges and justices sitting in the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the necessary expenses for travel, board, and lodging incurred by judges and justices sitting in the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal,

by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 224 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 225, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE.

Senate Bill No. 225—An act appropriating money for the support and maintenance of the Judicial Council for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered.

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 225 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second, and third times, and placed upon its passage

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker.—61.

NOES—None

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 225.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE.

Senate Bill No. 225—An act appropriating money for the support and maintenance of the Judicial Council for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker.—61.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE.

Senate Bill No. 225—An act appropriating money for the support and maintenance of the Judicial Council for the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 225 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker.—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

WITTER, Chairman.
FRY.
JONES.
GANT.
KELSEY.
BERNARD.
JEWETT.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Keaton asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7—Relating to an act of Congress of the United States restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7

Relating to an act of Congress of the United States restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship.

WHEREAS, In 1921 the Legislature of the State of California by appropriate resolution urged upon the Congress and federal administrative and executive officers the necessity for the continued adherence to the policy of the United States, which restricted the right of citizenship to the white race, and likewise protested against any attempt by treaty or otherwise to permit the immigration of ineligible aliens; and

WHEREAS, In 1924 after full investigation and consideration Congress by general law prohibited the immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship; and

WHEREAS, Various organizations have since the passage of said act persistently sought to influence Congress to recede from such policy, and the adherence to said policy has been urged by the American Legion, American Federation of Labor, the Grange, and the Native Sons of the Golden West, the first three of which organizations have annually in their last three conventions by resolutions expressed their continued support of the congressional action, and

WHEREAS, There are now pending in Congress two bills, both of which are directly antagonistic to the General Immigration Act of 1924, and entirely out of harmony with the national policy on this subject because one of said measures, to wit, the Copeland bill, S 4505, would make eligible to American citizenship three hundred million Hindus, and the other, S. J. R. 128, would legalize the illegal action of certain courts in granting naturalization to sixty-nine Hindus; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of this State protests against the passage of either of such bills, and against any character of action designed to modify the present immigration laws, and reaffirms its belief that the privilege of American citizenship should continue to be restricted to the white race, and that the privilege of immigration should be extended only to those peoples who may become citizens of the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of California be urged to present the seriousness of the present situation to the attention of their colleagues and to the departments of the federal government, and to use all honorable means to prevent modification of the present naturalization and exclusion laws; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of California be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to adoption and ratification of certain amendments to the charter of the county of Butte.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 ordered to print and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No. 742—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State Armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 144—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair of the State Armory at San Francisco.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 144, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 144—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair of the State armory at San Francisco.

MESSAGE FROM GOVERNOR

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California,
Sacramento, California

Senate Bill No. 144 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair of the State armory at San Francisco

In my opinion the appropriation necessary for such expenditure during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34, of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency measure.

Respectfully submitted

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 144 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder,

Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering, at this time, Senate Bill No. 144.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 144—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair of the State armory at San Francisco.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 144—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair of the State armory at San Francisco.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 144 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day tabled Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency, Senate Bill No. 563—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace sitting in courts other than their own under assignments thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period from November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses, for said period, for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments, and declaring the same an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and providing for its going into effect immediately.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 563, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No. 563—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace sitting in courts other than their own under assignments thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period from November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses, for said period, for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments, and declaring the same an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and providing for its going into effect immediately.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered.

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 563 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second, and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering, at this time, Senate Bill No. 563.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No. 563—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace

sitting in courts other than their own under assignments thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period from November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses, for said period, for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments, and declaring the same an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and providing for its going into effect immediately.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Senate Bill No 563—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace sitting in courts other than their own under assignments thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, for the period from November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses, for said period, for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments, and declaring the same an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and providing for its going into effect immediately.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 563 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

MOTION TO INCREASE COMMITTEE.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the committee appointed to consult with the commissioners of the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposi-

tion, relative to the dedication of the California Building at Reno, Nevada, be increased from three to five.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

According to the above motion, the Speaker appoined Messrs. Carter and Wemple.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock, and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, January 21, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January 21, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Hawes moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr Nielsen, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, James A., Messrs. Fred Lorenzen, Conrad Sovig and Fred Mohr, delegates attending the Master Painters Convention, being held in Sacramento, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. George La Shell of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Dewey Akers of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. Bradley Grover, principal, and Mrs. James L. Silver, chaperone of the Fair Oaks School of Stockton, and the following pupils: Mildred Eades, Amelia Caviglio, Zelda Silver, Doris Delucchi, Minni Giottonini, Margaret Boggiano, Esther Harris, Dorothy Gordon, Marcetta Brown, Mary Rothrock, William Ekin, Dwight Silver, Homer Raleigh, Howard Williams and James Martinez were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relating to the purchase of flags for the legislative chambers;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twentieth day of January, 1927, at 4.45 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Remdollar

WHEREAS, Various members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence their bill files and other printed matter for use during the constitutional recess, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other material as is necessary for the purpose of shipping the same, properly packed, to said members, and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed $350 and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
FRY.
NIELSEN.
WILLIAMS.
EDDY.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of $75, said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
FRY.
NIELSEN.
WILLIAMS.
EDDY.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $3,141.31 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Bancroft-Whitney Company, 83 sets Deering's Codes and General Laws with 1925 Supplement in 7 volumes	$2,324 00
Carithers Sign Company, lettering door	2 80
Frank Tipping, florist, one wreath	5 00
State Purchasing Department, supplies for January	749 81
Hall, Luhrs and Company, Domino matches	4 05
Meise-Klinkner Company, one box	4 65
Geo. N. Hammond Typewriter Company, rent of typewriters	47 50
Purnell Stationery Company, supplies	3 50
Total	$3,141 31

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
FRY.
NIELSEN.
EDDY.
WILLIAMS.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relating to the re-creating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

WITTER, Chairman.
GANT.
JONES.
FRY.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jacobson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No 6, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 6—Relating to the re-creating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 6

Relating to the re-creating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate, jointly, That owing to the death, in the month of May, 1926, of United States District Judge John S. Partridge, leaving but two United States District Judges to function in the Northern District of California, and in view of the greatly congested calendars in the federal courts both in San Francisco and in Sacramento, and the exigencies of the public interests and litigation requiring immediate relief, the Congress of the United States be respectfully requested and urged to re-create, at the present session of Congress, the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California made vacant by the death of United States District Judge John S Partridge.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Witter, Jones and Little: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Amending Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system, adopted January 6, 1927.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Witter asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to committee or printer, and that same be considered engrossed

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Amending Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system, adopted January 6, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and Assembly Joint Resolution No 9 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 9.

Amending Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system, adopted January 6, 1927.

WHEREAS, On the sixth day of January, 1927, the Legislature adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, providing, among other things, for the appointment of a committee of three to negotiate with committees from Arizona and Nevada, relative to the rights of said respective states in and to the waters of the Colorado River, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the committee representing the State of California in said negotiations be increased to five members, so as to correspond in number with the committees representing said other states; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the members of the committee provided for in and by said Joint Resolution No. 1 be and the same is hereby increased to five members, to be appointed as provided in said Joint Resolution No. 1.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Messrs. Williamson and Jacobson Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 36, 45, 48, 56, 58, 59 and 60 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No 831—An act to amend section 1613 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of the use of school buildings.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 833—An act to provide for the registration of minors who are deaf; providing for duties of superintendents of schools in relation thereto and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610¼, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals, and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764c of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of the Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend an act known as "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disability indemnity and death benefits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Levey, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

By Messrs Jacobson and Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19b of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911,

and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 453*hh* of the Civil Code, relating to land value insurance corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No 846—An act to amend section 647 of the Penal Code, relating to vagrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 847—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 452*b*, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and providing that such associations shall not pay or agree to pay any remuneration for solicitation of membership applications until they have complied with section 609 of the Political Code, and shall have procured a certificate of authority from the Insurance Commissioner, and shall have complied with all of the laws of this State applicable to such associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also: Assembly Bill No. 848—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and the manner in which and the conditions upon which such associations may do business in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also: Assembly Bill No 849—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 3432 of the Civil Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a

Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend sections 2781, 2782 and 2783 of the Political Code, providing for the approval of all plans, routes and specifications of toll roads by the California Highway Commission, providing for the fixing of tolls on such roads and for the reversion of such roads to the State or county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 857—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Also: Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 864—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of reclamation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Wemple Assembly Bill No 868—An act declaring and establishing the public highway extending from the city limits of Susanville in the county of Lassen to the city limits of the city of Alturas in the county of Modoc, by way of Ravendale and Likely, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Lyons. Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for

violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 872—An act to amend section 9*a*44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California," and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of county librarians in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the county board of horticulture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr Jones: Assembly Bill No. 875—An act to amend section 19*x*15 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 876—An act to amend section 2010 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees charged for publication.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to prevent the unnecessary flow of water from subterranean sources from artificial wells and prescribing penalties therefor, and defining artificial wells and unnecessary flow

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 879—An act to amend section 831*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the change of venue in small claims courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Crawford: Assembly Bill No. 880—An act providing that the legislative body of any municipality or county shall transmit to the tax collector thereof a statement of the real property within such municipality or county against which assessment has been made for public improvements and providing that such statement in condensed form shall be stamped on tax bills for the purpose of giving notice to property owners of such assessments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. G. Celio and Sons, against the State of California, $118.44.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 884—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a State highway, and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Miller, James A: Assembly Bill No. 885—An act to amend section 1875 of the Political Code, relating to judicial notice.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Anderson, D. P., and Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of copyists appointed by the recorder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Crittenden. Assembly Bill No 889—An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to provide protection on the lives of children by fraternal benefit societies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 891—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to amend section 3 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of real estate commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 893—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and others with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees charged in the small claims court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 896—An act recognizing and establishing that the unpaid expenses of the convention which framed the constitution of the State of California, including the unpaid per diem of the delegates to such convention for the full term thereof, are obligations against the State, providing that suits may be brought against the State to determine by judgment the amount and ownership of claims for such unpaid expenses and per diem.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the Director of the State Department of Agriculture to destroy records.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to provide for competition on public works on which patented materials, patented mixtures, patented processes, or patented structures are specified; to regulate and provide conditions under which the State Highway Commission or the county board of supervisors, or officers of any city, town, or municipality shall specify, ask for bids, and use any such patented materials, mixtures, or processes for street, road, avenue, or alley construction; to provide for the filing of license agreements by owner, agent, or licensee, of such patented materials, mixtures, processes, or structures and to provide a penalty for rebating royalties or prices as set forth in such filed license agreements.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Baum (by request): Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 903—An act to amend act No. 4638 of the General Laws of California, entitled "An act to provide for the registration of brands and earmarks, the licensing and regulating of cattle slaughterers and sellers of meat; prescribing duties of the Department of Agriculture in relation thereto, and penalties for the violation hereof," approved June 3, 1921, and generally known as "The Hide and Brand Law," in such manner as to provide for

marking under the supervision of the Director of Agriculture the dressed carcasses of all bovine animals over one year of age as to indicate whether the carcasses are those of a steer, heifer, cow, stag or bull.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 904—An act to amend section 3629 of the Political Code, relating to including names and addresses on statement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 905—An act to amend section 3650 of the Political Code, relating to listing name and address of property owner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Fry (by request): Assembly Bill No. 906—An act to prohibit any person, firm or corporation issuing surety bonds from requiring security in addition to payment of premiums thereon, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and providing the method therefor, and making appropriations therefor and prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 909—An act defining and regulating the business of dry cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Bill No. 910—An act creating a commission for the investigation and study of the laws of the State, describing the duties of such commission, providing for the appointment of the members thereof and fixing their salaries and making appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 911—An act to amend section 1 of an act to provide for the burial of ex-Union soldiers, sailors, and

marines dying without sufficient means to defray burial expenses, approved March 15, 1889.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 5 of an act to provide for the burial of ex-Union soldiers, sailors, and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses, approved March 15, 1889, as amended, relating to compensation of person appointed to supervise burial.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasury of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditures by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unrepresented funds

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 914—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service holding positions requiring certification qualifications.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the superintendent of schools and his assistants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 916—An act to establish a State curriculum commission for the public schools of the State

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

By Mr. Cloudman (by request): Assembly Bill No 917—An act to amend section 876 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to duty of treasurer in cities of the sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of set back lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or

highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 919—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to High Schools and High School Districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515 and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 923—An act to amend the title of certain sections of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance by municipalities of lighting systems along public streets, alleys and other public places and for lighting thereof by electric current, gas or other illuminating agent; and for the assessment of the cost and the expense thereof upon the property benefited and the manner of collecting such assessment," approved May 16, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of clerks of city justice's courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. Anderson, D. P., and Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to provide for the construction of a paved highway by the joint highway district comprising the counties of Napa and Sonoma; said highway to commence at the town of Calistoga, in the county of Napa; thence running along the present traveled county road of Napa to and through Knights Valley and Alexander Valley in the county of

Sonoma, and to Sausal Creek in said Sonoma County, connecting with the paved road leading to the Redwood highway northerly of the town of Healdsburg; to appropriate the sum of $200,000 to be used therefor in connection with the further sum of $300,000 to be appropriated by the joint highway district comprising the counties of Napa and Sonoma.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 929—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation, and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens for farm laborers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add eighteen new sections to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, to the California Water Storage District Act, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 935—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 138 of "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of an owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus, or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles or for work or repair done therein; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected thereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to amend section 3898 of the Political Code, relating to sale of land for delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Also: Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 20, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

Also Assembly Bill No. 946—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the formation and prohibit the existence of secret oath-bound fraternities in the public schools," approved March 13, 1909, relating to membership in organizations not included in the act

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to repeal section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing

of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the oganization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Messrs. McPherson and Coombs: Assembly Bill No 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No 949—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county board of forestry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 789 of the Civil Code, relating to the termination of estates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 952—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to liens of apartment house keepers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 953—An act to amend section 1559 of the Civil Code, relating to contracts for the benefit of third persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this state, etc,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this state, etc," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes, the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925, relating to land along King Road, granted to Los Angeles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Wright and Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 960—An act establishing and creating the deciduous fruit experiment station, providing for investigation, research and demonstration in regard to deciduous fruits and nuts, including olives and figs, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act, and to repeal those two certain acts designated respectively as chapter 571 of the Statutes of 1919 and entitled "An act appropriating money for investigation, research and demonstration by the Department of Agriculture of the University of California, in regard to deciduous fruits and nuts,

including olives and figs," approved May 27, 1919, and chapter 744 of the Statutes of 1921 entitled "An act appropriating money for investigation, research, and demonstration by the Department of Agriculture of the University of California with regard to deciduous fruits and nuts, including olives and figs," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State

officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," relative to record and notice of action taken under this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 972—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved March 11, 1909, relating to records of such proceedings.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of incorporated towns and cities by the annexation of uninhabited territory thereto, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part of such municipality, and for the districting, government and municipal control of annexed territory," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval, on March 2, 1899, relative to record of annexation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Also: Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," relative to record of exclusion.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend sections 1 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries

of and for the annexation of territory to incorporated towns and cities, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part of such municipalities and for the districting, government, and municipal control of annexed territory," approved March 19, 1889, relative to record of annexation and to apportionment of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relative to record of consolidation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 978—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude uninhabited territory therefrom," approved June 11, 1913, relative to record of exclusion.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 979—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory or a county or the territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements," amended May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the control of the husband thereof.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 988—An act to amend section 161 of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the ownership of property by husband and wife.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 989—An act to amend section 172 of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the ownership and control thereof by the husband.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution, and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 12 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 995—An act providing for the placing in assessment books and on tax bills of all counties, and cities and counties of a statement of all public taxes, assessments and bond delinquencies not otherwise required by law to be placed on or included in assessment books of counties, cities, or cities and counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to amend section 10 of an act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and

making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Murphy and Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act; and providing limitations on the granting of such use

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon application of the owner of more than one third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No 1003—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the

Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as thereafter amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committtee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1004—An act to add a new article to be numbered article VI, embracing sections 150 to 165 inclusive, to an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to a depositors' guaranty fund and the liquidation of banks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No 1005—An act to amend section 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the boards of supervisors to levy a tax for exposition purposes

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 1007—An act declaring the public highway extending from the town of Broderick, Yolo County, to Corning, Tehama County, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also (by request). Assembly Bill No 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, development, diversion, storage conservation, and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1009—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1535, relating to the cooperative purchase of school supplies in districts not governed by a city board of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1010—An act to provide that counties may take over and manage county cemeteries or public cemeteries, prescribing the method thereof and providing for the support and management by the county of such cemeteries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act to amend section 141 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended relating to duties in case of accident.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the duration of liability for medical treatment under said Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1014—An act to amend section 981*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of appeals from the justice's court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings subsequent to complaint.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1017—An act to amend section 890*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the entry of judgment of dismissal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1018—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to care of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 1022—An act to provide for the organization and government of road districts and to provide for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of roads in such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relative to permanent road divisons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4264*b*, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to amend section 2651 of the Political Code, relating to the purposes for which the general road fund of a county may be used.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes, providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein;

providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardian, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to amend section 2655 of the Political Code, relating to county taxes for highway purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to amend section 670 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment roll.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend "The California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 141*a*, relating to duty to give information in case of accident involving only property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 2031 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to depositions and the service of notice of taking thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the law library.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to amend section 206 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to amend section 204 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury lists.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request) · Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures

By Mr. McPherson. Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of striped bass and shad.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Fisher (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining and distributing ginger ale, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No 1040—An act to amend section 633 of the Political Code, relating to the licensing of insurance and surety agents and solicitors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1042—An act to amend section 2843 of the Political Code, relating to the obtaining of authority to construct a toll bridge or operate a ferry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections, to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 14 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to proceedings before the Industrial Accident Commission in certain death benefit cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 20 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1049—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to create a State Building Department; providing for the appointment of the members of such department; prescribing the powers and duties of such department; providing for the issuance of licenses by such department and fixing the fees for such licenses; providing the method for revocation of such licenses; prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act to amend section 3 of "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to definition of the term "injury" as used in such Workmen's Compensation Act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the duty of recorders on filing of transcript of docket or judgment in certain cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to penalty for refusing to give memorandum on attachment or garnishment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the duty of the sheriff in garnishment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, to protect clams.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the acquisition and construction of that certain part of the State highway system, between Big Sur, in the county of Monterey, State of California, and the southerly boundary of said county of Monterey, as provided by section 2 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California, being a part of that highway described in said section as Carmel to San Simeon, and authorizing the use of convict labor for such construction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 537 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "Grain Standardization Fund."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1066—An act to amend section 4223 of the Political Code, relating to the establishment of a uniform system of county and township government.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the minerals and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Leymel (by request): Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—Proposed amendment to article V of the constitution, relative to appointment of State officials.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Messrs. Eddy and Jones: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—Proposed amendment to article ------ of the constitution, relative to a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—Proposed amendment to article I, section 14 of the constitution, relative to the rights of private property.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—Proposed amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution, relative to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Messrs. Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Feigenbaum, Gant, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Nielsen, Patterson, Rochester, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Williamson, and Woolwine: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 23—Proposed amendment to article_____of the constitution, relative to exempting from taxation all property owned and used for club rooms and meetings of war veterans.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Leymel (by request): Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—Proposed amendment to article V of the constitution, relative to salaries of State officials.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 223—An act appropriating money to pay the extra compensation of judges or justices sitting in courts, by direction of the chairman of the Judicial Council, wherein the compensation of the judges or justices is greater than their own, during the period November 2, 1926, to June 30, 1927, inclusive, and prescribing the manner of payment thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Approving a charter of the town of Santa Clara, ratified by the qualified voters of said town at a special municipal election held therein on the fifth day of April, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Spalding asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOURTEEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14—A resolution approving a charter of the town of Santa Clara, ratified by the qualified voters of

said town at a special municipal election held therein on the fifth day of April, 1926.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted, as amended, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put, Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "more than" after the second word "for", and strike out all of line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the duration of the short session of Congress although their successors have been elected; and.".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lewmel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 ordered to enrollment.

Also.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted, as amended Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to appointing a committee to investigate the water resources of the State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the fourth paragraph of the resolution, after the comma following the word "respectively", add the words "to act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the fourth paragraph, strike out the word "seven" and add in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 3 of the fourth paragraph, strike out the word "three" and add in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 1 of page 2 of the resolution, strike out the words "made available", and add "appropriated" in lieu thereof.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 ordered to printer and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Approving the charter of the city of Porterville, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein on the fifth day of October, 1926.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered to enrollment.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Dillinger:

WHEREAS, Within a few days, to wit, on January 24th, is the seventy-ninth anniversary of the discovery of gold in California by James W. Marshall; and

WHEREAS, As a result of that discovery of gold, at Coloma, in El Dorado County, on January 24, 1848, there came to California those hardy immigrants who, upon their arrival discovered that California held not only gold, but a wealth of other resources and of beauty as well; and

WHEREAS, During the period of nearly fourscore years that has since elapsed this great commonwealth has grown and prospered, and within that period has reached a place high in the aggregation of our several states which compose this nation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved That this Assembly, when it shall adjourn this day, do so in commemoration of the seventy-ninth anniversary of the discovery of gold, and in commemoration of the dauntless courage and high ideals of those rugged pioneers who founded this great State.

January 21, 1927.

On motion of Mr. Dillinger, the above resolution was unanimously adopted.

MOTION TO PRINT ADDRESS OF HON. H. E. DILLINGER IN JOURNAL.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, the address delivered by Mr. Dillinger was ordered printed in the Journal.

ADDRESS BY HON. H. E. DILLINGER OF PLACERVILLE.

We part today, returning to our respective places of abode, there to counsel with our constituencies respecting the wisdom of our acts and to reflect upon the

task that lies before us upon our return that our labors may find fruition in wise laws, for the legend above our Speaker's head "Legislatorum est justus, Leges conder" says that it is the duty of the Legislature to make wise laws.

We are nearing the anniversary of another day, that seventy-nine years ago marked the beginning of a new epoch in the history of the world On a morning such as this, a rugged pioneer toiled in a canyon near the head waters of the American; beneath his feet the swirling waters of that turbulent stream rushed down to the sea; above his head the stately pines reared their crowns to the azure skies and the twittering birds and crooning zephyrs completed that scene of virgin beauty. From this scene, that morning, sped the magic word that gold was found in California. The relentless hand that engrosses on the fair new page of time the record of the deeds of men, that writes and having wrote moves on, turned another spotless page on which to spread the stirring annals of an empire born to the world that day

The magnetic lure of adventure and gold called men from the plow, the forge, the bench, the office, the store Leaving a farewell kiss on lips that were dear to them, they broke the clasp of clinging arms to follow that call into the land of the setting sun, braving the dangers of the trackless sea or equally trackless plain. None but the highest courage would dare it, none but an unbreakable will could achieve it

By such men as these, upon a strength of purpose such as this, and upon their high ideals of simple honesty and justice was founded and built our priceless heritage, California. Nor is all the pioneering done. We are faced today with some of the most gigantic and perplexing problems that have ever faced any people. So now, let us, in the light of those high ideals, this day be consecrated to the task that lies before us, that we may prove worthy of that heritage and wisely administer that trust.

I offer this resolution Mr. Speaker, that when we adjourn we do so in commemoration, not alone of the mere accidental discovery of gold at Coloma on January 24, 1848, but in commemoration as well of the unquenchable spirit and the lofty ideals of those rugged pioneers, who with James W. Marshall, bequeathed to us our wonderful California.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Croter:

WHEREAS, At the last session of the State Legislature and at sessions prior thereto, certain legislation was introduced by members with seemingly ulterior motives aimed at certain firms, businesses and industries; and

WHEREAS, It is for the best interest of the State, the Legislature and the members thereof that said legislation and the results thereof be curbed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of five members of the Assembly be appointed as a committee for the purpose of making an investigation of said bills and said seemingly ulterior motives, and be it further

Resolved, That said committee have and it is hereby given authority and power to have secret meetings on said matters and consult with said members as to the prosecution of said legislation.

Mr. Croter moved the adoption of the resolution.

Motion seconded by Mr. Foster.

MOTION TO LAY ON TABLE.

Mr. Jones moved that the resolution lay on the table.

Motion seconded by Mr. Coombs.

Motion to lay on the table carried.

MOTION TO PRINT EXTRA COPIES OF ASSEMBLY BILL.

Mr. Snyder moved that the Chief Clerk be instructed to have 500 extra copies of Assembly Bill No. 930 printed.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relative to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system, adopted January 6, 1927;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relating to the re-creating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 9 ordered to print and enrollment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No 3—Relative to the protection of the McCloud River;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to the elimination of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Murphy asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3—Relating to the protection of the McCloud River.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Relating to the protection of the McCloud River.

WHEREAS, The flow of glacial detritus and mud from Mount Shasta is seriously threatening the use of certain rivers in the northern part of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, This debris originates exclusively in the Shasta National Forest, and flows into the McCloud River, which has long been recognized as the best salmon propagating stream in the drainage area emptying through the Golden Gate; and

WHEREAS, The federal government has established a salmon hatchery, and United States fishery headquarters at Baird, on the McCloud River, which has been in operation for about forty-five years, the use of which is threatened with destruction; and

WHEREAS, The government of the United States has additionally reserved all public land on and contiguous to the McCloud River as power reserves, and its use for hydro-power generation will be injuriously effected by the movement of sand and other debris, and

WHEREAS, The mud flow is carried in suspension into the main channel of the Sacramento River, where it is proving detrimental when diverted to the valley lands for irrigation purposes, and is injurious to government reclamation projects, existing or planned for the future, and the pollution furthermore affects the water injuriously for domestic uses; and

WHEREAS, There has been introduced into the House of Representatives, of the United States a certain bill, H. R 16473 sixty-ninth Congress, second session, to provide for the protection of timber lands within the Shasta National Forest; for

the protection of the McCloud River as a salmon propagating stream; for the protection of the domestic water supply of the city of Redding, California; for the protection of the Anderson irrigation district, and for the protection of the navigable channel of the Sacramento River, California, from mud flow from melting glaciers on Mount Shasta, California, situated within the Shasta National Forest; and the passage of which would be of great value in protecting the property and reserves of the United States, and of great benefit to the State of California; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California urgently petitions and requests the passage of H. R. 16473; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is directed to send copies of this resolution to the chairmen of the committees in the Senate and House of Representatives having jurisdiction in the matter of H R 16473, and to the Hon. Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, to the Hon. Hubert Work, Secretary of the Interior; to the Hon Wm. M. Jardine, Secretary of Agriculture, and to the Senators and Representatives in Congress of the State of California.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Lenehan asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOUR.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to the elimination of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No 4 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Cuttenden, Crater, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman Patterson Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No 4.

Relative to the elimination of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares

WHEREAS There is now pending before the Congress of the United States a bill known as the Robinson bill, which bill is designed to prevent and eliminate the collection of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares; and

WHEREAS, The occasion for the collection of such surcharges and surtaxes has ceased to exist and

WHEREAS, The collection of such surcharges and surtaxes imposes an unnecessary and excessive burden upon the people and upon commerce; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of this State hereby urges upon the Congress of the United States the adoption of said Robinson bill and the imperative need for the immediate enactment of the same, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this joint resolution be sent to the President of the United States, to the Governor of each of the states of the United States and to each of the members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate in Congress.

Also.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to retirement of federal employees;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 6—Relative to the Classification Act of 1923; Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 7—Relative to pay increases of government employees.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Hornblower asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIVE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5—Relating to retirement of federal employees.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Crofer, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5.

Relating to Retirement of Federal Employees.

WHEREAS, A bill known as S. R. 4866 to amend the act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service and for other purposes," approved May 22, 1920, and acts in amendment thereof, approved July 3, 1926, is now pending in the Congress of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The sum of three and one-half per cent of the salary of federal employees is deducted for the purpose of supplying a retirement fund; and

WHEREAS, As the last report shows that the employees during the operation of this act have contributed more than fifty-five million dollars, and after paying annuities there remains a balance of more than thirty-four million dollars; and

WHEREAS, This bill allows employees after thirty years of service, and after reaching the age of sixty-three years, to retire on an annuity of not more than one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby heartily approve and indorse the passage of S. R. 4866 and earnestly request the Senators and Representatives of California and Congress to do all in their power to secure an enactment of this bill; be it further

Resolved, The Secretary of the Senate be directed to send copies of these resolutions to the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Hornblower asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6—Relating to the classification act of 1923.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 6.

Relating to the Classification Act of 1923.

WHEREAS, A bill known as H. R. 359 to amend an act entitled "The Classification Act of 1923," approved March 4, 1923, failed to pass at the last session of Congress, and

WHEREAS, The purpose of this said bill is to abolish the personnel classification board created by the act entitled "the Classification Act of 1923, and to transfer the powers, duties and functions vested in said personnel classification board to the United States Civil Service Commission"; and

WHEREAS, As the passage of this said bill H. R. 359 by Congress will be beneficial to the federal employees; now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby heartily approve and indorse this measure and earnestly request the Senators and Representatives of the State of California to do their utmost to secure the passage of this measure; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to forward copies of these resolutions to the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Hornblower asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVEN.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7—Relating to pay increases of government employees.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7.

Relating to pay increases of government employes.

WHEREAS, There is now pending in the Congress of the United States a bill known as H. R. 14696 to amend the salary rates contained in the compensation schedules of the act of March 4, 1923, entitled "An act to provide for the classification of civilian positions within the District of Columbia and in the field services"; and

WHEREAS, This bill provides for the raising of the standard of all lower paid employees by raising the wage to a minimum of $1,500 per annum for all employees over eighteen years of age who work full time, and

WHEREAS, The passage of this bill will be of a great benefit to the employees of the custodian, customs, immigration, war, and other services; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California urgently petition and request that Congress provide proportionate pay increases to all classes of employees in government service and to provide for a minimum annual salary of $1,500 for the above named employees; and be it further

Resolved That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to send copies of these resolutions to the Secretary of War the Secretary of the Treasury and to the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7—Relative to an act of Congress of the United States restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the original typewritten bill, amend the title by adding after the word "citizenship" the following "and a proposed act changing the right to naturalization.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, of the original typewritten bill, strike out the four paragraphs recitals and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"WHEREAS, In 1921 the Legislature of the State of California by appropriate resolution urged upon the congress and federal administrative and executive officers the necessity for the continued adherence to the policy of the United States, restricting the right of citizenship and likewise protested against any attempt by treaty or otherwise to permit the immigration of ineligible aliens: and

WHEREAS, In 1924 after full investigation and consideration congress by general law prohibited the immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship; and

WHEREAS, Various organizations have since the passage of said act persistently sought to influence congress to recede from such policy, and the adherence to said policy has been urged by the American Legion, American Federation of Labor, the Grange, and the Native Sons of the Golden West, the first three of which organizations have annually in their last three conventions by resolutions expressed their continued support of the congressional action; and

WHEREAS, There is now pending in congress a bill which is directly antagonistic to the general immigration act of 1924, and entirely out of harmony with the national policy on this subject, because said measure, to wit, the Copeland bill, S. 4505, would make eligible to American citizenship three hundred million Hindus; now therefore, be it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, of the original typewritten bill, strike out the first paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"*Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly*, That the Legislature of this State protests against the passage of said bill and against any character of action designed to modify the present immigration laws and reaffirms its belief that the privilege of American citizenship should continue to be restricted as at present, and that the privilege of immigration should be extended only to those people who may become citizens of the United States; and be it further".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7 ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO PRINT EXTRA COPIES OF ASSEMBLY BILL.

Mr. Williamson moved that the Chief Clerk be instructed to have 500 extra copies of Assembly Bill No. 829 printed.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to California's Building erected at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mrs Woodbridge asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to California's Building erected at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 18

Relative to California's Building erected at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition

WHEREAS, The State of California erected at the city of Reno, state of Nevada, a building to be known as "California's Building at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition"; and

WHEREAS, It would be a fitting recognition of the services rendered by those thousands of men and women who have made the supreme sacrifice for their country to dedicate this building to their memory; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That said building owned by the State of California, located at Reno, Nevada, and known as "California's Building at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition" be dedicated to the memory of those men and women who from pure love of country have made the supreme sacrifice that we who remain might enjoy the blessings of this wonderful country; and be it further

Resolved, That the management and control of said building be placed in the hands of the local post of the American Legion, located at said city of Reno, state of Nevada.

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a m., on motion of Mr Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m. of this day

REASSEMBLED.

At eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 1069—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1071—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the "Railroad Commission Fund," and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney, busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1073—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act authorizing a biennial conference of justices and judges of the courts of record of the State or a representative conference of such justices and judges annually for the purpose of conferring together and of studying and promoting the best and most efficient methods of administering the laws in State courts, of coordinating the work of such courts, of cooperating with the judicial council and the chairman thereof in the work of the judicial council, and providing for necessary expenses of such conferences.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Easley: Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be killed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act providing for topographic surveys and investigations of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor, approved April 22, 1909.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Nielsen. Assembly Bill No 1078—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State library fund, and disposing of the balance in said fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and duties of county horticultural commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 1240 and 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of the superior court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the leasing of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended, relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to provide for the establishment of set back lines by any county, city or city and county along any present or proposed street or highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1088—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Santa Monica to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1089—An act to create a highway district to be called Los Angeles Metropolitan Highway District; to provide for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of highways and of all necessary or desirable incidents thereto; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collection of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district and to define the duties and powers of the officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to amend section 1243 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the abandonment of homesteads.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Woolwine and Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 27, 61 and 62, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and

rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, relating to foreclosure of liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee to Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend section 47 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties, and the rights, remedies and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons or corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation, and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets, and seines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1098—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 634½, relating to the protection and propagation of fry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act to amend section 52 of the Public Utilities Act, approved December 23, 1911, as amended, relating to the issuance of securities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of Merced County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend an "Act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act relating to assessment districts in municipalities and to provide that no person shall be eligible to vote in bond elections for improvements within such districts except property owners living within such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 1103—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, as amended, relating to extending the season allowed by law for quail hunting.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1104—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to reporters of the Industrial Accident Commission, their duties and salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend section 59 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," as amended, relating to referees of the Industrial Accident Commission, their duties and salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to repeal article V, part III, title VI, chapter I of the Political Code, being sections 2429 to 2447 inclusive, relating to pilots and pilot commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 1109—An act to appropriate $20,000 to be used to make surveys for and to be used in the construction of a breakwater at the mouth of the Navarro River, for the purpose of properly protecting fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1110—An act to create a new section of the Political Code to be numbered 4218*a*, relating to recording of maps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No 1111—An act to amend section 1 of an act known as the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, declaring bridges and public utilities subject to the jurisdiction, regulation and control of the Railroad Commission

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359*a*, relating to the Governor's Council.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to ----------, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1114—An act to amend the act known as "The California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 29*a*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Public Works certain duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction in respect to the enforcement of certain provisions of the act heretofore vested in the Division of Motor Vehicles of the department.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1115—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 687, relating to the Department of Finance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1116—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said act to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*i*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1117—An act to amend section 7 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1118—An act to amend the Political Code by adding new sections thereto to be numbered 692 to 692*p*, both inclusive, relating to a Compensation Insurance Fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a* 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f* and 363*g* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*a*, embracing sections 360 to 360*c*, relative to a Department of Health.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1122—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*b*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act to amend the act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a

reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended by adding a new section thereto to be numbered ------, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Public Works certain of the powers, duties, functions, responsibilities and jurisdiction heretofore vested in and exercised by the State Regulation Board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 1126—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the sentence imposed in cases of conviction of two or more crimes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate ---------- dollars to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

By Mr Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and creating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be

known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith,'' approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled ''Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917,'' approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Nielsen (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California; to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an Aircraft Department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled ''An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof,'' approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 4236*h* of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees and expenses of district attorneys in counties of the seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 1133—An act to amend section 4*b* of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled ''An act creating an 'Industrial Accident Fund' and appropriating moneys therein,'' approved May 26, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled ''An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to

carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Miller (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1136—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on collateral inheritances, bequests and devises, to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds," approved March 23, 1893, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1138—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 1139—An act to create a Department of Publicity, providing a board of managers and defining the duties of said managers and appropriating money to carry out the purposes of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1140—An act to define the word "hotel" and to impose penalties for the unlawful use of the word "hotel" in connection with a business sign.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 1141—An act to be known as the "true name bill," which makes it unlawful for any person or persons to register at any hotel, inn, boarding house, lodging house or apartment house under any name other than their own name.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the sentence imposed in cases of conviction of two or more crimes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 1143—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics; providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all

acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, to be numbered section 5*a* relating to children under fourteen years of age appearing as actors and actresses upon any stage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1144—An act regulating freight or other carrier charges on commodities manufactured at one point and assembled at another; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 1145—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, excluding nonprofit corporations or organizations from the effect of this statute.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation, and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hawes (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1147—An act to add a new section to be numbered 273*bc* to the Penal Code, relating to the publication of names of persons under sixteen years of age charged with crime.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Messrs. Miller, James A., and Oliva (by request): Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to California's Building erected at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 ordered to print, and enrollment.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Monday, January 17, 1927; Tuesday, January 18, 1927; Wednesday, January 19, 1927; and Thursday, January 20, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

First Assistant Clerk Booth reading

ANNOUNCEMENT.

In accordance with Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, relative tc the investigation of the water resources of the State, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Mixter, Bernard, Crittenden and Adams as such Select Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to amendments to the charter of the city of Berkeley, after due ratification by the qualified electors of said city at a city election properly held;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 104—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners' providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction of said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending the title thereof and section 7 thereof relating to the powers of the board of directors of water districts and declaring the same an urgency measure.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11 30 o'clock a m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 142—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the completion of the west wing of the Los Angeles Exposition Building.

Also Assembly Bill No 268—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and building of the State armory at Exposition Park in the city of Los Angeles.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11.30 o'clock a.m

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relating to the re-creating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No 7—Relating to an act of Congress of the United States restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship and a proposed act changing the right to naturalization;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Amending Assembly Joint Resolution No 1, relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River system, adopted January 6, 1927;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11.30 o'clock a.m

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Approving the charter of the city of Porterville, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein on the fifth day of October, 1926;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to appointing a committee to investigate the water resources of the State;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relating to the time when members elected to Congress shall take their seats—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11.30 o'clock a m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Inglewood, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of the said city of Inglewood, upon a special municipal election held therein on the fourteenth day of December, 1926.

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to adoption and ratification of certain amendments to the charter of the county of Butte;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to California's Building erected at Nevada's Transcontinental Highways Exposition;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January at 11.30 o'clock a m

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three to wait upon His Excellency, Governor C. C. Young, and inform His Excellency that the Assembly is ready to adjourn for the constitutional recess, and awaits his further pleasure.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Jones, West and Anderson, D. P., as such Select Committee.

By Mr. Nielsen:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the Assembly is ready for the constitutional recess, and ask if the Senate has any further communication to make to the Assembly.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Nielsen and Lyons and Miss Miller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that it had waited upon the Governor and that he had no further communication to make to the Assembly.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out and that the Senate would communicate its wishes through a committee from that body.

COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Cobb, Mueller and Weller appeared before the bar of the Assembly and informed the Assembly that the Senate was ready to adjourn and asked if the Assembly had any further message to convey to the Senate.

The Speaker replied that the Assembly had concluded its labors and was ready to adjourn and had no further communication to make to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock noon, Friday, January 21, 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, the Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, announced that the time for the adjournment for the constitutional recess of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California had arrived, and thereupon declared the Assembly adjourned until twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, February 23, 1927, in commemoration of the seventy-ninth anniversary of the discovery of gold in California.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, February 23, 1927.

At twelve o'clock meridian, pursuant to the requirements of section 2, article IV of the constitution of the State of California, and to the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

Quorum present

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Weller, Ray Jones and Young appeared before the bar of the Assembly and announced that pursuant to the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, adopted January 20, 1927, the Senate had reconvened and was ready to proceed with the business of the State, with all officers elected heretofore present, to wit:

President	Hon. Buron R. Fitts
President pro tempore	Hon A H. Breed
Secretary	Joseph A. Beek
Sergeant-at-Arms	Joseph F. Nolan
Chaplain	Rev. Bryant Wilson
Minute Clerk	H. J. Powers

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three to notify the Senate that the Assembly has reconvened, pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, adopted on January 20, 1927, and is ready to proceed with the business of the State, with all officers heretofore elected present, to wit:

Speaker	Hon. Edgar C. Levey
Speaker pro tempore	Hon. William M Byrne
Chief Clerk	Arthur A. Ohnimus
Minute Clerk	Louis F. Erb
Chaplain	Rev. A. Watson Brown
Sergeant-at-Arms	William J. McQuillan

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Williamson, Gant and Lyons as such select committee

By Mr Jones:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon His Excellency Governor C. C. Young, and inform him that the Assembly has

reconvened after the constitutional recess, and awaits any communication that he may wish to make to it.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Jones, Leymel and Fry as such select committee.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Oliva, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Bernard, Mr. Crittenden was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Spalding, Mr. Parkman was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence until February 28, 1927.

On motion of Mr. Scofield, Mr. Crawford was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. West was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, February 23, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
State Capitol, Sacramento, California.

Please have me excused for Wednesday. Arrive Thursday.

BYRON J. WALTERS.

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, February 21, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR MR LEVEY: Owing to certain legal business of very urgent character I will be unable to attend the session until Monday, February 28th. Will you kindly excuse me for the intervening days of the session, and oblige,

Yours sincerely,

HENRY E. CARTER.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, SENATE CHAMBER,
OLYMPIA, January 29, 1927.

Secretary of State,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: Enclosed herewith please find a copy of Senate Joint Memorial No 2, now pending in the Legislature of the State of Washington The subject matter affects your State as well as ours, and I respectfully suggest that you call the attention of some of your legislators to the facts stated therein

This is a matter about which honest and earnest men may differ, but it seems to me that we of the West are better able to handle, control and dispose of the public lands in our respective states than are the uninformed clerks in a bureau in Washington, two thousand or three thousand miles away

Very respectfully yours,

C. G. HEIFNER

In the Senate. By Senator Heifner.

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL No. 2.

STATE OF WASHINGTON, TWENTIETH REGULAR SESSION.

January 27, 1927, read first and second time, ordered printed, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Requesting Congress to pass legislation to provide for deeding to the respective states all government owned lands within such states.

To the Honorable Senators and Representatives in Congress Assembled.

We, your memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Washington, in legislative session assembled, most respectfully represent and petition as follows:

That the area of public lands in this state, title to which is still retained by the federal government, amounts to over 18,000 square miles, not including Indian reservations or parks. This is more than one-fourth of the land area of the state. Of this area more than 15,000 square miles have been placed in forest reserves, about 1,700 square miles in coal land, water power and other reserves, leaving about 1,400 square miles of unappropriated, unreserved public lands.

In the eleven Pacific and Rocky Mountain states, to wit: Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Montana, Idaho, Nevada, California, Oregon and Washington, the government retains title to more than 586,000 square miles of public lands, not including Indian reservations or parks. This amounts, in the aggregate, to one-half of the total land areas of these states. Of this quantity about 205,000 square miles have been placed in forest reserves, over 75,000 square miles in coal, oil, phosphate and other reserves, leaving about 300,000 square miles of unappropriated and unreserved public land.

This unreserved land consists mainly of desert lands and mountain tops—of but little value as agricultural land but of great potential value for mining and grazing. The reserved lands all contain forest, coal, oil and other resources of great potential value, but of no actual value at all as long as they remain in public ownership.

The federal government never held any public land in the original thirteen states, nor in Kentucky, Tennessee or Texas. In twenty-one states the federal government held all the public lands but under the provisions of the constitution and various land laws has disposed of it except some small remnants of negligible value.

Therefore, there are thirty-seven states in which the inhabitants own all of the lands, and the states' sovereignty and authority covers all within their borders. The retention by the federal government of half the area of the western states before mentioned places them on an unequal basis with the other states. This is a vast injury to the western states and of no benefit to the government or the other states.

The areas placed in the forestry and other reserves aggregate 280,000 square miles, and is nearly as large as the whole of the original thirteen states. It is larger than many nations. This immense territory held by the federal government, and from which it is collecting rents and royalties, indicates the definite purpose of the government never to dispose of these lands and never to put them under the jurisdiction of the states in which they lie. It prevents the lands from becoming populated and their resources from being developed. It denies to the states the right to tax them or to make laws for them. It denies to the people of the states their growth in value, and reduces those who use them to the status of vassals instead of freeholders.

The lands held in the reserves and for leasing purposes do not produce a profit to the federal government; on the contrary they show a heavy loss. The revenues derived from the forest reserves during the last year were $5,155,661.00, while the expenditures of the Forestry Bureau for the same period amount to $22,729,343.00, showing a deficit of $17,573,682.00. The revenues derived from the leased and other lands showed a deficit for the last year, according to the report of the Secretary of the Interior, of $1,305,657.00. A part of the revenues derived from the lands is paid to the states, but falls far short of compensating them for the loss of taxes and growth, and probably does not equal the taxes the people must pay to make up the bureau deficits.

It has often been asserted that the public lands in the western states belong to all the people, but they are only an expense to the people. In their present status they are of no value to anyone except the bureaus which administer them. It was these parasitic bureaus, and not the people, who were responsible for the creation of these vast reserves.

It has been claimed that the forest reserves were established to preserve the forests. But this cannot be done. When a timber crop is ripe it must be harvested or else it decays. No bureau can stop it. In order to raise a new crop of timber the old crop must be cut away to make room for the new. The one thing that can be done for a forest is to protect it from fire. This the states and private owners can do better than the federal government, and at less expense. States that have no forests would not then be obliged to contribute to the expense of protecting those that have.

The principle that it is the duty, as well as the right, of the federal government to dispose of its public lands into individual ownership, and the right of each state to be equal in sovereign power and authority with every other state, are among the

oldest principles of the constitution. The federal government itself could not have been organized without the observance of these two great rules. In fact, the formation of the Union was long delayed by reason of the inequality of the states in possession of public lands. Several of the original thirteen states owned large areas of uninhabited public lands while others owned none. Those that owned no lands insisted that the states that did should cede them to the federal government and refused to join the Union until this was done. After much discussion and debate on these two great principles the Congress of the United States in September, 1780, passed a resolution most urgently requesting those states who owned public lands to cede them to the government, pointing out that it was necessary to the very existence of the government that it be done. As an inducement to cause them to do so, on October 10, 1780, the Congress passed the following resolution:

Tuesday, October 10, 1780.

"*Resolved*, That the unappropriated lands that may be ceded or relinquished to the United States, by any particular state, pursuant to the recommendation of Congress of the 6th day of September last, shall be disposed of for the common benefit of the United States, and be settled and formed into distinct republican states, which shall become members of the Federal Union, and have the same rights of sovereignty, freedom and independence as the other states."

Accepting this resolution, Virginia and the other states holding public lands ceded them to the federal government. The objections of the other states were thereby removed and the Union was completed. These acts created and established the federal government. They formed a compact between the states and the government. The lands thus ceded embraced all the territory west of the Alleghany Mountains and east of the Mississippi River excepting the states of Kentucky and Tennessee, in which there were no public lands. The area thus ceded to the federal government amounted to about 400,000 square miles.

Following this the federal government devised the system of rectangular surveys, established land offices and began immediately to dispose of its public lands, at first by auction, then by pre-emption, then by donation, then by the homestead act, and the mineral, timber and coal lands were sold at a flat price per acre. This disposal of the public lands continued more than one hundred twenty years until the year 1905, when the present system of reserves began. About the year 1920 the present leasing system for oil, coal and other mineral lands was adopted.

The two great principles before mentioned therefore antedate the constitution itself. When the constitution was adopted these principles were carried into it, and paragraph 1 of section 3, article IV provides that:

"New states may be admitted by the Congress into this Union; but no new state shall be formed or erected within the jurisdiction of any other state; nor any state be formed by the junction of two or more states or parts of states, without the consent of the legislatures of the states concerned, as well as of the Congress."

Paragraph 2 of section 3 of article IV of the constitution further provides:

"The Congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States."

It should be noted that the right granted to Congress was to dispose of the lands, not to hold them.

The enabling act admitting Ohio contained the following clause:

"*Provided*, That the people in said state shall never interfere with the disposal of the public lands therein by Congress."

Every other state admitted to the Union from Ohio in 1803 to Arizona in 1912 contained a similar provision. When the State of Washington was admitted with other western states, the enabling act provided as follows:

"That the people inhabiting said proposed states do agree and declare that they forever disclaim all right and title to the unappropriated public lands lying within the boundaries thereof, and to all lands lying within said limits owned or held by any Indian or Indian tribes; and that until the title thereto shall have been extinguished by the United States, the same shall be and remain subject to the disposition of the United States, and said Indian lands shall remain under the absolute jurisdiction and control of the Congress of the United States."

These provisions guarded the right of the federal government to dispose of its public lands, and with equal force implied the duty of the federal government to continue to dispose of them as provided in the original compact made in 1780, before quoted.

The Supreme Court of the United States has held repeatedly that the nature of the government's title in the public lands is not that of proprietor but is that of a trustee, and that its duty is to dispose of these lands to the people for their individual ownership so that each and every state shall have equal authority and jurisdiction over all the lands within its borders. In the case of *Pollard's Lessee* vs. *Hagen*, 3 How. 212, the Supreme Court declared that as to the government lands within the states the United States never held any municipal sovereignty jurisdiction

or right of soil in and to that territory, or in and to the territory of any of the new states, excepting the right over them of executing the trust, which trust was to provide for their disposition by cessions or sale. It was further held in that case that every new state comes into the Union upon terms of absolute equality with all other states.

In the case of *Coyle vs. Smith*, 221 U. S. 559, the Supreme Court, referring to the case of *Pollard's Lessee vs. Hagen*, used the following language

"The plain deduction from this case is that when a new state is admitted into the Union, it is so admitted with all of the powers of sovereignty and jurisdiction which pertain to the original states, and that such powers may not be constitutionally diminished, impaired, or shorn away by any conditions, compacts, or stipulations embraced in the act under which the new state came into the Union."

At the time the State of Washington was admitted to the Union the federal government ceded to it 4,209 square miles of land for the benefit of schools of higher learning, charitable, penal and reformatory institutions and for state capitol buildings. This does not include sections 16 and 36 for the public schools. In like manner it ceded lands to each and every one of the western states before mentioned. These lands are held and disposed of by the states as their legislatures may provide. In each and every one of these states the legislatures have established a land department to dispose of and administer these grants. Each state, therefore, has the complete machinery for administration of the lands within its own borders, and in this respect duplicates the work done by the federal government through its land department and other bureaus.

Contrary to that principle of the constitution which declares that Congress shall not create any new state within the borders of an existing state without the consent of its legislature, the federal government has created a complete system of government within the states for the lands reserved as forestry lands. This government consists of a bureau whose head office is in Washington, whose chief officers are not elected by the people for definite terms but are appointed by the federal power at Washington. They hold their offices for life. They are not only granted the right to collect revenues from the people, but also are granted the sovereign right of fixing the rate of these revenues. All this without consulting the people of the states which must pay them. They are granted the right to make rules and regulations for the forest reserves which have the force of law. These rules and regulations are made without open discussion or debate and without consulting the people of the states. The rules and regulations thus made and promulgated declare that where the state laws conflict with their rules and regulations, their rules and regulations shall prevail. It is submitted that this intrunges the sovereign rights of the people and of the western states. It also violates the principles of a republican form of government.

We hold, therefore, that the reservation of 75,000 square miles of potentially the most valuable lands remaining in the eleven western states for leasing purposes, and to which the government apparently proposes to retain perpetual title and collect revenues therefrom, is contrary to the fundamental principles of the constitution and should be abolished; that the federal government has the right only to dispose of all public lands to which it obtained title, not the right to lease them, and that this ought to be done not only to place all states on an equality, but for economic reasons as well.

Wherefore your memorialists pray:

First, That the grants of sovereign and proprietory rights to the Forestry Bureau, or to any other bureau, over lands within this state or of any other state, be revoked and abolished;

Second, That the leases already granted should be converted into fee simple titles;

Third, That these lands be ceded to the several states in which they lie, and the administration by the federal government thereof be brought to an end.

And your memorialists will ever pray.

And be it further Resolved, That the Secretary of the State, under the Seal of the State of Washington, transmit to the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States at Washington, D. C., and to each Senator and Congressman from the State of Washington a full, true and correct copy of this Joint Memorial.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, OLYMPIA.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL No. 3.

To the Honorable House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled

We, your memorialists, the House of Representatives and the Senate of the State of Washington, in legislative session assembled, most respectfully represent and pray as follows:

WHEREAS, Under our present constitution the President, Senators and Representatives, take up their duties many months after the day of election, and

WHEREAS, The provisions of the constitution herein sought to be amended are antiquated and unworkable under modern conditions, to such an extent as to be, in some cases, a positive menace to the best welfare of the Nation, and

WHEREAS, The Senate has seen fit to offer and pass a constitutional amendment known as the "Norris Amendment," providing that such officers shall take office promptly after election, and have sent the same to the House; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, your memorialists, do earnestly and respectfully pray that the House of Representatives will take similar action at the earliest possible date and present the same to the legislatures of the various states for their adoption, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State, under the seal of the State of Washington, transmit to the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States at Washington, D. C., and to each Senator and Congressman from the State of Washington, and to the Legislature of each of the several states, a full, true, and correct copy of this joint memorial.

Passed the House January 26, 1927.

RALPH R. KNAPP, Speaker of the House.

Passed the Senate February 3, 1927.

W. LON JOHNSON, President of the Senate.

State of Washington, } ss.
County of Thurston. }

I, J. Grant Hinkle, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of House Joint Memorial No. 3, *as passed by the twentieth session of the Legislature of the State of* Washington

Done at Olympia, this 14th day of February, 1927

J GRANT HINKLE, Secretary of State.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, January 20, 1927.

To the Members of the State Senate,
Sacramento, via the House.

GENTLEMEN AND SOLONS: I have been able to interest the Legislature of Colorado in the firearms reform. You are face to face with a great opportunity to do some good service for humanity by enacting suitable legislation to meet the needs of the revolver situation.

As I have said before, the death of one by a revolver or any other weapon means more than that the population is decreased one, for it means that there are made orphans, and widows, that there must of necessity be a funeral, that the expensive courts must be set in action.

Like in the question of prohibition, it will be necessary to begin the revolver reform locally, and with the hope that in process of time it will become a national affair We are not limited to revolvers, but all deadly concealable weapons and poison need better regulation.

So, I beseech of you, sirs, give us a law that will make all revolvers purchasable by the State, save for officers, with the idea that State will sell them to some other State that has no conscience, as some have very little when it comes to a moral question

I further beseech of you, sirs, give us a law making it necessary to give a week's notice before purchasing a gun and that by witnesses testifying that the purchaser is nearly normal, usually sober, calm and reliable and, so far as the witness knows, has no victim immediately in sight.

Give us a law, please, sirs, taxing weapons. Any person who really has any business or need of one will be willing to pay tax on one, and it will discourage buying them for novelty.

May we have a law making it unlawful to loan, lose, give away or throw away a gun without a note on the register.

Don't forget, gentlemen, that many accidents, suicides and murders, even robberies, come through too easy sale and the procuring and possession of deadly weapons. The Texas minister, Norris, case proves that even ministers are dangerous to themselves when armed.

Let us disarm the public.

JOSEPH A. SHIRES.

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619 HAAS BUILDING, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, January 25, 1927.

The Honorable Representatives of the State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIRS: In furtherance of a more humane and progressive administration, I *sincerely desire to direct your attention to alleviating the last remnant of* barbarism from the Penal Code of the State of California, erasing once for all that infraction of the sixth commandment: "Thou shalt not kill."

Capital punishment does remove the criminal from society—so does imprisonment. Then it is reasonable to assume that a prisoner could be made to work and, besides earning his keep, show a profit which may be diverted to the relief of his victims or dependents and to defray the expense of capture and conviction.

This would also give him a chance to correct his mistakes and atone for his errors, as well as prevent all possibility of taking the life of an innocent person,

and would, indeed, be far more enlightening than sensational copy for newspapers. To this end, I trust you will give your earnest consideration

Respectfully,

MRS DOLLY B KENNELL

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and reported that they had waited upon the Governor, and His Excellency had informed them that he had no communication to convey to the Assembly at this time.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of twenty-four ($24) dollars, said amount being one-half the expenses for inaugural ceremonies, January 4, 1927, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Noack's Orchestra ---------- $24 00

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Adams and Mrs. Woodbridge:

WHEREAS, On February 12, 1927, at his home in Auburn, California, Honorable William Branson Lardner, member of this Assembly in 1889, passed to his eternal reward, and

WHEREAS, In the passing of Mr. Lardner the State of California has lost one of its foremost citizens who, over a period of half a century, had given of his highest abilities in the service and to the interests of this great State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That when the Assembly of the Forty-seventh session of the California Legislature adjourns this day, it be out of respect to the memory of William Branson Lardner, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and he hereby is instructed to have this resolution suitably engrossed and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Adams unanimously adopted.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Associated Press—Walter B. Clausen, Dunne E. Clark.
San Diego Sun—Max Stern.

San Francisco Daily News—Max Stern
San Francisco Bulletin—C. S. Upham
California Journal of Development—Robert I. Kerr.
California Real Estate Magazine—Glenn D. Williamon.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

The following report of standing committee was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON MILEAGE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 209 of the Political Code, as follows:

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
1	J J Murphy	Weed, Siskiyou County	295		30	265	530	$26 50
2	Robert F Fisher	Carlotta, Humboldt County	312		20	292	584	29 20
3	Roscoe J Anderson	Redding, Shasta County	171				342	17 10
4	N V Wemple	Litchfield, Lassen County	260	18		278	556	27 80
5	Van Bernard	Butte City, Glenn County	88	15		103	206	10 30
6	Charles B Melville	Fort Bragg, Mendocino County	150	66		216	432	21 60
7	Charles H Deuel	Chico, Butte County	86	28		114	228	11 40
8	Fred B Noyes	Yuba City, Sutter County	50				100	5 00
9	Mrs Cora M Woodbridge	Roseville Placer County	37		19	18	36	1 80
10	Robt B McPherson	Vallejo, Solano County	40	19		59	118	5 90
11	Frank L Coombs	Napa, Napa County	61				122	6 10
12	Hubert B Scudder	Sebastopol, Sonoma County	90	7		97	194	9 70
13	D P Anderson	Santa Rosa, Sonoma County	90				180	9 00
14	Roy J Nielsen	Sacramento, Sacramento County						
15	Percy G West	Sacramento, Sacramento County						
16	H E Dillinger	Placerville, El Dorado County	60				120	6 00
17	Chas F Reindollar	San Rafael, Marin County	105			105	210	10 50
18	Robert P Easley	Antioch, Contra Costa County	62	18		80	160	8 00
19	Bradford S Crittenden	Tracy, San Joaquin County	48	20		68	136	6 80
20	F C. Clowdsley	Stockton, San Joaquin County	48				96	4 80
21	Fred C Hawes	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
22	James C Flynn	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
23	Joseph F Burns	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
24	Thomas J Lenehan	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
25	Wm B Hornblower	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
26	Ray Williamson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
27	Leland R Jacobson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
28	Edgar C Levey	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
29	Harry F Morrison	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
30	Robert B Fry	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
31	B J Feigenbaum	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
32	James A Miller	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
33	Charles A Oliva	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
34	Wm P Jost	Hayward, Alameda County	84	14		98	196	9 80
35	Roy Bisop	Alameda, Alameda County	84	5		89	178	8 90
36	Edward J Smith	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
37	Eugene W Roland	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
38	J. Croter	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
39	M J McDonough	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
40	Harold C Cloudman	Berkeley, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
41	H C Kelsey	Berkeley, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
42	Harry L Parkman	San Mateo, San Mateo County	119				238	11 90
43	Bert B Snyder	Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz County	198				396	19 80
44	T M Wright	San Jose, Santa Clara County	128				256	12 80
45	C C Spalding	Sunnyvale Santa Clara County	128	10		138	276	13 80
46	Vernon F Gant	Modesto, Stanislaus County	77				154	7 70
47	Dan E Williams	Chinese Camp, Tuolumne County	125	20		145	290	14 50
48	E Walton Hedges, Jr	San Juan Bautista, Monterey County	208		25	183	366	18 30
49	E G Adams	Livingston, Merced County	114		14	100	200	10 00
50	Chas A Foster	Fowler, Fresno County	169	10		179	358	17 90
51	Z S Leymel	Fresno, Fresno County	169				338	16 90
52	S L Heisinger	Selma, Fresno County	169	16		185	370	18 50
53	Chris N Jespersen	Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo County	343		10	333	666	33 30
54	Augustus F Jewett, Jr	Hanford, Kings County	214				428	21 40
55	Frank W Mixter	Exeter, Tulare County	206	10		216	432	21 60
56	Robert Lincoln Patterson	Taft, Kern County	278	38		316	632	31 60

ON MILEAGE—continued.

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co. seat, more.	Distance from Co. seat, less.	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile.
57	Isaac Jones	Ontario, San Bernardino County	508		24	844	968	$48 40
58	Archibald E Brock	Redlands, San Bernardino County	508	12		520	1,040	52 00
59	T R Finley	Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara County	460				920	46 00
60	Walter H Duval	Saticoy, Ventura County	490	8		498	996	49 80
61	James C Crawford	Burbank, Los Angeles County	447		11	436	872	43 60
62	Walter J Little	Hermosa Beach, Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
63	Clare Woolwine	Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
64	Harry Lyons	Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
65	Willis M Baum	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
66	Wilham M Byrne	Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
67	Eleanor Miller	Pasadena, Los Angeles County	447	13		460	920	46 00
68	Harry F Sewell	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
69	Jerome V Seofield	Huntington Park, Los Angeles County	447	6		453	906	45 30
70	Morgan Keaton	Long Beach Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
71	Henry E Carter	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447	25		472	944	47 20
72	W E Badham	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
73	Howard W. Davis	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
74	F M Roberts	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
75	George W Rochester	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
76	C D Ball	Santa Ana, Orange County	481				962	48 10
77	Alfred C Murray	Riverside, Riverside County	512				1,024	51 20
78	Myron D Witter	Brawley, Imperial County	661	18		679	1,358	67 90
79	Byron J Walters	San Diego, San Diego County	573				1,146	57 30
80	Crowell D Eddy	National City, San Diego County	573	6		579	1,158	57 90
								Amount at 10 cents per mile.
	OFFICER							
	Louis F Erb	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	$18 00

FLYNN, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Sewell asked for and was granted unanimous consent to present Assembly Joint Resolution No 11, at this time, without reference to printer, committee or file

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ELEVEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 11—Relative to flood protection on the lower Colorado River.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

OBJECTION TO UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones objected to the further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No 11 at this time.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Melville:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the

acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts by adding section 3½ thereto, permitting the withdrawal of certain counties or cities and counties from such a district under certain conditions.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, February 24, 1927, out of respect to the memory of the late Honorable William Branson Lardner, a member of the Assembly in 1889

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, February 24, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Keaton moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jones, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Oliva, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was presented and read:

By Mr. Speaker:

STATE OF MICHIGAN, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
LANSING, February 5, 1927.

Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Sacramento, California

MY DEAR SIR: By direction of the Michigan Legislature, I am herewith sending a copy of a resolution adopted by the Legislature yesterday, February 4.

Respectfully,

C. S. PIERCE.

RESOLUTION.

Mr Wardell offered the following concurrent resolution:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 10—A concurrent resolution urging Congress to reapportion the National House of Representatives.

WHEREAS, The constitution of the United States requires Congress to reapportion the seats in the House of Representatives to the various states, according to their respective numbers, following each decennial census; and

WHEREAS, The Congress, prior to 1920, has invariably complied with the constitutional provisions covering this subject, so that the next succeeding Congress might rightfully be represented in numbers, based upon the population of the several states, and

WHEREAS, Each succeeding Congress has, since the year 1920, failed to make such reapportionment of districts, which failure has resulted in the disfranchisement of a large number of citizens in many of the states, among which is the state of Michigan, and has brought about a condition of disproportionate representation in the House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, This has resulted in accumulative discontent among the citizens of the states so discriminated against; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That we, the representatives of the people of Michigan, assembled in regular session, do most earnestly urge the immediate performance of this duty; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honorable Calvin Coolidge President of the United States, and to the Honorable Nicholas Longworth, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and to Honorable John Q Tilson, Honorable Edward W Pou, Honorable John M. Garner, Honorable Albert Johnson and Honorable Isaac Bacharach; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution shall also be forwarded to the following legislatures of the several states now in session, urging them to take similar action: California, Ohio, New Jersey, Connecticut, North Carolina, Texas and Washington.

MOTION TO REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that the above resolution be referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Motion carried.

Resolution referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

COMMUNICATIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 27, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
California Legislature, Sacramento, California

DEAR MR LEVEY: This is to acknowledge receipt of the copy of Assembly Joint Resolution No 6, relating to the recreating of the position of United States District Judge for the Northern District of California I have filed the resolution in the House of Representatives for the information of the members.

During the last session of Congress, I succeeded in having inserted in H. R. 10821, which was passed by the House on June 8, 1926, an amendment making permanent the federal judgeship in northern California which was vacated by the death of Judge Partridge.

The bill was then referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, where it was amended and reported to the Senate, then re-committed to the Senate Judiciary Committee, where it is still pending.

For the present the House has nothing to do with the bill, but I am hopeful that the Senators from our State will be able to hold in the bill the amendment passed by the House providing for the creation of a permanent judgeship in northern California.

In the meantime, Congressman Curry, of Sacramento, introduced a special bill in this connection, which bill is now on the House calendar awaiting action by that body.

I realize the importance of this matter, and I can assure you of my continued efforts and interest in the premises

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FLORENCE P. KAHN.

Also:

WHEREAS, There has been brought to the attention of this association a proposed State act (Senate Bill No. 526) introduced by Senator Charles Lyon, the preamble of which reads: "An act to promote the public safety by providing safeguards to audiences at theatricals and similar performances by imposing a license tax on itinerant shows, carnivals and concessions, regulating the matter of maintaining or conducting same and providing a penalty for a violation thereof"; and

WHEREAS, Although so labeled and purporting to be a protective measure, study of this bill reveals it to be most undesirable for many reasons, a few of which are: (a) Section 1, in imposing a license fee of thirty (30) dollars per day upon every tent or open-air concession, show or device is prohibitive and would exterminate numerous forms of legitimate amusement now enjoyed by and within the reach of the masses. (b) Section 2, reading: "The term itinerant show or exhibition shall be construed to mean any outdoor carnival, show or concession exhibiting or operating under a tent or in the open for a period exceeding one day," is vague and indefinite, ignores the real definition of "itinerant" and would permit of discriminatory and confiscatory interpretations and applications. (c) Section 3, requiring a showman, exhibitor or concessionaire to first obtain a permit to operate from the Secretary of State and forbidding any town, city, county or municipality to issue a license until such State permit has been issued, would obviously be an usurpation by one State official of the licensing and regulatory powers of local authorities; and

WHEREAS, It being the unanimous sense of the members of this association that Senate Bill No. 526 as written and with the foregoing and other undesirable elements included in it, is as a whole a vicious piece of legislation, wholly uncalled for and making for monopoly in some forms of amusement to the exclusion of others; be it therefore

Resolved, That we, the Venice Amusement Men's Association, in meeting this fifteenth day of February, 1927, hereby place ourselves on record as unalterably opposed to Senate Bill No. 526; and be it further

Resolved, That the Recording Secretary be instructed to spread this resolution upon the minutes and to furnish copies to the public press and forward copies to Senator Charles Lyon, Assemblyman Walter Little, and to others interested.

H. C. VODDEN, President.

JACK GERETY, Secretary.

Also:

WHEREAS, The Lions' International has adopted as one of its major activities the aiding of the blind and the amelioration of their condition; and

WHEREAS, There is now under way within the State of California a statewide movement to have the Legislature of the State of California at its session of 1927 enact an adequate law creating a State department for the purpose of coordinating all means, methods and activities for minimizing the causes of blindness, to improve and extend the educational facilities for the blind youth, to establish and maintain vocational training and reeducational training, and for ameliorating the condition of the blind and making our sightless fellow citizens self-supporting and self-respecting; and

WHEREAS, We believe that such movement will tend to fulfill our State's duty and obligations to its blind citizenry and that it should therefore merit our full cooperation and support, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By District Number Four, in convention assembled at San Francisco, on the twentieth day of July, 1926, that our organization and its various clubs shall and do hereby approve, endorse and recommend said movement, and respectfully request that the Legislature of the State of California at its 1927 session shall enact necessary laws to accomplish the purposes hereinabove mentioned; and be it further

Resolved, That each of the members of District Number Four within the State of California shall exert his best efforts to urge the Senator and Assemblyman representing their respective districts in the coming Legislature to support and vote in favor of such legislation as may result in improving the condition of the blind in

California, and in aiding them in every way possible to become self-supporting, independent and valuable members of society; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of a memorial, containing this resolution, be forwarded to each member of the Senate and of the Assembly, on or before the opening of the 1927 legislative session, and that a copy thereof, at the opening of said session, be transmitted to the President of the Senate and to the Speaker of the Assembly, with the request that said memorial be spread upon the minutes of each House.

W. E STREI, District Governor.

Also:

WHEREAS, The California Council of the California Teachers' Association has gone on record as desiring to increase the probationary period of tenure from two to three years; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the High School Teachers' Association of Los Angeles City, with 2268 members, are most emphatically opposed to increasing the probationary period and urge the legislative committee of the California Teachers' Association to not only ask the California Legislature for tenure on the present basis, but to oppose any attempt to lengthen it; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mr. Mark Keppel, Chairman of the legislative committee of the California Teachers' Association; Mr. Walter B. Crane, Chairman of the Legislative Committee of the California Teachers' Association, Southern Section; Miss Mary F. Mooney, Chairman of the Tenure Committee, which has proposed the change, and that copies of these resolutions be sent to all classroom teacher organizations of the State and otherwise given publicity.

In the discussion of the accompanying resolutions the following points were presented:

1. Extension of the probationary period would be a backward step from California's progressive position

2. Leaders of our profession, our executives, can find out in the present two-year period whether the teacher is weak or strong, inefficient or efficient, by more frequent reports during the two-year period.

3. The presence of weak timber in the profession is chargeable to weak supervision rather than to inadequate probation.

4. Extension of the probationary period would not be an aid to the elimination of the unfit.

5. Extension of the probationary period might deter the more fit from entering the profession or remaining in it

6 The greatest benefit of tenure is its ultimate value to the child. This benefit should be realized as early as possible, not deterred indefinitely

7. Tenure has twice been granted on the present two-year basis, and it is reasonable to suppose that it will not encounter opposition if at this time all educational forces stand solidly back of it.

8. Our State and our local organizations are now at a maximum both in membership and in unity, and asking for tenure on the present two-year basis will guarantee continued unity, cooperation and good will

Assembly Bill No. 914.

EVELYN D. ARMER, President.

LORETTA BAUM, Secretary.

Also:

WORLD CONFERENCE ON NARCOTIC EDUCATION,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, January 31, 1927.

Speaker of the House of Representatives,
State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR MR SPEAKER: I am writing on behalf of the Board of Governors of the World Conference on Narcotic Education to enlist your cooperation and that of the Legislature of California in the observance of Narcotic Education Week, the last week in February. The board has undertaken to have this week observed in the extension of narcotic education in this country and other countries

The spread of narcotic drug addiction has rapidly grown to the proportions of a major problem, menacing to the future of civilized society. The problem takes on two forms: The old opium problem proper, affecting chiefly the people of the Orient, and the new heroin problem that now menaces the western nations. The opium problem has grown slowly through the generations. The heroin problem is spreading with inconceivable swiftness and should engage the attention of civilized nations with the least possible delay.

The health commissioner of a great city of the middle west, investigating the cause of the rising tide of crime, reported that youth are appearing in the underworld by the thousands at very tender ages, practically all of the girls and most of the boys having come by the swift drug road. Though heroin is comparatively a new drug, the number of heroin addicts in one great city of the east alone is estimated by the city bureau of criminal identification at over 100,000, practically all of them

below the age of thirty. A recent survey of the prisons of New York City brought out the startling fact that more than half of all the prisoners in cases involving moral turpitude are addicts. Most of the youthful bandits committing daylight robberies, daring holdups and cruel murders are heroin addicts. The heroin addict has a mania for recruiting others, so the spread of heroin addiction is by multiplication in geometrical progression.

Practically all authorities in the treatment of addiction agree that while the addicts may be brought off the drug by several methods, they go back sooner or later. Salvage of the victims offers little hope as a remedy for this social ill. The victims deprived of their drug suffer indescribable tortures and consider providing this supply the supreme consideration of life beyond all other considerations combined. The profits are so enormous and the powerful drugs are so easily concealed that repression by legal process is as hopeless as salvage. On the other hand, knowledge of the consequences of addiction, of joining the ranks of the "living dead," arouse the deepest motives of self-preservation, making a mantle of protection against the wiles of the peddler. Recourse to education is therefore the hope of mankind

The International Narcotic Education Association is a corporation "not for profit" incorporated under the laws of California, which undertakes to meet the menace of narcotic drug addiction through organized education. This association concentrates upon the machinery of educational systems and has been operating largely through superintendents of education. A copy of the standard document, millions of which have been sent out, called the Narcotic Peril, is being forwarded to you under separate cover. This is prepared chiefly for the use of teachers and parents. A copy of Bulletin No. 2, The Menace of Morphine, Heroin and Cocaine, is also being sent you. This is a document of reference and has been approved for reference for teachers in the State of California. This association is seeking the incorporation of chapters and paragraphs on narcotic education in the textbooks. It now has pending in Congress a bill to create the United States College of Narcotic Education, the graduates from which, serving under state boards of education, are designed to organize and standardize narcotic education in the educational systems of the states.

A world conference called by the association, with representation from many nations, states, cities and organizations, founded the World Conference on Narcotic Education by the adoption of a constitution on July 8th last, the preamble of which reads "We, the people of the world, in order perpetually to protect society everywhere from the peril of narcotic drug addiction by applying the power of truth through education, do ordain and establish this constitution for humanity." The World Conference on Narcotic Education seeks the cooperation of popular agencies of society and has adopted a resolution calling for the last week of February each year to be observed in America and throughout the world, as Narcotic Education Week, inviting individuals and organizations to adopt such measures as they may deem necessary and advisable for observing this week in the extension of narcotic education. Over 3000 responses of approval have been received from leaders of thought throughout the nation, and the governing bodies of many great organizations have adopted resolutions of cooperation. Committees are now working for the cooperation of the press, the pulpit, the radio, the screen, service clubs, civic, patriotic and other organizations

I am writing, Mr Speaker, to request your good offices in bringing about appropriate observance in the Legislature of California Our Washington office will shortly send an eight page document under congressional frank, in sufficient number for the members of your chamber. They will be in your care. Kindly give the necessary directions for their prompt distribution.

Narcotic drug addiction is a secret vice and all associated activities of the traffic are under cover so that even well-informed people are not aware of the menace, leaving society exposed through its ignorance to the ravages of drug peddlers and those who "hook" the youth into this "living death," by a dare or appeal to their curiosity. In view of this ignorance, it would be a distinct public service if at an appropriate time during Narcotic Education Week, some official action will be taken by your body, whether in the form of the adoption of a resolution of sympathy and cooperation, or whether by setting aside a time for the consideration of the subject, even the reading by the clerk, of extracts from documents on the subject. You can best judge from the circumstances what would be most appropriate and most effective in extending to the people of your State the benefits of narcotic education.

Allow me to express in advance the appreciation of the board of governors for whatever you do. With cordial greetings and wishing you and your chamber great success in your high public function, I remain

Sincerely yours,

RICHMOND P. HOBSON, Secretary General.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 568—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 762, relating to the appointment of law secretaries by judges of the Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a commission on uniform State laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 569—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 763, relating to the salaries of law secretaries;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 156—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend section 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court;

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minors fixed by court and payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the

Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors, and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith.

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named officers and members of the Assembly for the amounts set opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same:

J. J. Murphy	$26 50
Robert F. Fisher	29 20
Roscoe J. Anderson	17 10
N. V. Wemple	27 80
Van Bernard	10 30
Charles B. Melville	21 60
Charles H. Deuel	11 40
Fred B. Noyes	5 00
Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge	1 80
Robt. B. McPherson	5 90
Frank L. Coombs	6 10
Hubert B. Scudder	9 70
D. P. Anderson	9 00
Roy J. Nielsen	----
Percy G. West	----
H. E. Dillinger	6 00
Chas. F. Reindollar	10 50
Robert P. Easley	8 00
Bradford S. Crittenden	6 80
F. C. Clowdsley	4 80
Fred C. Hawes	9 00
James C. Flynn	9 00
Joseph F. Burns	9 00
Thomas J. Lenehan	9 00
Wm. B. Hornblower	9 00
Ray Williamson	9 00
Leland R. Jacobson	9 00
Edgar C. Levey	9 00
Harry F. Morrison	9 00
Robert B. Fry	9 00
B. J. Feigenbaum	9 00
James A. Miller	9 00
Charles A. Oliva	9 00
Wm. P. Jost	9 80
Roy Bishop	8 90
Edward J. Smith	8 40
Eugene W. Roland	8 40
J. Croter	8 40
M. J. McDonough	8 40
Harold C. Cloudman	8 40
H. C. Kelsey	8 40
Harry L. Parkman	11 90
Bert B. Snyder	19 80
T. M. Wright	12 80
C. C. Spalding	13 80
Vernon F. Gant	7 70
Dan E. Williams	14 50
E. Walton Hedges, Jr.	18 30
E. G. Adams	10 00
Chas. A. Foster	17 90

Z. S. Leymel	$16 90
S. L. Heisinger	18 50
Chris N. Jespersen	33 30
Augustus F. Jewett, Jr.	21 40
Frank W. Mixter	21 60
Robert Lincoln Patterson	31 60
Isaac Jones	48 40
Archibald D. Brock	52 00
T. R. Finley	46 00
Walter H. Duval	49 80
James C. Crawford	43 60
Walter J. Little	46 90
Clare Woolwine	44 70
Harry Lyons	44 70
Willis M. Baum	44 70
William M. Byrne	44 70
Eleanor Miller	46 00
Harry F. Sewell	44 70
Jerome V. Scofield	45 30
Morgan Keaton	46 90
Henry E. Carter	47 20
W. E. Badham	44 70
Howard W. Davis	44 70
F. M. Roberts	44 70
George W. Rochester	44 70
C. D. Ball	48 10
Myron D. Witter	67 90
Byron J. Walters	57 30
Crowell D. Eddy	57 90

OFFICER.

Louis F. Erb	18 00

FLYNN, Chairman.

Mr. Coombs moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of twenty-four dollars ($24), said amount being one-half the expenses for inaugural ceremonies, January 4, 1927, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Noack's Orchestra	$24 00

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
WILLIAMS.
EDDY.
NIELSEN.
FRY.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolutions.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolutions.

The roll was called, and the report and resolutions adopted by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names. The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the twenty-third day of February, 1927:

C. William Booth, First Assistant Clerk	$9 00
Edwin C. Lynch, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Charles Erb, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Frank Appelbaum, Assistant Minute Clerk	7 00
R W. Haggerman, Engrossment Clerk	7 00
Ethel McCarthy, History Clerk	7 00
Ina E. Wortman, Assistant History Clerk	5 00
Thomas Robinson, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Lena Sorensen, File Clerk	7 00
Charles E. Spear, Page	2 50
Charles Hughes, Jr., Page	2 50
Jack Pettis, Page	2 50
Lewis Harris, Page	2 50
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer	6 00
Juanita Dependener, Stenographer	5 00
Faith Braun, Stenographer	5 00
Irene Flynn, Stenographer	5 00
Queene Leithead, Stenographer	5 00
Sybil de Longchamps, Stenographer	5 00
Theodosia Clark, Stenographer	5 00
Myrtle Dwyer, Stenographer	5 00
Lucile Grady, Stenographer	5 00
Edith Mason, Stenographer	5 00
Geneva Bernard, Stenographer	5 00
Anna T. Perry, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Eugene Mulvey, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
C E Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Thomas Miles, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Leo Richardson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Jerry Scannell, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
T. J. Vitach, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
John C. Rivers, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
W. I. Gunlock, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Otto Coppersmith, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Edward Wright, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Byron H Thomas, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
James M. Burns, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Theo. Remdollar, Bookkeeper to Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Florence Miller, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the twenty-fourth day of February, 1927:

Beatrice Mark Stern, Clerk Judiciary Committee	$6 00
Lena F. Heisinger, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	5 00
Lydia C. Williams, Journal Clerk	7 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Oliva:

WHEREAS, James A. Miller, a member of this Assembly, is now confined to the Stanford Hospital in San Francisco, suffering from a severe illness, and

WHEREAS, It may be some time before James A. Miller may be able to resume his duties as a member of this House; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Assembly offer its sympathy to James A. Miller and hope for his speedy recovery, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Honorable James A. Miller.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Oliva unanimously adopted.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Witter, Jones and Little: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the development of the Colorado River and memorializing Congress to adopt legislation providing for such development.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Friday, February 25, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, February 25, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr Lenehan moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Byrne, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

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

On motion of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. Patterson was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. L E. Hallowell, county clerk of Ventura County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mrs. John Gerald Driscoll of San Luis Obispo was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. George E. Gross, county clerk of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Earl Wade, chief deputy clerk of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

By the Chief Clerk:

From Mr. J. C. Parker of Folsom City, favoring the passage of Assembly Bill No. 754.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to define "person," "tuberculin," "accredited herd," "tuberculosis eradication area," "tuberculosis modified area," "test," "grade animal," "grade herd," "purebred animal," "purebred herd;" to regulate the sale of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians: to provide for reports of test of tuberculin; to restrict the use of tuberculin: to regulate the sale of milk or products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide regulations for accredited herd work (voluntary); to provide for

the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas (compulsory); to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to provide for the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices;

Also: Assembly Bill No 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin;

Also: Assembly Bill No 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*e*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara;

Also Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*cee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum) a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "Grain Standardization fund";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. West:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER, I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr Reindollar (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 58, 60, 61, 63, and 69 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended May 16, 1925, relating to drivers' licenses and the examination of applicants for drivers' licenses.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Deuel:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 737*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wemple:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Baum:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act defining security receipts and equipment trust certificates; prescribing the rights of holders of such receipts and certificates and relating to the effect of the transfer, under certain conditions of such security receipts and equipment trust certificates as herein defined.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Woolwine:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen,

Noyes, Oliva Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced.

By Mr Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Woolwine asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 1148 at this time, without reference to printer, committee or file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Woolwine:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 1148 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the first, second, and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr Woolwine moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering, at this time, Assembly Bill No. 1148

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1148 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 970 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for maintenance of rented offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

In my opinion the appropriation necessary for such expenditure during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34, of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C YOUNG, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 970, at this time, without reference to committee or file, and that same be considered engrossed

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 970 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Wright moved the adoption of the resolution

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Assembly Bill No 970

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 970 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leyinel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Coombs:

On the fifth day of February, 1927, Mrs. Harriet Eddy passed this life at the age of seventy-nine years. She was the mother of Hon. C. D. Eddy, a member of this House. She was a resident of Napa, where she had resided for fifteen years, during which time she was prominently associated with many Christian endeavors and for a while was president of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church. She was highly esteemed for her many gentle virtues and for her religious zeal. Her high ideals and work for the betterment of the community have left an example for those who cherish the Christian faith.

She was home loving and a companion to those who required her companionship. To those who have lived the allotted span, age becomes the arbiter of the human destiny. This, with the memories that are cherished, alone can offer a reconcilement upon the death of the righteous. Be it

Resolved, That the members of this House extend to the Hon. C. D. Eddy, one of its honored members, their condolence in the loss he has sustained, and to the husband, who survives, their deepest sympathy.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Coombs unanimously adopted.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 156—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On line 2, page 2, of the printed bill, after the word **"as"** and before the word "compensation", insert the word "monthly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On line 40, page 2, of the printed bill, after the word "as" and before the word "compensation", insert the word "monthly".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minor fixed by court; payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On line 7, page 1, of the printed bill, after the word "approved" strike out the words "may be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On line 7, page 1, of the printed bill, after the word "court" and before the word "filed" insert the words "may be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On line 2, page 2, of the printed bill, after the word "guardian" strike out the words "or relative".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and

3314 of said code, to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code, to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code, to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors, and to add three new sections to said code, to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, relative to retirement pay for emergency officers of the World War.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By ALBERT BRADY, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Keaton asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to committee or file

Senate Joint Resolution No 9—Relative to retirement pay for emergency officers of the World War.

Resolution read.

Mr. Keaton moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum Finley, Fisher Flynn Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey Lenehan, Leymel Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman Reindollar Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 9.

Relating to retirement pay for emergency officers of the World War.

WHEREAS, For seven years legislation has been pending in the Congress of the United States designed to provide retirement privileges for emergency officers of the Army of the United States who became disabled in line of duty during the World War; and

WHEREAS, The emergency officers of the Navy and Marine Corps of the United States who became disabled in line of duty during the World War have been, under the laws enacted by the Congress, retired upon exactly the same basis as regular and provisional officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps of the United States who became disabled in line of duty during the World War have been retired; and

WHEREAS, The so-called Tyson bill, S. 3027, now pending in the United States Senate, and the so-called Fitzgerald bill, H. R. 4548, now pending in the House of

Representatives, are designed to provide retirement privileges for the more seriously disabled emergency Army officers of the World War and thus remove the unjust discrimination which has heretofore obtained against such officers; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California do, and it hereby does, approve of legislation in the Congress of the United States for the retirement of emergency officers of the Army of the United States who became disabled in line of duty during the World War on a basis equally as favorable as has already been provided for emergency officers of the Navy and Marine Corps and regular and provisional officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps of the United States who became disabled in line of duty during the World War, and urges the United States Senators and members of the House of Representatives from the State of California actively to support such legislation; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forthwith transmitted to the President of the United States, to the President of the United States Senate, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and to the United States Senators and members of the House of Representatives from the State of California.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a.m., Monday, February 28, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, February 28, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Jespersen was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Oliva, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. McPherson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbrancing, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments,

Also Assembly Bill No 52—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain;

Also Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1927" relating to definitions of terms—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus;

Also Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz

Also Assembly Bill No 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas

Also Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 967—*An act making an appropriation to meet a* deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—*An act making an appropriation to meet a* deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 156—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—*An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil* Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits.

Also. Assembly Bill No 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend section 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of *the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners*.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Reimdollar (by request): An act to amend sections 58, 60, 61, 63 and 69 of the *California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended May 16, 1925*, relating to drivers' licenses and the examination of applicants for drivers' licenses

By Mr. Baum: An act defining security receipts and equipment trust certificates; prescribing the rights of holders of such receipts and certificates and relating to the effect of the transfer, under certain conditions of such security receipts and equipment trust certificates as herein defined

By Mr. West: An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal *utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act.*

By Mr. Deuel: An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte.

By Mr Wemple: An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No. 97—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes" approved March 31, 1897.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered referred to Committee on Irrigation.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Reindollar (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1149—An act to amend sections 58, 60, 61, 63 and 69 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended May 16, 1925, relating to drivers' licenses and the examination of applicants for drivers' licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act defining security receipts and equipment trust certificates, prescribing the rights of holders of such receipts and certificates and relating to the effect of the transfer, under certain conditions, of such security receipts and equipment trust certificates as herein defined.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr West: Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Noyes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Morrison:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*a*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Adams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mixter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 631 of the Penal Code, relating to game.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Smith:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under 18 years of age, to provide for the maintenance and management of same and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum) a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund."

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 156—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 156 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 580 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter,

Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 579 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 186 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

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

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 692 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—Bernard, Foster, Heisinger, Patterson, Roland, Snyder, West and Wright—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

By Mr. Keaton: *Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13*—Relative to the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax Act.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 161—An act creating a commission on uniform State laws and prescribing the power and duties thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads;

Also: Senate Bill No. 619—An act validating the formation and organization, and determining the boundaries of East Side County Water District in the county of Santa Clara, State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions;

Also: Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 17 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation committees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 953*d*, relating to notices of entry of judgments and orders;

Also: Senate Bill No. 19—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Hornblower.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 26, 1927.

The Honorable Assembly of the State of California.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: The San Francisco Labor Council, at its regular session held the twenty-fifth of February, 1927, adopted the following resolution, and hereby respectfully urges you to take favorable action thereon, to wit:

WHEREAS, There is pending before the Legislature of the State of California a measure known as Senate Bill No. 208, providing for an increase in salaries of the superior court judges of the counties of San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Alameda; and

WHEREAS, We believe in the principle of a just and adequate wage for all who perform private or public service; and

WHEREAS, According to general opinion, based upon comparison with salaries paid judges of similar standing and functions in eastern states, and the growth of the aforesaid counties in population and judicial business, a revision of judicial salaries upward is a public need and necessity; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the San Francisco Labor Council, representing 60,000 wage earners, private and public, in San Francisco, that we endorse Senate Bill No 208, and urge its passage; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Senate, the Assembly, and the Governor of the State of California.

Very respectfully,

[SEAL] SAN FRANCISCO LABOR COUNCIL.
By W. P. STANTON, President.

JNO. A. O'CONNELL, Secretary.

The above resolution referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

COMMUNICATION

The following communication was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Nielsen:

To the Members of the Assembly.

GENTLEMEN: Within the halls of the federal Congress there has been waged for many hours past a heroic struggle to secure the passage of the Boulder Dam legislation—legislation which would make safe the lives and property of thousands of Californians, residents of the Imperial Valley, now endangered by the unharnessed torrents of the mighty Colorado River.

The epic of the settlement and the cultivation of the Imperial Valley is known to the men and women of southern California, but to the rest of the State and the nation the tale of heroism of the early pioneers in the region is not so well known.

Through picture and story the epic of the Imperial Valley has now been sent over the nation by the motion picture industry in the filmization of Harold Bell Wright's great novel, "The Winning of Barbara Worth."

To bring closer home to the hearts and minds of the people of northern California and to the members of the State Legislature, the story of the Imperial Valley and the need for the Boulder Dam legislation, there will be presented in Sacramento during the coming week the film presentation of "The Winning of Barbara Worth."

The management of the Capitol Theatre, therefore, extends to the members of the State Legislature an invitation to attend the showing of this great picture on Monday evening as its guests, feeling that the need for immediate aid to the people of Imperial Valley through the completion of the Boulder Dam project thus will be brought home more clearly to the men and women who legislate for the great State of California.

MERTON B. HUSTLER,
Manager, Capitol Theatre.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 202—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV consisting of sections numbered 653*ah* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations, to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same;

Also: Senate Bill No. 249—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice;

Also: Senate Bill No. 291—An act to amend section 729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the oath and undertaking of commissioner, report and account of sale and compensation of commissioner on foreclosure proceedings.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ADJOURNMENT.

At 12 o'clock and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until 10 o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Tuesday, March 1, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 1, 1927.

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

Hon Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Oliva, Mr Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Lenehan, Mr Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Swift Berry of Camino, El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Hon. Elwood T. Barley of San Diego, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Col. H. K. Weidenfeld of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. B. F. White of Stockton, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Frank McKee, assistant to general manager California Development Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

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

By Mr. Speaker:

The following resolutions were adopted by the Wednesday Afternoon Club of Meridian, California:

WHEREAS, The California Federation of Women's Clubs has sponsored Assembly Bill No. 193, a bill providing for a hospital for the care, cure and rehabilitation of drug addicts; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we respectfully petition our Governor and our State Legislature to earnestly consider this bill, and to do all in their power to bring it to a successful termination; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Governor of the State, and to our Senator and our Assemblyman, and to the State Board of Control.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, February 26, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California

Let California continue to lead the country in constructive measures. For combating organized crime, the Widows' Protective League at today's meeting spent in discussing Major Tuller's report of the Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure, passed resolutions endorsing the bills for such needed reform and respectfully urge their passage by your honorable body.

WIDOWS' PROTECTIVE LEAGUE
LILLIAN PASCAL DAY, President

Also:

Resolution adopted by the California Society, Sons of the Revolution, January 31, 1927:

WHEREAS, There is a movement on foot to bring about the repeal of the criminal syndicalism law at the present session of the Legislature of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, Said law is aimed only to prevent the teaching and advocating of the use of force, violence and terrorism as a means of effecting a change in industrial ownership or control, or any political change; and

WHEREAS, The teaching or advocating of the use of such force, violence or terrorism as a means of effecting political changes or changes in industrial control is in direct conflict with, in absolute opposition to, and in contradiction of, the practices, purposes and program of a free government such as ours in the United States, and is an entirely unreasonable exercise of the right of free speech, and calculated to destroy the very instrument guaranteeing the existence of free speech, and

WHEREAS, Now, under existing law, any one may rationally and freely advocate any and all changes, political or industrial, not involving or contemplating the use of force or terrorism as a means to be employed in the effecting of such changes, and

WHEREAS, The repeal of the existing criminal syndicalism law would constitute a declaration, by implication at least, on the part of our people, that they desired, or at least were not opposed to, the advocacy of the destruction of our government by force and violence, and

WHEREAS, The Sons of the Revolution, carrying in their veins the blood of those who served and died that this government of ours might live, will ever resent any attempts to destroy it or effect changes within it based upon, or accompanied by, an appeal to force, violence or terrorism; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Directors of the California Society, Sons of the Revolution, that we most earnestly protest against the proposal to repeal the criminal syndicalism law and in that wise offer direct and positive invitation for the making of inflammatory speeches, the circulating of propagandizing literature and the holding of treasonable meetings, all conceived and calculated to bring about changes in political control or industrial relations through an appeal to force and the use of terrorism rather than an appeal to reason and the employment of the ballot, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be given to the press for publication, and that a copy, duly certified, be sent to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the Assembly, respectively, of the State of California.

I hereby certify that the foregoing document is a correct copy of the resolution adopted by the board of directors of the California Society, Sons of the Revolution, at a regular meeting held in Los Angeles on the thirty-first day of January, 1927.

Witness my hand and the seal of said society.

[SEAL] C M JAY, Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the sanitary board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of Reclamation District No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof, and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district:

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to amend section 1243 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the abandonment of homesteads;

Also: Assembly Bill No 598—An act to add a new section to be numbered 383*a* to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts, and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also: Assembly Bill No 695—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of all moneys collected therein;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 766—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1102*a*, prescribing what evidence of confessions and admissions may be admitted in evidence upon the trial of any criminal cause, and regulating the mode of obtaining such evidence and presenting the same to the trial court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 767—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1543, excluding personal property taken, seized, or obtained in violation of the provisions of section 19 of article I of the constitution of California and the further provisions of chapter III of title XII of part II of the Penal Code, from use in evidence upon the trial of criminal causes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend by-laws in division IX of section 599 of the Civil Code, for the benefit of women's clubs—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendations, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 561—An act regulating the sale of grain in sacks, defining the term grain, providing that the sacks and the weight thereof be included as a part of the net weight of grain sold or purchased, providing for the payment for sacks as a part of the purchase price of grain sold or purchased, making it the duty of the department of agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions thereof and providing a penalty for a violation of the provisions thereof—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

FINLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of nonresident indigents—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FINLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 22*a*, to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FINLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation thereof," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIBRARIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the law library;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities or cities and counties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

REINDOLLAR, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689, and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods, to amend section 36 of said code relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property,

and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Assembly Bill No 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minors fixed by court and payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 970—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for rental and all other expenses necessary for the maintenance of rented State offices for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the first day of March, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr. Smith. An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under 18 years of age; to provide for the maintenance and management of same and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein.

By Mr Mixter An act to amend section 631 of the Penal Code, relating to game.

By Mr. Adams An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923

By Mr. Morrison· An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*a*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class

By Mr Noyes An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts

By Mr Melville An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge

and highway districts, by adding section 3½ thereto, permitting the withdrawal of certain counties or cities and counties from such a district under certain conditions

(Signed out) JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 1154—An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under eighteen years of age; to provide for the maintenance and management of same and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 1155—An act to amend section 631 of the Penal Code, relating to game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*r*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to

pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts, by adding section 3½ thereto permitting the withdrawal of certain counties or cities and counties from such a district under certain conditions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr Wemple:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 3664*e* of the Political Code, relating to appropriation for the State Board of Equalization.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jost:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act appropriating one thousand four hundred ten dollars to pay the claim of Lyman C. Meek against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr. Flynn:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to the exercise of the power of sale in mortgages and trust deeds and providing for personal service or mailing of notice in addition to other notices heretofore required.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr Gant:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Parkman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor, approved April 25, 1911."

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the port of Eureka

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Spalding:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Sewell:

Resolved, That Assembly Joint Resolution No 1 be withdrawn from Committee on Federal Relations and placed on file

Mr. Sewell moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Adams, Heisinger, Williamson, Jacobson and Lyons demanded the previous question

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, and Williams—28

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Crater, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West Williamson, Wittet, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title, of the printed bill, after the words "An act" insert the following: "to repeal section 476*a* and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, of the printed bill, after line 18, insert the following:
"SEC. 2. Section 476*a* of the Penal Code is hereby repealed".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289 and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code, to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292 and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "contract" insert a comma in lieu of the period and add the following: "*provided, however*, the provisions of this act shall not apply to contracts pertaining to labor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "entered" strike out the words "any county" and insert "the superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitration was had."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 8 and 9, of the printed bill, after the word "any" strike out the words "judge in the superior court, holding court for," and insert "any superior court of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "of" insert the words "the hearing of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the second "the" strike out the words "justice or judge" and insert the word "court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "justice or judge" and insert the word "court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "said" strike out the words "justice or judge" and insert the word "court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "vacancy" insert the words "or in the failure or refusal of any arbitrator or arbitrators or umpire to attend or fulfill his or their duties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2, lines 43 and 44, of the printed bill, after the word "controversy" strike out the words "any justice or judge as aforesaid" and insert "the court mentioned in section 1282 of this code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof" strike out "any justice or judge as aforesaid" and insert "the court in which such suit or proceeding is pending".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "summons" and insert the word "subpœnas".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3, lines 29 and 30, of the printed bill, after the word "said", strike out the words "summons upon petition any justice or judge" and insert "subpœna upon petition the superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitrators are sitting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, after the period, insert "the arbitrators shall have power to approve the taking of depositions, to appoint a time and place for hearing, to adjourn from time to time, to administer oaths to witnesses, to hear the allegations and evidence of the parties, and to make an award thereon Upon petition approved by the arbitrators or by a majority of them, the superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitrators are sitting, may direct the taking of depositions to be used as evidence before the arbitrators, in the same manner and for the same reasons as provided by law for the taking of depositions in suits or proceedings pending in said superior court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "within" strike out the word "three" and insert the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "to" strike out the words "any justice or judge aforesaid" and insert "the superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitration was had".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, lines 43 and 44, of the printed bill, after the word "said" strike out the words "justice or judge" and insert the word "court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, after the second "the", strike out the words "justice and judge" and insert "superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitration was had".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "was", strike out the words "evident partiality or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, after the second "the" strike out the word "court" and insert "the superior court of the county or city and county in which said arbitration was had".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 4, lines 51 and 52, of the printed bill, after the word "wherein" strike out the words "the justice or judge making the same sits" and insert the words "said application was filed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all from lines 1 to 13, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The party applying for an order confirming, modifying, or correcting an award shall attach to such application copies of the following papers, to wit: The agreement; the selection or appointment of the arbitrator or arbitrators and the umpire, if any; the selection or appointment, if any, of any additional arbitrator or umpire; each written extension of the time, if any, within which to make the award; and the award

The judgment when rendered by the court shall be docketed as if it were rendered in an action."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "matter", insert the word "not".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "Almquist" strike out the word "by" and insert in lieu thereof "on behalf of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figure "97" insert the following: "Salaries. The justices of the peace shall receive for their official services the following salaries and no other or further compensation, payable monthly, out of the city and county treasury, after being first allowed and audited, as other similar demands are by law required to be allowed and audited; to each of the justices of the peace five thousand four hundred dollars per annum".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m. the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 3—*An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries*—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the director of the State Department of Agriculture to destroy records—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to powers and duties of board of directors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 830 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 769 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 243 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Williamson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 465, relating to unlawful entry of premises where narcotics are kept.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following joint resolution was introduced:

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to the development of the Colorado River and the protection of the Imperial Valley from flood.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Witter asked for unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14, at this time, without reference to printer, committee or file.

OBJECTION TO UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Sewell withheld unanimous consent to the consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 at this time.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum) a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 50 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1061 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1062 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Sewell announced that he was willing at this time to waive his objection to unanimous consent for the further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL

Mr. Sewell moved that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 be recalled from Committee on Federal Relations and be placed on file for adoption.

The question being on the motion to recall Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 from committee

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 withdrawn from the committee by the following vote

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Carter asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No 14, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOURTEEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to the development of the Colorado River and the protection of the Imperial Valley from flood.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Relating to the development of the Colorado River and the protection of the Imperial Valley from flood.

WHEREAS, There is now pending in the Congress of the United States a measure known as the Swing-Johnson bill, providing for the development of the Colorado River by the construction of a high dam at Boulder Canyon and an all-American canal; and

WHEREAS, The State of California is vitally interested in such development and in the legislation authorizing it; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the splendid efforts made by the authors of said bill and the California delegation in Congress to secure its passage be commended; and, be it further

Resolved, That they be earnestly requested to continue their efforts to secure the enactment of this humanitarian and beneficial legislation, which will forever remove from the Imperial Valley the grave menace of flood and drought; and, be it further

Resolved, That pending the enactment of said legislation and the construction of said Boulder Canyon dam, the Congress of the United States is hereby urged to provide such an emergency appropriation for the strengthening and protection of the present levee system as will assure the Imperial Valley's continued safety from flood, said funds to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is hereby directed to transmit, by telegraph, copies of this resolution to the authors of said Swing-Johnson bill, to be by them transmitted to the President and Vice President of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO March 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position at the per diem set opposite their respective names, the appointment of the following named persons to date, from and including the 23rd day of February, 1927:

Harry Johnson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
A S Gomes, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Russell Rankin, Stenographer	5 00

And be it further

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position at the per diem set opposite their respective names, the appointment of the following named persons to date, from and including the 28th day of February, 1927:

Ruth Wheeler, Stenographer	$5 00
Norma Archer, Stenographer	5 00
Bearrice Rae Stenographer	5 00
Myrtle La Montaine, Stenographer	5 00
Mrs Eda Rowland, Stenographer	5 00
Estelle Scofield, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of waters therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. Anderson, Roscoe J., and Keaton:

WHEREAS, Lieutenant John W. Benton, a resident of Shasta County, California, met his death at Buenos Aires, when two planes collided preparatory to his flight to the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, He was in the military aviation service of the United States of America at the time of his death and as such aviator he has done his country a real service and himself a great honor, and brought great honor to the State of California, and the county of Shasta; and

WHEREAS, He will be accounted in history as a leader in the advancement of aviation in our country and of which we are all proud; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Assembly of the State of California, that when it adjourns it shall do so in respect to the memory of Lieutenant John W. Benton; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is hereby directed to convey to his family this expression of tribute from the Assembly of California.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., unanimously adopted.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECH.

On motion of Mr. Walters, the speech of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., relative to the above resolution was ordered printed in the Journal.

SPEECH BY HONORABLE ROSCOE J. ANDERSON OF SHASTA.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

John W. Benton, at the time of his untimely death at Buenos Aires, was 30 years of age. He was one of the youngest men of high rank and great success in the aviation service of the United States. He had not yet been appointed to the highest rank of service, due entirely to his age, but he had attained the highest possible confidence of his superior officers, and they had learned to respect and rely upon him and upon his judgment. I know this to be a fact, by personal observation, for I have seen him in service in the company of his superior officers, and I have noted their deference to his position and his suggestions upon matters pertaining to the service.

When the United States went to war in the recent great World War, he immediately responded to his country's call and served faithfully and well in the aviation service, and upon his discharge he went into private business; but the call of the air service and the call of patriotic duty soon compelled him to reenlist and he became, without delay, one of the most relied upon and dependable young officers in that service. This is proven by the fact that when the United States government selected its picked crew to go on the mission of good will to the other American countries he was one of those selected for this great honor.

John W. Benton was born and raised in Shasta County, California; his family were pioneers in that part of California and were always highly respected and valuable citizens of Shasta County, California. They stood high in the esteem of the people there and have performed a great service in the development of that territory.

John W. Benton was one of the most loved and respected young men of Redding and Shasta County; his character and morals were above reproach and well worthy of being a model or pattern for other young men, and I know of no young man in that section of the State more generally loved and respected than John W. Benton. His services in the aviation corps took him away from home, but on every opportunity he would return for a visit to the old home town and the old home folks. He was intensely loyal to his friends and community as well as to his country.

Lieutenant Benton died in the service of his country, and such a wonderful service, the service of carrying good will and greetings from our great nation to our sister nations in America. He died in time of peace, but in the service and for as great a cause as though it was in time of war. Redding and Shasta County,

his home town and county, honor him; the military an service of the United States government honor him, and California can well honor such a noble and successful son by the passage of the resolution proposed. Therefore, Mr. Speaker, I move you the adoption of the resolution

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, March 2, 1927, out of respect to the memory of the late Lieutenant John W. Benton, of Shasta County, California.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 2, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Cuttenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Lenehan, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Rochester, Mr. Woolwine was granted leave of absence for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Henrietta L. Huntington, principal of the Fremont School, and Mary F. Tracy, teacher of the eighth grade, and the following pupils: Marian Nielsen, Kathlyn Pyatt, Marjorie Campbell, Evelyn Lopez, Viola Carlson, Lillian Rasmussen, Dor-

othy Gaff, Elizabeth Polk, Margaret Whalley, Ruth Davidson, Hazel Dooley, Martha Koivunen, Kathryn Deebeck, Edward McDonell, Leon Le Febre, Jack Whalley, Raymond Barmby, Raymond Marsh, Kenneth Smith, Clifford Koivunen, Alpha Nichols, Jack Ford, and Seymour Fabre were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to amend sections 1357, 1359 and 1361 of the Political Code, relating to absent, injured and disabled voters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to poll-lists and tally-lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and poll-lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers, and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred **Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt bill** introduced by Hon. John E. Raker for the establishment of a Pacific Coast national highway system—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred **Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill** to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred **Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members** of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 35—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend an "Act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of evolution in elementary and secondary schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; etc.' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, etc." approved June 16, 1913, as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the

city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tidelands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that same do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 191—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass as amended

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; and to make an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

LENEHAN, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907 and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other

acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act,' approved June 2, 1913 as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LENEHAN, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to provide for the appointment of a board of optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No 854—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots,

Also: Assembly Bill No 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments;

Also Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Also Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Also: Assembly Bill No 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Gant (by request): An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization.

By Mr. Parkman: An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the Port of Eureka.

By Mr. Wemple: An act to amend section 3664*e* of the Political Code, relating to appropriation for the State Board of Equalization

By Mr. Jost: An act appropriating $1,410 to pay the claim of Lyman C. Meek against the State of California.

By Mr. Flynn: An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to the exercise of the power of sale in mortgages and trust deeds and providing for personal service or mailing of notice in addition to other notices heretofore required

By Mr. Spalding: An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

By Mr. Williamson: An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 465, relating to unlawful entry of premises where narcotics are kept.

Also: An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, **Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.**

NOES—None.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, March 1, 1927.

The Honorable the Members of the Legislature of the State of California, State Capitol, Sacramento, California.

Statewide unity of expression endorsing the two companion Breed highway measures, Senate Bill No. 3 and Senate Bill No. 518, has been secured. Following a thorough discussion and analysis of these measures by each of the five regional councils of the California Development Association, a joint meeting of road committees of these five groups was held. The personnel of the conference representing through their regional organizations every county in the State of California voted a unanimous recommendation of the measures to the statewide road committee of the association, which in turn recommended them to our legislative committee, which also approved. These recommendations were presented to the board of directors of the California Development Association in regular meeting at the Hotel Del Monte yesterday.

The directors approved the action of their committees by unanimous vote in favor of the Breed measures. In accordance with their wish, I am communicating to your honorable body word of the statewide approval which has been stamped upon the two Breed companion measures.

A. EMORY WISHON,
Chairman Statewide Highway Committee,
California Development Association.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend section 1526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of property of decedents;

Also Senate Bill No 9—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 620 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 9 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Gant (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the port of Eureka.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 3664*e* of the Political Code, relating to appropriation for the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act appropriating $1410 to pay the claim of Lyman C. Meek against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Flynn: Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to the exercise of the power of sale in mortgages and trust deeds and providing for personal service or mailing of notice in addition to other notices heretofore required.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institution; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding

or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 465, relating to unlawful entry of premises where narcotics are kept.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Flynn:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Crittenden:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies, of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary

boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the Sanitary Board.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of Reclamation District No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds, to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "territory" omit the words "and in which contiguous territory there are less than ten freeholders residing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "book" omit the words "and stating that there are less than ten freeholders residing within such contiguous territory".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "determine" omit the words "that there are less than ten freeholders residing within the contiguous territory sought to be annexed and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to amend section 1243 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the abandonment of homesteads.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 383*a*, to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts, and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act regulating the sale of grain in sacks, defining the term grain, providing that the sacks and the weight thereof be included as a part of the net weight of grain sold or purchased, providing for the payment for sacks as a part of the purchase price of grain sold or purchased, making it the duty of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions thereof and providing a penalty for a violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction

thereof, and means for enforcement of the act." approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the second line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the third line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "providing" and insert in lieu thereof the words "to provide".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "providing" and insert in lieu thereof the words "to provide".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 695—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of all moneys collected therein.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend by-laws in division IX of section 599 of the Civil Code; for the benefit of women's clubs.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "by-laws in division IX of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "for the benefit of women's clubs" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to what may be provided for in the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions, or articles of incorporation of corporations now organized, or that may hereafter be organized, for purposes other than profit."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

After the enacting clause of the printed bill, insert the following

SECTION 1. Section 599 of the Civil Code is hereby amended to read as follows

599. Corporations now organized, or that may hereafter be organized, for purposes other than profit, may, either in their by-laws, ordinances, constitutions, or articles of incorporation, provide for

(1) The qualification of members, mode of election or appointment, and terms of admission to membership;

(2) The fees or admission and dues to be paid to their treasurer by members;

(3) The number of persons that shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the members of the corporation, and the number of directors who shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the board of directors, and the election of directors or other officers of the corporation by a meeting of the members of the corporation so constituted, or by a meeting of the board of directors so constituted, and the appointment or selection of directors, or other officers, in any manner, and if any corporation now organized, or that may hereafter be organized, for purposes other than profit, does in its by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation, provide for an election of directors or other officers of the corporation by a meeting of the members of the corporation so constituted, or by a meeting of the board of directors so constituted, or for the appointment or selection of directors or other officers, in any manner, then such election or appointment or selection shall be as valid as if made

at an election at which a majority of the members of the corporation were present and voted;

(4) The manner of voting by the members of the corporation, which may be by ballot in the manner provided for by section 321*b* of this code, or in any other manner provided for by the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions, or articles of incorporation of any corporation now organized, or that may hereafter be organized, for purposes other than profit,

(5) The expulsion and suspension of members for misconduct or nonpayment of dues, also for restoration to membership;

(6) A special method of organizing the board of directors, and a special method of increasing or diminishing the number of directors within the limits as to number prescribed by section 593 of this code;

(7) Contracting, securing and limiting the amount of their indebtedness;

(8) That the rules, regulations or discipline, for the time being, of any society, religious denomination, church or other corporation, now organized, or which may hereafter be organized, for purposes other than profit, shall always be a part of their by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation;

(9) A special method of amending or adopting by-laws and such other regulations not repugnant to the constitution or laws of the state and consonant with the objects of the corporation.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "examiners" and insert in lieu thereof the word "control".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of nonresident indigents.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 164—An act to add a new section to be numbered section 22*a* to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the law library.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities, or cities and counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "levied, assessed" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "assessed and levied by the state board of equalization,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of water therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, lines 1 to 4, in section 1 of the printed bill, strike out the words "Whenever fifty or more owners, or the owners of more than one-half, of any body, or bodies of lands situate within the watershed of any stream of water or unnavigable river, or adjacent thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "Whenever fifty or more owners, or the owners of more than one-half, of any body or bodies of land, situate within, and comprising the whole or a part or parts of, the watershed of any stream of water or unnavigable river, or situate adjacent thereto,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, in paragraph 6 of section 2, change period to comma after the word "same" at end of paragraph, and add the words "or otherwise necessary to accomplish the purposes of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, in section 5, strike out the word "size", and insert in lieu thereof the word "area".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, lines 48 to 51, in section 5 of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "district" in line 48 and insert a comma in lieu thereof, and strike out the words "If the directors shall be elected at large a majority of the directors shall also be residents of the county or counties in which the district is situated" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and who shall not be a resident of the county, or of one of the counties, in which the district is situated."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 32, in section 6 of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the most".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 52, and on page 7, in each of lines 1 and 2, in section 6 of the printed bill, strike out the word "subdivision" and insert the word "division" in lieu thereof in each of said lines.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 9, lines 7 to 10, in section 12 of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "act" in line 7, and insert a period in lieu thereof, and strike out the following words "and to elect a director to fill the unexpired term of any director who shall have been elected and who shall have ceased to be a director, for any reason."

And on page 9, lines 14 and 15, in section 12 of the printed bill, strike out the words "only until the next regular election for such district and until his successor is elected and qualified." and insert in lieu thereof the words, "for the unexpired term of his predecessor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 11, line 47, in title of section 19 of the printed bill, strike out the words "publication of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 12, line 1, in section 19 of the printed bill, strike out the words "order entered in the minutes specifying" and insert in lieu thereof the words "order, to be entered in the minutes, specifying".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 13, lines 20 and 21, in section 24 of the printed bill, strike out the words "the sum of twenty thousand dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "an amount equivalent to twenty-five cents for each acre of land in the district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 13, line 25, in section 24 of the printed bill, strike out the words "attorneys employed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "attorneys and others employed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 13, line 36, at end of section 25 of the printed bill, add the following:

Before any such change of the boundaries of the divisions shall be made, the board of directors shall give notice of its intention to make a change or changes therein. Such notice shall specify, in a general way, the changes which the board proposes to make and a time and place at which any owner of land in the district may appear before the board and object to the making of the proposed change or changes, or petition that a change be made otherwise than as proposed, and at which the board will hear any such objection or petition. Such notice shall be published

at least once a week for two weeks, before the time appointed for the hearing, in some newspaper or newspapers published in each of the counties in which any part of the district is situated. At the time and place appointed for such hearing, or at the time and place to which such hearing may be adjourned, the board shall hear all such objections and petitions which may be presented to the board, and, thereupon, the board may make such change or changes in the boundaries of the divisions as it may determine to be for the best interests of the district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 14, line 40, in section 28 of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one and one-half".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 15, line 17, in section 30 of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one and one-half";

And on page 15, line 19, in section 30 of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one and one-half".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 16, line 27, in section 35 of the printed bill, strike out the word "unto" and insert in lieu thereof the word "into".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 16, line 42, in section 36 of the printed bill, strike out the words "and shall designate the owner or", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in the manner herein prescribed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 19, line 49, in section 41 of the printed bill, strike out the words "If a majority of the votes cast at such election are" and insert in lieu thereof the words "If votes representing sixty per cent of the total number of acres of land in the district are cast".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Add section 46 at end of bill to read as follows:

"SEC. 46. Time of taking effect of act. This act shall take effect from and after the time of its passage and approval."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "treasurer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "treasury".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 21, of printed bill, after the word "session" and before the word "The" strike out the following: "The grand jury shall be empowered in such investigation, to employ special counsel and special investigators, whose duty it shall be to investigate and present the evidence in such investigation to the grand jury and their services shall be a county charge," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The attorney general is empowered, when requested so to do by the grand jury of any county or city and county, to employ special counsel and special investigators, whose duty it shall be to investigate and present the evidence in such investigation to the said grand jury of such county or city and county. The services of such special counsel and special investigators shall be a county charge of such county or city and county."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the Director of the State Department of Agriculture to destroy records.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act authorizing the head of any state department, with the approval of the department of finance, to destroy records."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 1 to 6, inclusive, of page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 1. The head of any state department, with the approval of the department of finance, is hereby authorized to destroy or otherwise dispose of any and all records of such department after they have served their purpose and may no longer be required."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

After end of line 17, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraph:

Whenever any shipment of hay, straw, manure, grain, seed, screenings, chaff, agricultural machinery or any other product, equipment or article imported or brought into any county or locality of the State of California from another county or locality within said state, or from any other state or foreign country, is found to be infested with the seed of any noxious weed not of common occurrence in the county or locality into which such shipment is brought, the state director of agriculture, or any of his duly authorized agents, or the county horticultural commissioner, or any of his deputies or inspectors, shall notify the owner or bailee of such shipment to return the same to point of shipment within forty-eight hours after such

notification, and it shall be duty of said owner or bailee to so return such shipment; *provided*, that if it is determined by the state director of agriculture or the county horticultural commissioner that such seeds of noxious weeds can be destroyed by such treatment of the infested shipment as may by him be prescribed, said shipment may at the option and expense of the owner or bailee thereof be given such prescribed treatment under the supervision of the state director of agriculture or the county horticultural commissioner, and after such treatment the shipment may be delivered to the consignee

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Duval asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 489, at this time, without reference to file, and that the same be withdrawn from engrossment, and be considered engrossed.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Duval:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 489 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the third time, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Duval moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Whereupon, the Speaker declared the provisions of section 15 of article IV of the constitution suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Assembly Bill No. 489.

Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE.

Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 489 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 842 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 843 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 87 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 524 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amending.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 528 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1927.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 962 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Assembly Bill No 963 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for support of San Quentin Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Assembly Bill No 964 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries at San Quentin Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Assembly Bill No. 965 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Assembly Bill No 966 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for support in the Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Assembly Bill No. 967 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries in the Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Assembly Bill No 968 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished for the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Assembly Bill No. 969 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits for State officers and employees for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

In my opinion the appropriations necessary for such expenditures during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years constitute an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34, of the Constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of these bills as emergency bills.

Respectfully submitted

C. C YOUNG, Governor.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 962 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 963 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 965 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 964 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE.

Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 965 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m. the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*x*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19*x*44 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the thirty-eighth class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 4268*a*, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class;

Also: Senate Bill No 442—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 19*x*24 of the Juvenile Court Law, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend sections 8 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and

providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to narcotic drugs.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bills Nos 494, 131, 344, 442, and 706 ordered referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 81 ordered referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr. Burns:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Olivа, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 966 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN.

Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 967 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 968 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-NINE.

Assembly Bill No. 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 969 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minor fixed by court; payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors.
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 196 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 520 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 521 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code of the State of California, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 522 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 618—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies, and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 6a, declaring breeding places for mosquitoes to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.

Also: Senate Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1721 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Senate Bill No. 86—An act to amend section 1740 of the Political Code, relating to meeting places of high school boards

Also Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers in counties of the forty-second class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 618 ordered referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 8 ordered referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Senate Bill No. 469 ordered referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 86 ordered referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 530 ordered referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the Spanish-American War Veterans and the American Legion of the Department of California, respectively.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as a case of urgency, Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, March 3, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 3, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Keaton moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Eddy was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Mr. Jost was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Oliva was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Miller was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Chas. G. Dunwoody, director Department Conservation of the California Development Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mrs. Edgar C. Levey, wife of Speaker of the Assembly Edgar C. Levey, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mrs. Leland R. Jacobson, wife of Assemblyman Leland R. Jacobson, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. George Stahlman of Stockton, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Hon. Thomas H. Louttit, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Judge George Frioux and Attorney Charles H. Epperson of Stockton were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mrs. Jack Everett of the William Land School of Sacramento and the following pupils of the eighth grade civic class: Lawrence Menke, Mary Elizabeth Riolo, Eythel Blais, Margaret Quinton, Nellie Lawrence, Clarence Beard, Gurken Manuian, George Jurach, Eva Terry, Olive M. Pickett, Wilhelmina Hastings,

Dottie Mott, Melvin Nicolaus, Orval Jones, Antoinette Tomassetti, Alice Prola, Helen Zambelich, Virginia Tyce and Rose Butler were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

CERTIFICATE FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

The Chief Clerk read the following certificate of Hon. John E. Wherrell of the Seventy-seventh Assembly District, duly elected member of Assembly for the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I, Frank C. Jordan, Secretary of State of the State of California, do hereby certify that John E. Wherrell was elected to the office of member of the Assembly, Seventy-seventh Assembly District of the State of California, at the special election held in said district on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1927, as appears by the official returns of said election and statement thereof on file in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal, this third day of March, A.D. 1927.

[SEAL] FRANK C. JORDAN, Secretary of State
By FRANK H. CORY, Deputy.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort Hon. John E. Wherrell to the bar of the Assembly.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Upon arriving at the bar of the Assembly, Hon. John E. Wherrell took and subscribed to the following oath administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

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

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspaper set opposite their respective names:

Sierra Educational News—J. MacCaughey, George C. Jensen.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FINLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code

to be numbered 2985, relating to the care and treatment of tubercular persons in private sanatariums and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section.

Also Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto five new sections, to be numbered 4½, 5½, 17½, 19½, and 23½, relating to the annexation by county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts the operation and maintenance of lateral and collecting sewers, the construction by such districts of sewers under the "Improvement Act of 1911," and the dissolution of such districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to amend section 65 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to use of rooms in buildings subject to the provisions of the act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Insurance, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476b, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts

Also Assembly Bill No 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within state hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of nonresident indigents;

Also Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 22*a*, to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes

Also Assembly Bill No 260—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Also Assembly Bill No 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities or cities and counties.

Also Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services;

Also Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 695—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of all moneys collected therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the Law Library.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals, to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to amend section 1243 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the abandonment of homesteads;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of Law Library;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt bill introduced by Hon. John E. Raker for the establishment of a Pacific Coast national highway system.
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the mileage of members of the Assembly for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this third day of March, 1927, at 10.45 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 38, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members

of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county board of forestry—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming and change of names of public highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $682 57 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

The Recorder Printing and Publishing Company, 83 sets Code Amendments	$249 00
Bancroft-Whitney Company, 81 copies Robert's Rules of Order	121 50
Carithers Sign Company, lettering doors of committee rooms	52 83
State Purchasing Department	257 57
Department of Finance	1 67
	$682 57

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Davis:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to amend sections 1357, 1359 and 1361 of the Political Code, relating to absent, injured and disabled voters.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to poll-lists and tally-lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and poll-lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following:

Section 1126 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

1126. In all counties, and cities and counties, (except in counties, and cities and counties, which at the last general election prior to the time this act goes into effect had a registration of at least two hundred thousand electors or which has a registrar of voters provided for by freeholders' charter or by general laws, but no board of election commissioners, other than the board of supervisors acting as such ex officio), the board of supervisors or election commissioners in each of the counties, and cities and counties of this state, shall, within thirty days from the receipt of a written notice from the county clerk, or, in counties or cities and counties having a registrar of voters, from the registrar of voters, change the boundaries of, create new, or consolidate established precincts as per detailed descriptions as furnished by the county clerk, or registrar of voters, and county surveyor; *provided*, that there shall always be as many precincts as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled in any one precinct not more than two hundred, as nearly as can be ascertained; *provided, however*, that for the purpose of conducting primary elections, the board of supervisors or election commissioners may consolidate any two or more of the regular election precincts established for state or county elections.

In all counties, and cities and counties, which at the last general election prior to the time this act goes into effect has a registration of at least two hundred thousand electors, or which has a registrar of voters provided for by freeholders' charter or by general laws, but no board of election commissioners, other than the board of supervisors acting as such ex officio, the board of supervisors, or other board having charge and control of elections in such county, or city and county, of this state, or at its request, the county clerk or registrar of voters, may from time to time change the boundaries of, create new, or consolidate established precincts; *provided*, that there shall always be as many precincts as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled at any one precinct to be not more than two hundred, as nearly as can be ascertained.

Any provisions found elsewhere in this act giving to the board of supervisors the power to establish, abolish, and change election precincts shall be subject to, and controlled by, the provisions of this section.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers, and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the parenthesis mark after the word "judges" and before the word "who".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the parenthesis mark after the word "election" and before the semicolon.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 35—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, in line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "or" strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "country".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "business" strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, lines 14 and 15, of the printed bill, after the word "insured" strike out the word "forclosing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forclosure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "within" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the word "operating" and insert in lieu thereof the word "operated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "while" strike out the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "or" strike out the word "co-earners" and insert in lieu thereof the word "co-owners".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "its" strike out the word "now" and insert in lieu thereof the word "new".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "above" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "days" strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "after".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SECTION 1. Section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The number of directors shall not be less than seven (7), nor more than eleven (11), a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum to do business. These directors shall be elected from the members of the association by ballot, and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected and qualified. The annual meeting of the members of the company shall be on the second Monday in January of each year. In the election of the first board of directors each member shall be entitled to one vote. At every subsequent election, every person insured shall be entitled to as many votes as there are directors to be elected, and an equal additional number for every risk or risks he holds in the company, and he may cast the same in person or by proxy, distributing them among the directors to be elected, or among a less number of directors, or cumulating them upon one candidate, as he shall see fit. The several candidates, not exceeding the number of directors to be elected, receiving the highest number of votes cast at the annual meeting shall be declared elected irrespective of the number of members present in person or by proxy or voting at such meeting.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of evolution in elementary and secondary schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out line 3 of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following "teaching of the theory that mankind either descended or ascended from a lower order of animals in the public schools, colleges, universities and other institutions of learning supported in whole or in part by public education funds"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 5, both inclusive, and substitute in lieu thereof the following

1665*b*. 1. It shall be unlawful for any teacher or instructor in any school, college or university or other institution of learning supported in whole or in part by public education funds of the State of California, to teach that mankind either descended or ascended from a lower order of animals

2. No teacher, instructor or text-book committee shall adopt for use within any such school as is hereinabove described, any text-book which teaches in any manner that mankind either descended or ascended from a lower order of animals.

3. Provided that nothing contained herein shall be construed to prevent the use or free circulation of any such book or text in any library of the free public library system of the state, or in any reference library of any state college or university

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; etc.,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, etc.," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such

portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tide lands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out all after the word "thereafter" down to and including the word "thereof" on page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Such penalty shall be computed upon the amount of each year's taxes reckoning from July first of the year when the lands would have been sold for the taxes of that year if there had been no previous sale thereof

Provided, however, that if redemption is not made within five years from July first of the year of the sale to the state, the redemptioner in addition to the penalties hereinbefore stated, must pay interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum on the aggregate amount of the taxes then due, from the expiration of that five year period, up to the date of redemption, and upon all subsequent delinquencies from July first of year when the property would have been sold had there been no previous sale to the state, up to date of redemption.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; and to make an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out the words "and to" in next to last line, and by striking out the whole of the last line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out the whole of section 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, line 24 of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the figures "19" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the figures "20", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "department of institutions" and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of control"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, section 3, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 36, 37, 38, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "minimum of two thousand two hundred fifty hours in pharmaceutical work which includes nine hundred hours of laboratory work predominantly related to pharmaceutical chemistry for graduation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, section 3, in line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and" and strike out all after the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, section 3, line 46, of the printed bill, after the words "satisfaction of" insert the words "and before".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, section 3, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 20 to 29, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Class three. Registration as a licentiate in pharmacy shall be granted to any person otherwise qualified as provided in section 2 hereof; who shall have passed a written examination to the satisfaction of and before the California state board of pharmacy, who shall have had five years pharmaceutical experience as defined by section 3 of this act, who shall have been registered as a licentiate in pharmacy or a registered pharmacist and actually engaged in the practice of pharmacy and in lieu of not having been a graduate of a school or college of pharmacy or department of pharmacy of a university and in good standing in another state or territory of the United States, or the District of Columbia, before January 1, 1928, for a period of not less than five years previous to his or her application for registration.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 6, section 7, in line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "event" insert the words "any person".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 29, 30 and 31

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the words "class five" and insert in lieu thereof the words "class four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "class six" and insert in lieu thereof the words "class five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "class seven" and insert in lieu thereof the words "class six".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matters of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907 and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California,

and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, lines 22 and 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two thousand" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-one hundred".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*x*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19*r*44 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt bill introduced by Hon John E. Raker for the establishment of a Pacific coast national highway system.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Assembly Joint Resolution No 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5.

Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt bill introduced by Hon John E. Raker for the establishment of a Pacific coast national highway system.

WHEREAS, Hon. John E. Raker, member of Congress from the State of California, has introduced a bill in the House of Representatives for the establishment of a Pacific coast national highway system, authorizing examination, survey and report to the War Department, as a preliminary to the improvement construction and maintenance of a system of motor truck highways to meet the transportation requirements of heavy commerce in time of peace and of heavy ordnance in time of war, and to serve as post roads, with proper and sufficient laterals, in the states of California, Oregon and Washington; and

WHEREAS, This bill is of vital interest to the State of California and, if adopted, will assist in the agricultural and commercial development of this State and the entire Pacific coast in times of peace; and

WHEREAS, The system of highways provided for in this bill will be absolutely necessary to the proper defense of the Pacific coast in time of war; and

WHEREAS It is apparent that many of the world problems of the future will be decided on the Pacific coast; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of California, through its Assembly and Senate memorializes the Congress of the United States to adopt the aforesaid bill at the earliest possible date in order that the project shall suffer no delay; and, be it further

Resolved, That the speaker of the Assembly be authorized to transmit copies of this resolution by telegraph, to the governors of the states of Washington and Oregon, with the request that similar action be taken by their respective legislatures; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Speaker of the Assembly be authorized to transmit copies of this resolution, by mail, to all the members of Congress and the Senate of the United States.

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Scofield moved that Assembly Bill No. 18 be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 628 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Cloudsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Croter, Davis, Deuel Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 841 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 442 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 442 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts, and fix the

compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 553 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 695—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of all moneys collected therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 695 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to add a new section to be numbered section 22*a* to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 164 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—59

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of Cali-

fornia, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 634 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Morrison, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe-keeping thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87, and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465 and 3480 of the Political Code and to amend section 3480*4* thereof as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California relating to reclamation districts, and to said code thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494 providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3495 providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts and to add thereto a new section 3496 providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

Also Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts,

Also Senate Bill No 142—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897,

Also Senate Bill No 830—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to powers and duties of board of directors,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19½ 22½ and 25 thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897 as amended, by amending sections 44, 47 and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale,

Also Assembly Bill No 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use,

Also Assembly Bill No. 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts,

Also Assembly Bill No 864—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of reclamation districts and all proceedings relative thereto and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also Assembly Bill No 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation government, operation, reorganization dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class,

Also Assembly Bill No 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds:

Also Assembly Bill No 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards,

Also Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 599 of the Civil Code, relating to what may be provided for in the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation of corporations now organized or that may hereafter be organized for purposes other than profit;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the sanitary board;

Also Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also Assembly Bill No 561—An act regulating the sale of grain in sacks, defining the term grain, providing that the sacks and the weight thereof be included as a part of the net weight of grain sold or purchased, providing for the payment for sacks as a part of the purchase price of grain sold or purchased, making it the duty of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions thereof and providing a penalty for a violation of the provisions thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 598—An act to add a new section to be numbered 383*a* to the Penal Code relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as a case of urgency, Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as a case of urgency, the following

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Feigenbaum:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article IIj, embracing sections 373 to 373j, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Noyes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-Pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wright:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any spirituous, vinous, malt or other alcoholic liquor is unlawfully sold, served, or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such liquors; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances," approved April 28, 1915.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Coombs:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class, approved May 23, 1925.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the law library.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1033 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities, or cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 468 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1092 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 143 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Witter moved that Assembly Bill No. 439 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to powers and duties of board of directors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 383*a*, to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 598 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Adams gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 598 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 503 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts,

Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend by-laws in division IX of section 599 of the Civil Code, for the benefit of women's clubs.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Badham moved that Assembly Bill No. 756 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Baum moved that Assembly Bill No. 886 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 22 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 22 was this day passed.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to memoralizing Congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, There has been introduced a bill in the House of Representatives of the United States, being H. R. 7075—sixty-ninth Congress, first session, which provides: "That the United States government hereby assumes, subject to the conditions of this act or any subsequent act of Congress, the payment to the several states of sums of money equivalent to the amounts which such states would receive from the taxation of said lands of the United States within their respective borders if such lands were owned by individuals"; and

WHEREAS, Under an act of Congress of the United States approved March 3, 1891, large areas of territory with the timber and other resources thereon and therein were "set apart, reserved, and withdrawn from entry" in the states of California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico and in a lesser degree in several of the other states of the Union; and

WHEREAS, The United States government has withdrawn, set apart, and reserved within permanent national forests eighteen million eight hundred ninety-one thousand one hundred sixty-one acres of land within the State of California, approximating one-fifth of the total land area of the State, said lands being set apart, withdrawn from entry and reserved for the purpose of conserving the resources thereof and particularly the standing timber thereon for the benefit of future generations of mankind; and

WHEREAS, The lands of the United States above referred to, comprise in several of the counties upwards of one-half of the area within the borders of the counties, and, although exempt from annual taxation, are being put to commercial and industrial uses for the benefit of all the people of the United States, which fact places these lands on the same basis, as to use, as privately owned lands used for the same purpose, and said lands of the United States are in competition with said privately owned lands, and the setting aside, reserving and withdrawing from entry of these large areas of territory in the sparsely settled forest counties and on which the United States pays no taxes, results in throwing a heavy tax burden on privately owned property in the same political subdivision of government thus making the financing of local government a difficult problem indeed; and

WHEREAS, This area is not and can not be taxed by any of the thirty-nine counties of California wherein this vast domain is situated, although each of said counties is required to and do perform therein and thereon all necessary and requisite police powers, equip, maintain and operate schools; equip, maintain and operate courts for the punishment of offenders against the forest and other laws, construct, repair and maintain trails, roads and bridges and to do and perform such other acts,

duties and powers as may be necessary to the enjoyment of such forests by the people of the United States as well as of other nations; and

WHEREAS, When state government was instituted and the several states admitted into the Union they were divided into counties, and townships and each of the states, counties and townships were guaranteed the full right of enjoyment of all the territory and resources within their respective borders and the declared policy of the United States government being to dispose of all the public domain, and article ten of the declaration of rights, which formed the basis for the union of the states provides, that "No state shall be deprived of territory for the benefit of the United States." In setting apart, reserving and withdrawing from entry nineteen million acres of land for national forest purposes within the boundaries of a single state, surely territory has been taken from that state for the benefit of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The following clause is contained in the enabling act of every state admitted into the Union, beginning with Ohio in 1803: "The state when admitted shall be on a basis of equality with the original states in all respects whatever." Therefore all political subdivisions of government should be on a basis of equality, which makes it necessary for all to contribute on a basis of equality to the solution of all problems of national necessity (and we deem the national forests to be such a problem), and if in so doing it becomes necessary to take territory and resources from some of the subdivisions of government, and "set apart, reserve or withdraw" the same from entry for the benefit of all the others, then those benefited should join in reimbursing the subdivisions of government from which the territory and resources were taken, otherwise there can be no basis of equality; and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has enacted legislation known as the "exchange bills," and under the provisions of said law, private owners are enabled to exchange cut-over lands for standing timber on the lands of the United States, and since said law has become operative, private owners have availed themselves to the right granted to them under said law and have conveyed hundreds of thousands of acres of such lands to the United States and have received in exchange, hundreds of millions of feet of standing virgin timber from the United States, and as a result of the operation of such legislation, counties in which such exchanges have been made or in which such exchanges may hereafter be made, have had or will have taken from them and removed from the assessment rolls of such counties, many thousands of dollars in assessed valuation, and in addition to this loss of assessed valuation such counties are losing the percentage which they would receive were a sale made instead of an exchange, and as Colonel Greely, chief forester of the United States, has said of this law, "The forest counties lose both going and coming", and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has enacted the so-called Clark-McNary law, and under the provisions of section 7 of said law, private owners are enabled to donate or devise to the United States lands chiefly valuable for the growing of forests, the private owner reserving the timber, mineral, grazing and other rights and when so conveyed become a part of the national forest reserve and not open to entry or taxation, and should timber owners in some of the counties in several of the western states exercise their just right under this law, and convey their said lands to the United States, thus taking from the assessment rolls of the counties the immense valuation involved and the right of taxation, it will result in putting many of the forest counties of the west out of business, because such counties will be unable to raise sufficient revenue to maintain county government, and if such counties are annexed to a nonforest county in the same state the county to which it is annexed will receive not an asset but a liability; and

WHEREAS, It is only just and right that a heavy burden of local taxation should not be placed annually on the people of any state, in which, and by reason of the fact that, extensive areas of territory having great natural resources, guaranteed to them in the beginning and later legislated from them, have been set apart, reserved and withdrawn from entry for the economic use and benefit of all of the people of the United States, and we believe that if the government of the United States can not afford to finance its national forests, then in right and justice it should not expect the sparsely settled forest counties to do so for it; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California approves of the purpose of the Raker bill referred to and respectfully request its support and adoption, by the Congress of the United States at the earliest possible date; and, be it further

Resolved, That any moneys to be paid to the State of California, by the United States under the provisions of the Raker bill or any similar bill, or any law enacted by the Congress of the United States, based on forest values of the forest counties of California, shall be divided among said forest counties in proportion to the forest values fixed by the United States bureau of public roads; *provided*, that by the term "forest counties" is meant those counties of California, a part of which are in the present national forests; *and provided, further*, that any portion of the timber sale, grazing or other receipts of national forests returned by the federal government to the State of California, are excepted herefrom; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of California be authorized and directed to transmit copies of this resolution by mail to the governors of the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona with the request that similar action be taken by their respective legislatures; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of California be authorized and directed to transmit copies of this resolution by mail, to all the by their respective legislatures, and, be it further

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 3 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58

NOES—Clowdsley, and Hawes—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 944 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Friday, March 4, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 4, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Oliva, Messrs. Burns and Hornblower were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Oliva, Mr. Miller, James A., was granted leave of absence for the day.

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

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Bishop was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Little, Mr. Sewell was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Hon David W. Miller, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mrs. Frank J. Law of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Charles H. Victor of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, Mr. P. G. Jacobs, principal of the Rio Vista grammar school, and the pupils of the eighth grade were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the agricultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand or trade mark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act and providing for penalties for the violation of same; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

PATTERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code relating to penalty on delinquent taxes,

Also: Assembly Bill No 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code relating to the opening and closing of the polls;

Also Assembly Bill No 203—An act to amend section 2322*x*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19*x*44 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115 Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tidelands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to poll lists and tally lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and poll lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code;

Also Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the head of any State department, with the approval of the Department of Finance, to destroy records;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

The following report of standing committee was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON MILEAGE.

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
77	John E Wherrell	Riverside, Riverside County	512				1,024	$51 20

FLYNN, Chairman.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mrs. Woodbridge: An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies by the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

By Mr. Flynn: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

By Mr. Burns: An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county.

By Mr. Crittenden: An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

By Mr. Coombs: An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class, approved May 23, 1925.

By Mr. Wright: An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any spirituous, vinous, malt or other alcoholic liquor is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling serving or giving away such liquors, and providing for the abatement of such nuisances," approved April 28, 1915, relating to abatement procedure.

By Mr. Noves: An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article III*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*j*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

By Mr. Davis: An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and forty-seven minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up, and ordered printed in the Journal:

REPORT OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY FOR AN INTENSIVE STUDY OF THE WATER RESOURCES OF CALIFORNIA AND THE STATE ENGINEER'S COORDINATED PLAN FOR THEIR DEVELOPMENT.

J. C. GARRISON, Chairman.
FRANK S. BOGGS.
J. M. INMAN,
HERBERT C. JONES,
Senate Members.
E. G. ADAMS,
VAN BERNARD,
B. S. CRITTENDEN,
F. W. MIXTER,
Assembly Members.

Authority: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

The joint committee of the Senate and Assembly appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 respectfully submits its report and recommendations.

By the resolution authorizing this committee, the committee was directed

> "to make a further study of the records of the State Engineer, pertaining to the subject of this resolution and to report its findings and submit its recommendations to this Legislature at the forty-seventh session thereof not later than the first week in March, 1927."

The committee immediately upon commencing its work became impressed with the magnitude of the project contemplated and the momentous consequences to follow any decision of the Legislature.

The development of the water resources of the State constitutes incomparably the most gigantic and far-reaching problem in the field of material development today confronting California. Here is involved the last great natural resource of the State The project, if and when completed, is estimated to cost an enormous sum of money. Its 262 contemplated reservoirs, with a capacity of 50,000,000 acre-feet of water, bringing into production 1,500,000 acres of new land, will create new agricultural values, furnish a new supply of water for domestic purposes, a new source of power for industry and household uses, will control floods, check salt water inundation, possibly revive hydraulic mining—in a word, it will affect the daily life of every person within the confines of our State. Here is a priceless heritage that must be kept under the control of the State, for it is a fact well established by history that the agency which controls the natural resources of any state or nation controls the destiny of its people.

The State government has for many years recognized the importance of the conservation of the State's water resources. A new chapter was begun six years ago in the State's attention to the water problem when in 1921 the Legislature appropriated $200,000 with which the State Engineer should make a comprehensive investigation of the water resources of the State. State-wide recognition of the importance of this work was given in 1923, when the Chambers of Commerce of San Francisco and Los Angeles advanced $90,000 for the study of a first unit of a comprehensive plan that would relieve the stress in a section of the State most in need of an imported water supply. The Legislature of 1925 repaid this money and appropriated $150,000 additional for the completion of the investigation. A total of $440,000 has been expended by the State during the six years. A mass of invaluable engineering data has been gathered, and a coordinated plan of development proposed in which the State is under no moral obligation by having received financial assistance from any special interest.

THREE MAJOR PROBLEMS.

In taking up its study, your committee immediately recognized that the problem consisted of three major phases: engineering, legal and financial. These three different phases will be taken up and discussed separately.

ENGINEERING.

Immediately after organizing, your committee called a public hearing to be held in the Senate Chamber, January 26th and 27th. At this hearing State Engineer Bailey and his assistants were present with maps and data The coordinated plan was explained more in detail than shown in Bulletin No. 12. The plan has been denominated a "Coordinated Plan," for the reason that it coordinates irrigation, power development, flood control, hydraulic mining, salt water control and navigation. Representatives of irrigation and water interests from all over the State were present, including those whose interests are affected by the salt water menace at the junction of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers. A keen interest was apparent throughout the hearings. In addition to his able presentation of the plan, State Engineer Bailey answered readily and clearly innumerable questions from the committee and from the floor. A complete transcript of the hearings has been made and is now on file with the chairman of the committee Chief Engineer Barton of the State Reclamation Board was present and at the request of the committee submitted a report as to the value of the coordinated plan in the matter of flood control. The conclusion or summary of his report is attached hereto and marked Exhibit "A."

CONCLUSIONS.

1. That the coordinated plan, while it is endorsed by many eminent engineers, is of such huge magnitude that it would take months of intensive study and public hearings before your committee would feel justified in making a recommendation as to its practicability upon which the Legislature could take any action.

2. If attempted, construction should proceed progressively upon a unit basis which should be worked out in harmony with existing and future local projects.

3. Adequate legislative machinery must be provided for the execution and operation of the plan, if adopted.

LEGAL.

Immediately upon beginning its hearings it became apparent to your committee that the execution of the coordinated plan would bring it in direct conflict with a most serious legal obstacle—the rights of riparian owners along the streams involved. Your committee felt that it could do no greater service to the State as a whole than to seek relief from the doctrine of wasteful riparian rights, a doctrine set forth in the recent decision of the Supreme Court of California in the Herminghaus case and substantiated by a long line of court decisions. This doctrine, we believe, if carried out without limit would not only make the accomplishment of the coordinated plan practically impossible, but would endanger the rights of thousands of California's citizens whose very existence depends upon appropriated water rights.

Realizing the seriousness of this situation, your committee appointed a subcommittee to meet with legal authorities upon water rights—Supreme Court and Appellate Court Justices, judges of our trial courts, and legal representatives of all different interests affected.

The subcommittee made its report to this committee on February 9th, a copy of the subcommittee's report being appended hereto and marked Exhibit "B."

Public hearings were held in the Senate Chamber on February 15th, 16th and 17th, for the consideration of this legal problem. At these hearings the general public was invited and participated in the discussions. Representatives of the various interests affected expressed themselves in support of and in opposition to the suggestions set forth in the subcommittee's report.

As a result of the three days' hearings of this legal problem, one proposition stood out amidst all the discussions, namely: that private property in water rights can not be taken without compensation. However much it might be wished that the law were otherwise in respect to the riparian doctrine, we must face it as it is. The one thing, therefore, upon which there was a unanimous conviction on the part of the committee, was that legal machinery should be set up for expeditiously acquiring, by condemnation, the private property in water rights necessary for the consummation of the coordinated plan

In connection with the legal aspects of this problem, your committee wishes to call attention to Assembly Bill No. 1206, of the 1925 session, under which there was sold to private parties the Folsom reservoir site on the American River, a site constituting an important unit of the coordinated plan. The committee felt that in view of the possibility of the adoption of the coordinated plan that the Folsom site should not have been permitted to pass from State ownership From the hearings it appeared that the present plans of the private owners are not in harmony with the coordinated plan, at least in the matter of flood control, and that the contemplated construction by the private owners affords no dependable protection to North Sacramento against floods.

The committee found that doubt exists both as to the legality of the contract of purchase in possibly exceeding the authority given under Bill No. 1206, and also as to the legality of the bill itself because of the doubt as to whether the title properly sets forth the purpose of the bill. For these reasons the committee unanimously passed a resolution asking the Attorney General to investigate the entire matter of the legality of the sale of the Folsom site.

A transcript of the hearings before the committee on the legal aspects of the coordinated plan has also been made and is on file with the chairman of the committee.

CONCLUSIONS.

(1) That a State Water Commission should be created, vested with jurisdiction to investigate, hear and determine claims to the use of water, to hear and determine proceedings in eminent domain for the taking of water for public use, and regulation of the distribution thereof, and to fix the just compensation to be paid for the taking of such water.

(2) In view of the possibility of the adoption and execution by the State of California of the coordinated plan, this committee feels that the State of California should at once take the necessary steps, either through its proper officials or by legislation, to file on, or withdraw from filing by private parties, the water rights to be utilized and required for the consummation of the coordinated plan.

FINANCIAL.

The financing of the coordinated plan is such a stupendous task that your committee has been unable, in the few weeks we have had to consider this problem, to enter into this phase of the matter except in a very general way. The benefits to be obtained from this development are so many and varied, the effect upon the economic structure of our basic industry of agriculture so far reaching, that a plan which is economically sound can only be worked out after long and painstaking study.

The irrigation projects of our State which have gone ahead, pioneered the principle of irrigation, and built up an adequate water supply of their own, cannot be expected to consent to an increase of their already too heavy tax burden except as it would directly benefit them or the State as a whole. Likewise, lands so located that

nature has failed to make a sufficient supply of water available or has provided an excess of water creating a flood hazard cannot be expected to bear the entire burden of correcting nature's mistake. Navigation, flood control, salt water encroachment, and control of mining debris, all are matters in which the federal, as well as the State, government is interested to a very appreciable degree.

The bringing of additional arid land into production by irrigation and into competition with the lands now under production and suffering from an appalling agricultural depression due to over-production, faulty distribution, or both, must be handled in a way which will not wreck the economic structure of the whole State. However, long prior to the consummation of the coordinated plan, there is every indication that the demand for agricultural products, both within this State and throughout the nation, will be such as to absorb every bit of California's agricultural production. The present rate of increase of California's population, and the growth that must come with the industrial and manufacturing expansion of the future will, beyond question, create new demands and markets for the products of the soil that will overtake the State's ability to produce. The present depression and overproduction will have passed long before a consummation of the coordinated plan.

No present or contemplated project can be expected to release its present water supply or any part of it unless the supply offered in exchange is equally as economical and dependable.

The entire project for the co-ordinated plan depends in its final analysis upon the practical question of whether the benefits received will justify the outlay required. In order to justify itself, and merit the endorsement of the State, the Legislature should be convinced that the benefits outweigh the enormous cost. This involves the whole financial and economic aspect of the project. It presents also the question of what agencies shall contribute financially to the cost—what proportion the federal government will be willing to pay in the interest of navigation, flood control and possibly irrigation, what proportion the State of California will be willing to pay in the interests of increased prosperity of all its people, what proportion specific interests should pay—irrigationists, power consumers, domestic water, hydraulic mining and saline control.

This financial-economic aspect presents a problem so vast that we feel it can not be solved except by long continued, careful study and investigation. The State Engineer, in Bulletin No. 12, says:

> "So extensive is the area, so many and varied are the interests, and so great are the expenditures involved in this plan that the usual method of procedure is impracticable. The economic, financial, legal and political problems relating to its execution are so complex and far reaching that they should be the subject of careful deliberation. The broad values and public advantages of the plan should be weighed with the costs and difficulties. Methods of execution, of operation and of financing should be considered along with the extent to which costs should be distributed."

The engineer then states that in view of the intricate nature of these problems and their momentous bearing on the future of California, that there should be a thorough investigation for the purpose of determining:

First—The practicability of carrying out the coordinated plan;

Second—If found to be practical, the recommendation of a method of procedure.

With the State Engineer's recommendation that there be this thorough investigation, your committee is in accord.

GENERAL CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

In this brief report your committee has endeavored to give to your honorable body in as few words as possible a general perspective of the entire situation as we find it, and to recommend, after serious study, what we consider to be a sound method of procedure. Your committee feels very definitely that this is a matter in which, urgent as some of the needs are, the only safe policy is to make haste slowly. Any policy or plan precipitated without the most painstaking consideration is sure to result in disaster. No loss of time will result in this investigation as it will take approximately two years for the adoption by the people of the necessary change in the constitution to permit the undertaking of the coordinated plan.

Such investigation, as a result of which the State may be asked to undertake a project of such magnitude and which the Legislature may be requested to approve, should be made by a committee of State officials, elected by and answerable to, the people of the State.

I.

That a legislative committee of four members of the Assembly and four members of the Senate be appointed as a permanent committee during the next two years to continue this intensive study, to confer with the proper federal authorities, and to hold hearings of all those concerned in the development or use of the water resources of the State, with a view to making a final report to the forty-eighth session of the Legislature. That said committee be authorized to hold public hearings in any part of the State, to the end that the public may be fully taken into its confidence and that the committee may receive first-hand knowledge of the effect

of the plan on the local conditions of each community A copy of the bill to provide for such committee is hereunto attached and marked Exhibit "C."

II.

That the Governor of the State be authorized and requested by the Legislature to communicate with the President of the United States and invoke the aid of the federal government in establishing a basis for the execution of the coordinated plan A copy of a resolution making such request of the Governor is hereunto attached and marked Exhibit "D"

III.

That the printing of Bulletins 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the Department of Public Works be continued, in accordance with arrangements made and funds provided by the Board of Control since the convening of the Legislature, in order that this valuable information may be available to those so vitally interested in the water situation.

IV.

That a constitutional amendment be submitted by this Legislature providing for the creation of the State Water Commission mentioned in this report, said constitutional amendment to be in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit "E," hereto attached.

V.

That the State, either through its proper officials or by legislation, at once, file on, or withdraw from filing by private parties, the water rights to be utilized and required under the coordinated plan A copy of the necessary legislation to accomplish this end is attached hereto, marked Exhibit "F."

VI.

That the Governor be requested to ask the Attorney General, in the event that he deems invalid the legislation of the 1925 session, for the sale of the Folsom reservoir site, or the contract executed pursuant to such legislation, to institute legal proceedings for the cancellation of said contract, and the reacquiring by the State of the title to said property. A copy of the necessary resolution is attached hereto, marked Exhibit "G"

The legislation proposed by your committee we believe to be absolutely necessary if California is to continue to develop her water resources in security Therefore, your committee submits the foregoing report and commends the recommendations therein contained to your favorable consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

J. C. GARRISON, Chairman.
J. M. INMAN.
HERBERT C. JONES.
F. S. BOGGS.
FRANK W. MIXTER
VAN BERNARD
E. G. ADAMS, Secretary.

RESERVATION OF CRITTENDEN AND BERNARD.

We have signed this report on condition that we will support an amendment thereto; that we believe E without the substance of Exhibit No. 2 and Exhibit No. 1 or the irrigation district report accomplishes little.

B. S. CRITTENDEN.
VAN BERNARD.

EXHIBIT "A."

CONCLUSIONS.

Our conclusions, more fully set out above, are as follows:

1. That an investigation and study of the economics of the proposed plan is vitally necessary before any determination in regard to the plan can be soundly made

2. That the theory and procedure employed in analyzing the regulation of flood crests by means of storage are sound and logical, and the results obtained thereby unquestionably have merit.

3. That a reduction in peak flood flow can be obtained by means of storage without material interference with the use of the same storage capacity for conservation purposes, but we are not prepared to say to what extent this can be accomplished in each specific instance.

4. That the degree of protection afforded through controlling floods by storage is greater than that afforded by the present plan of protection by levees and by-passes.

5. That, aside from a possible saving in construction costs of the unfinished portions of the Sacramento project, and even if the whole project were completed under the present levee plan, the construction of the four main Sacramento basin storage reservoirs and their operation in the manner described, would contribute to the safety of the areas menaced by floods

6. That flood control should not be given undue weight in relation to the coordinated plan as a whole. In the four main Sacramento reservoirs, the cost of the features necessary for flood control is only one fifty-fourth of the total cost.

7. The existing Sacramento flood control plan should not be disrupted in any manner by the present consideration of this storage project. Modifications to conform can be taken step by step with the development of the storage program.

Respectfully submitted.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE RECLAMATION BOARD.

(Signed) By A. M. BARTON, Chief Engineer.

EXHIBIT "B."

REPORT OF SUBCOMMITTEE TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF SENATE AND ASSEMBLY UNDER ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIXTEEN.

To the Joint Committee of the Senate and Assembly under Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16.

GENTLEMEN: Your subcommittee appointed to meet with the legal representatives of public service corporations, irrigation districts and other organizations and individuals for the purpose of attempting to work out a legal solution to the problems confronting the people of this State with regard to water storage, irrigation and kindred subjects, had a meeting with the representatives aforesaid upon the second day of February, 1927, and after a full day's discussion those present, other than your committee and other representatives of the State government, appointed a subcommittee as follows:

Mr. Fred G. Athearn.
Justice W. M. Finch.
Former Justice Max C. Sloss.
Former Judge W. D. Tillotson.
Attorney General U. S. Webb.

The last mentioned committee met and considered the matters under discussion and rendered its report to this subcommittee, a copy of which is hereto appended, marked "Exhibit No. 1."

That your subcommittee met and carefully considered said report and respectfully reports and recommends:

1. We are of the opinion that, in order to meet the legal situation, two constitutional amendments are necessary, the first, a copy of which is hereto appended and marked "Exhibit No. 2," we suggest should be offered as a substitute for Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19.

2. The second, a copy of which is hereto appended, marked "Exhibit No. 3," we suggest should be offered as a substitute for Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 14.

3. We recommend that, if found practicable, a bill be prepared and introduced, creating in detail the machinery authorized by Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 14 and being predicated upon the passage and adoption of that amendment by the people.

Respectfully submitted.

J. M. INMAN.
BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN.

On account of not having had the opportunity of meeting with the subcommittee, or of studying its report, I am compelled to refrain at this time from either dissenting from or approving the recommendations herein embodied.

HERBERT C JONES.

EXHIBIT NUMBER ONE.

February 6, 1927.

To the Honorable Senators, J. M. Inman, H. C Jones and Bradford S. Crittenden.

DEAR SIRS: Following the conference had in the office of the Governor, Wednesday, February 2, 1927, for the purpose of discussing Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 14 and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19, the persons present at that conference, other than the Governor and members of the Legislature, met and appointed a committee to give further and detailed consideration to the subject involved in the two proposed amendments in the light of the views expressed at the general conference, and to report back to you the results of their deliberations.

The committee selected by the general conference was as follows:

Mr. Fred G. Athearn,
Justice W. M. Finch.
Former Justice Max C. Sloss.
Former Judge W. D. Tillotson.
Attorney General U. S. Webb.

The committee has spent much time in reviewing the suggestions made at the general conference held on February 2, and has had also the benefit of the views subsequently expressed in writing to it by members of the general conference.

The several views expressed by the various members of the general conference and the views of the several members of the committee have, in the final analysis, a strikingly common characteristic, viz. that there is imperative need that the limits of the right of an owner of riparian land should be set and that prevention of a wasteful use of water is a matter of paramount importance to the general welfare of the State.

The problem before your committee has been that of accomplishing these ends without working unnecessary hardship and at the same time doing even-handed justice to present and prospective users of water.

The result of your committee's labors has been, therefore, an amalgamation as it were of both proposed constitutional amendments with addition of certain matter that is not now a part of either proposed amendment. These changes and additions have been effected with reference to Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 14 and will be so referred to in this report, as a matter of convenience only and not for the reason that such changes and additions could not have been made with reference to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 19

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 14 has been amended in the following particulars

1 The words "lake or pond" have been stricken from the title and the word "or" inserted between "stream" and "watercourse."

2. The same change as made in the title has been made in line 15.

The reason for this change is that the committee is of the opinion that the proposed amendment should deal primarily with streams and watercourses and that there is no need for legislation affecting lakes and ponds.

3. The title has been changed so that it shall read "two new sections to be numbered three and four" The same change has been made in lines 7 and 8.

4 The word "natural" in line 9 has been stricken out.

This has been done for the reason that it appears to the committee that conditions generally, artificial as well as natural, require that the water resources of the State be conserved.

5. Following the word "prevented" in line 13, the following sentence has been added:

> "It is further declared that the surplus waters in the State are owned by the State and that the conservation and equitable distribution of such waters are subject to the control of the State."

This has been added so as to make it clear by constitutional declaration that the surplus waters of the State are owned by the State. A definition of what constitutes "surplus water" is given in another amendment which appears later

6 The period appearing at the end of line 24 is changed to a comma and the following phrase and sentence added:

> "*provided, however*, that nothing in this section contained shall be deemed to vest in any person, firm or corporation any additional right to water or to the use of water, and surplus waters shall be used only in such manner and to such extent as may be provided by law. Surplus water of any stream or watercourse is hereby defined as all water flowing therein in excess of that flow required to supply the rights of the owners of riparian lands, as prescribed in this article, and the rights of appropriators and others acquired pursuant to law prior to the adoption of this section."

The purpose of the first phrase, "*provided, however*, that nothing in this section contained", etc., is to guard against conferring a vested right on any person, firm or corporation, other than the State, in waters which shall be saved or prevented from being wasted by reason of requiring that users of water shall put the same to the highest beneficial use and without waste, as provided in section 3 of the proposed amendment

The sentence defining surplus water is designed to settle definitely that surplus waters are the waters that arise or that may be in the stream or watercourse after the rights of all persons to the use of water from the stream shall have been satisfied, and that such surplus waters shall be then owned by the State and their conservation and equitable distribution subject to the control of the State

7 Another section, to be known as section 4, has been added, reading as follows:

> "Riparian rights in a stream or watercourse attach to no more than so much of the flow thereof, as may be required or used consistently with section 3 of this article. The flow of a stream or watercourse is that flow which is confined within the natural banks thereof The definition of riparian rights made in this article is to be observed in the future, and is intended also as a statement of the law as the same has existed continuously since by act of the Legislature of California the common law of England was declared to be the rule of decision in all the courts of this State"

The purpose of this section is to define beyond the peradventure of a doubt the limits of a riparian right in a stream or watercourse, and, further, to put beyond the sphere of debate what it is that constitutes the flow of a stream or watercourse,

and that such water as has escaped beyond the natural banks of a stream is not a part of the flow to which riparian rights attach This section also makes it imperative that the definition of water rights and of flow of stream be made the rule of decisions in the State of California.

Your committee also is of the opinion that there should be a separate constitutional amendment providing for the creation of a tribunal which should have the power to hear and determine questions involving rights to water and to the use thereof, as well as the power to determine the just compensation which should be paid in proceedings in eminent domain taken to condemn the right to water or to the use thereof. Such a tribunal should, in the opinion of your committee, be of expert and technical character, not bound by the ordinary rules of evidence, but with the power to make investigations at first hand, so that proceedings involving rights to water or the use of water, or the condemnation thereof, might be expeditiously determined. With that in view, your committee respectfully suggests an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article XX of the constitution, to be numbered 22 and to read as hereinafter set forth in Exhibit "B."

The vast importance to the people of the State of California of having the matter of water rights definitely settled in the State so that agricultural and industrial projects may go forward in security is so great that, in the event you and the Legislature see fit to take action along the lines suggested in this letter, your committee ventures to suggest and urge the advisability of calling a special election at an early date to ratify the amendments here suggested.

The constitutional amendment dealing with the conservation of water, as revised, is attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

The constitutional amendment dealing with the creation of a tribunal to handle cases involving water rights or the condemnation thereof is set forth as Exhibit "B," attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted.

FRED G. ATHEARN.
W. M. FINCH.
MAX C. SLOSS.
W. D. TILLOTSON.
U. S. WEBB.

We concur in the foregoing report, except the last sentence of section 4 of the proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution We express no opinion as to whether the proposed amendment would be violative of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States

W. M. FINCH.
W. D. TILLOTSON.

EXHIBIT "A."

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article XIV thereof two new sections, to be numbered 3 and 4, declaring the interest of said State in the water resources thereof, and defining the right to the use and flow of water in any natural stream or watercourse in said State by appropriators, riparian owners or others.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XIV thereof two new sections, to be numbered 3 and 4, reading as follows:

SEC. 3. It is hereby declared that because of the conditions prevailing in this State the general welfare requires that the water resources of the State be put to beneficial use to the fullest extent of which they are capable and that the waste or wasteful use of water be prevented. It is further declared that the surplus waters in the State are owned by the State and that the conservation and equitable distribution of such waters are subject to the control of the State. The right to water or to the use or flow of water in or from any natural stream or watercourse in this State, whether by virtue of appropriation, riparian ownership or otherwise, is and shall be limited to such water as, when used economically and by economical methods of use, including methods of diversion, transportation, and application, shall at the time of use be reasonably required for the beneficial use to be served, and such right does not and shall not extend to the waste or wasteful use or wasteful method of use of water or to the maintenance of the natural level of a stream so as to effect a diversion of a part thereof, or for depositing silt therefrom; *provided, however,* that nothing in this section contained shall be deemed to vest in any person, firm or corporation any additional right to water or to the use of water, and surplus waters shall be used only in such manner and to such extent as may be provided by law. Surplus water of any stream or watercourse is hereby defined as all water flowing therein in excess of that flow required to supply the rights of the owners of riparian lands, as prescribed in this article, and the rights of

appropriators and others acquired pursuant to law prior to the adoption of this section This section shall be self-executing, but on the power of the Legislature to enact laws in furtherance of the policy in this section declared.

SEC. 4. Riparian rights in a stream or watercourse attach to no more than so much of the flow thereof as may be required or used consistently with section 3 of this article. The flow of a stream or watercourse is that flow which is confined within the natural banks thereof. The definition of riparian rights made in this article is to be observed in the future, and is intended also as a statement of the law as the same has existed continuously since by act of the Legislature of California the common law of England was declared to be the rule of decisions in all the courts of this State.

EXHIBIT "B."

The Legislature is hereby expressly vested with plenary power to create a State Water Commission, consisting of such number of members as the Legislature may determine, to be appointed by the Governor; to prescribe the duties and powers of said commission; and to fix the terms and tenure of office, qualifications and the salaries of the members thereof The Legislature may, in its discretion, unlimited by any provision of this constitution, other than the provisions of this section, vest said commission with jurisdiction and judicial power to investigate, hear and determine claims of right to the use of water, to hear and determine proceedings in eminent domain for the taking of water or the right to the use thereof for public use, and, in any such proceeding, to fix the just compensation to be paid for the taking of water or the right to the use thereof for public use; and may provide that, in fixing the amount of such compensation, the said commission shall take into consideration any benefits from the installation or operation of the proposed public use which are reasonably certain to accrue to lands of the owner whose right to the use of water thereon is so taken; and may further provide the method and manner of all proceedings before said commission and the rules of evidence applicable thereto, and may authorize said commission to make independent investigations of its own and to take into consideration any data and information, acquired by means of such investigations, in determining any issues in any proceeding by or before it. All decisions of said commission shall be subject to review by the appellate courts of this state in such manner and to such extent as the Legislature may provide.

EXHIBIT NUMBER TWO

Add to article XIV a new section to be numbered 3, to read as follows

The ownership and beneficial use of all waters in this state being in the natural lakes, ponds or other static repositories thereof, or flowing in any natural stream or watercourse, whether surface or subterranean, are hereby declared to be a public use and such waters a public utility, and as such subject to the police powers of the state to be exercised in the equitable control, regulation, conservation and distribution thereof, with a view to the reasonable and beneficial use thereof and of the whole thereof in the interest of the people and for the public welfare

I believe the following sentence should be added to Exhibit "B"

"*Provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as depriving any riparian owner of the reasonable use of water riparian to his land under modern methods of diversion, transportation and application."

While I agree that little, if any, strength would be given the language and intent of the proposed amendment, I think it might well be included in order to remove all possible doubt in the minds of riparian owners.

J. M. INMAN.

EXHIBIT NUMBER THREE

Add to article XX a new section to be numbered 22, to read as follows

The Legislature is hereby expressly vested with plenary power to create a state water commission, consisting of such number of members as the Legislature may determine, to be appointed by the governor; to prescribe the duties and powers of said commission, and to fix the terms of office and the salaries of the members thereof. The Legislature may, in its discretion, unlimited by any provision of this constitution other than the provisions of this section, vest said commission with jurisdiction and judicial power to investigate, hear and determine claims of right to the use of water, to hear and determine proceedings in eminent domain for the taking of water for public use, and, in any such proceeding, to fix the just compensation to be paid for the taking of water for public use and may provide that, in fixing the amount of such compensation, the said commission shall take into consideration any benefits from the installation and operation of the proposed public use which are reasonably certain to accrue to the lands of the owner whose right to the use of water thereon is so taken; and may further provide the method and manner of all proceedings before said commission and the rules of evidence applicable thereto, and may authorize said commission to make independent investigations of its own and to take into consideration any data and information, acquired by means of such investigations, in determining any issues in any proceeding by or before it All decisions of said commission shall be subject to review by the appellate courts of this state in such manner and to such extent as the Legislature may provide.

EXHIBIT "C."

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO ___.

WHEREAS, It is vital to the interests of the State that the Legislature of the State of California at the forty-eighth session thereof have available for the consideration of its members sufficient and adequate information to enable them to consider and to further the adoption and enactment of legislation needed to effect a solution of the water problems of the State, now, therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly concurring, that a committee of eight members, consisting of four members of the Senate and four members of the Assembly, be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, respectively, to conduct a thorough investigation of the water problems of the State and to recommend to the Legislature of the State of California at the forty-eighth session thereof a unified State policy with reference to irrigation, reclamation, water storage, flood control and drainage with due regard to the needs of water for domestic use, irrigation, power, mining, salt water control and navigation; and, be it further

Resolved, That said committee shall proceed at once to organize by the election of one of its members as chairman and by the selection of a secretary and to proceed forthwith with said investigation in the manner to be determined by said committee; and, be it further

Resolved, That the committee be and the same is hereby authorized and directed to confer and cooperate with the appropriate authorities of the United States and of this State in conducting said investigation to the end that a unified plan for the complete development of the water resources of the State may be presented to the Legislature at the next session thereof; and, be it further

Resolved, That each department, board, commission and officer of the executive or administrative branch of the government of the State of California, whenever directed or requested by said committee, shall furnish to said committee such assistance as it may require; and be it further

Resolved, That said committee is authorized to hold or conduct public hearings at any place in the State of California to the end that the people of the State may have full opportunity to present their views to the committee upon the subjects under investigation, and, be it further

Resolved, That said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all things necessary to make a full and complete investigation of the matters and objects hereinbefore referred to, and is hereby authorized and empowered to require the production of persons, books, agreements, documents, recommendations and papers of every kind; to issue subpenas and to take all necessary means to compel the attendance of witnesses, and to procure testimony, and the members of said committee are and each of them is hereby authorized to administer oaths; and all the provisions of article VIII of chapter II, title I, part III of the Political Code of the State relative to the attendance and assemblage of witnesses before the Legislature and committees thereof, shall apply to the committee appointed under this resolution. Also, said committee is hereby given leave to sit during the Legislature and during the recess, either at the Capitol, or at such other place, or places, as said committee shall from time to time designate

EXHIBIT "D."

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO._____.

Relating to securing the aid of the United States Government in establishing a basis for execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California.

WHEREAS, The Joint Legislative Committee of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature under Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, has submitted its report, and,

WHEREAS, During its deliberation said committee fully realized that certain features of the coordinated plan for the development of the water resources of California, as outlined in Bulletin No 12 of the State Engineer, involved matters coming within the jurisdiction and concern of the federal government, and,

WHEREAS, Governor Young, in his inaugural address, recognized the paramount importance of some comprehensive plan for the conservation and development of the water resources of California in the following words:

> "The solution of this problem can no longer be left to haphazard and unrelated development. There is no doubt that it is high time to seek some comprehensive plan which will meet the needs of both our great central valleys. The water which falls so bountifully during our winters, and which now wastes itself in bay and ocean, if properly stored and controlled and placed upon the land, would be sufficient to water every irrigable foot of this vast area, beside practically eliminating all future danger from winter floods.
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> This enterprise, however, is so vast that it can be financed by no one agency alone. The farmer whose lands are benefited can not meet the expense, as he

largely does in the case of minor irrigation projects The county whose cities are dependent upon local agricultural prosperity must also do its share. The State must take the leadership in coordinating and planning the whole The federal government possible must be asked to advance the money for the initial construction, just as is proposed in the Boulder Canyon project."

Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that this Legislature commend to the Governor that he communicate with the President of the United States and invoke the cooperation and aid of the federal government in establishing a basis for the execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California.

EXHIBIT "E."

The Legislature is hereby expressly vested with plenary power to create a State Water Commission, consisting of such number of members as the Legislature may determine, to be appointed by the Governor; to prescribe the duties and powers of said commission; and to fix the terms and tenure of office, qualifications and the salaries of the members thereof. The Legislature may, in its discretion, unlimited by any provision of this constitution, other than the provisions of this section, vest said commission with jurisdiction and judicial power to investigate, hear and determine claims of right to the use of water, to hear and determine proceedings in eminent domain for the taking of water or the right to the use thereof for public use, and, in any such proceeding, to fix the just compensation to be paid for the taking of water or the right to the use thereof for public use; and may provide that, in fixing the amount of such compensation, the said commission shall take into consideration any benefits from the installation or operation of the proposed public use which are reasonably certain to accrue to lands of the owner whose right to the use of water thereon is so taken, and may further provide the method and manner of all proceedings before said commission and the rules of evidence applicable thereto, and may authorize said commission to make independent investigations of its own and to take into consideration any data and information, acquired by means of such investigations, in determining any issues in any proceeding by or before it. All decisions of said commission shall be subject to review by the appellate courts of this State in such manner and to such extent as the Legislature may provide.

EXHIBIT "F."

AN ACT RESERVING CERTAIN UNAPPROPRIATED WATERS FOR APPROPRIATION OR DISPOSITION BY THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND PROVIDING FOR THE APPROPRIATION THEREOF TEMPORARILY BY OTHERS

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby reserved for appropriation except as herein provided, all unappropriated waters and all waters hereafter becoming unappropriated which are tributary to certain proposed reservoirs and reservoir sites named in the "Summary Report of the Water Resources of California and a Coordinated Plan for their Development," submitted by Paul Bailey, State Engineer, as a report to the Legislature of 1927, which report bears the date of January 1, 1927, and has been printed as Bulletin No. 12 of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works of the State of California, and which proposed reservoirs and reservoir sites are more definitely described in the appendices to said report and are designated in said report by name as Kennett Reservoir, Oroville Reservoir, Narrows Reservoir, Parker Reservoir, Folsom Reservoir, Fairview Reservoir, Temperance Flat Reservoir, Pine Flat Reservoir, Isabella Reservoir, and Bakersfield Reservoir.

SEC. 2. The waters hereby reserved from appropriation shall be subject to appropriation for beneficial use by the State of California through its duly authorized representatives as may be hereafter provided by act of the Legislature of the State of California.

SEC. 3. The waters hereby reserved from appropriation shall be subject to appropriation as provided in the Water Commission Act of the State of California; *provided, however*, that appropriations made under the Water Commission Act for said reserved waters shall be temporary and that no rights shall inure to or vest in favor of such temporary appropriators as against the State or such ultimate disposition of said reserved waters as may be hereafter made by act of the Legislature.

SEC. 4 All permits and licenses for the appropriation of water hereafter issued under the Water Commission Act shall include the enumeration of conditions therein which in substance shall include all the provisions of this section, and likewise the statement that any appropriator of water, to whom said permit or license may be issued, shall take the same subject to such conditions as herein expressed.

EXHIBIT "G."

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. ____

Relating to investigation by the Attorney General into the legality of Assembly Bill No 1206, chapter LXV, of the 1925 session of the Legislature, and the contract entered into pursuant to said bill for the sale of the Folsom Reservoir site.

WHEREAS, The Joint Legislative Committee, under Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 16, has submitted its report to this Legislature, and

WHEREAS, During the deliberations of this committee the question of the validity of Assembly Bill No. 1206, chapter LXV, of the 1925 session of the Legislature, and also the legality of the contract entered into pursuant to said bill were brought to the attention of said committee; and

WHEREAS, This committee has by resolution requested the Attorney General to submit his opinion as to the legality of said bill and said contract, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that the Governor of this State be requested to ask the Attorney General, in the event that the Attorney General deems invalid the said legislation of the 1925 session for the sale of the Folsom Reservoir site, or the contract executed pursuant to said legislation, to institute legal proceedings for the cancellation of said contract and the reacquiring by the State of the title to said property.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 665—An act to amend section 2322*a*42 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of horticultural commissioner in the counties of the forty-second class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 320—An act providing for the distribution of any money appropriated by the State of California for the encouragement of county and district fairs.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 73 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws

Senate Bill No. 665 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 320 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies by the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Flynn: Assembly Bill No 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Burns: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or

Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class, approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Wright: Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any spirituous, vinous, malt or other alcoholic liquor is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such liquors, and providing for the abatement of such nuisances, approved April 28, 1915, relating to abatement procedure.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373, to 373*j*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Brock:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto to be numbered 8¼, 8¾ and 13½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable

the Improvement Act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1927, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO,
March 2, 1927.

Members of the Legislature,
State of California,
Sacramento, California.

GENTLEMEN: Your attention is respectfully called to the following resolution unanimously adopted by the board of supervisors of the city and county of San Francisco, February 28, 1927.

WHEREAS, There are now pending before the Legislature of the State of California, Senate Bill No. 208 and Assembly Bill No. 75, the same providing for an increase in the salaries of the judges of the superior court of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda counties, and

WHEREAS, The great growth of population and industry in the State of California has resulted in a very substantial increase in the business of these courts, justifying an increase of the compensation paid to these judges, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the board of supervisors of the city and county of San Francisco does hereby endorse Senate Bill No. 208 and Assembly Bill No. 75 and urges their passage; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the members of the Senate and Assembly and to the Governor of the State of California.

Yours truly,

J. S. DUNNIGAN, *Clerk.*

By the Chief Clerk:

CITY OF ALHAMBRA.

ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA, March 1, 1927.

Clerk of Assembly for
Committee on Labor and Capital,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: I am enclosing herewith copy of Resolution No. 3072 of the Commission of the City of Alhambra.

Yours truly,

R. B. WALLACE, City Clerk.

Resolution No. 3072

WHEREAS, A so-called "Two Platoon Bill" (A. B. No. 20) was on January 11, 1927, introduced by Assemblywoman Woodbridge, of Placer County, and referred to the Committee on Labor and Capital, and

WHEREAS, A companion bill (S. B. No. 214) was on January 18, 1927, introduced by Senator Maloney, San Francisco, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, and

WHEREAS, If either of said proposed bills should be enacted into law, it would render it mandatory for all counties, city and county, cities, towns, districts, or other political subdivisions of this State either to increase the number of the present members of their paid fire departments (the cost of which would be out of all proportion to the benefits derived or added protection extended), or (if such step could not be afforded) to "split" their present fire forces into two shifts or platoons, thereby greatly impairing the departments' efficiency; and

WHEREAS, Cities and towns of the sixth class—the smallest municipalities of the State—would be the greatest sufferers if such proposed legislation were enacted, and

WHEREAS, It is the consensus of opinion that said question is one for the self-determination of the various communities that would be affected, by reason of different conditions that prevail in various parts of the State and the varying sizes of the communities, and that such a measure should not be arbitrarily imposed upon them by legislation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Commission of the City of Alhambra, that this board go on record as opposing and being unalterably opposed to said Senate Bill No. 214 and said Assembly Bill No. 20; and be it further

Resolved, That the clerk of this commission be, and he is hereby authorized and instructed forthwith to send to each of our representatives in the Legislature, the Assembly Committee on Labor and Capital, the Senate Committee on Municipal Corporation, and to His Excellency, Governor C. C. Young, a certified copy of this resolution

Signed and approved this twenty-third day of February, 1927

CHRIS CAMPBELL,
President of the Commission
By PEARL M CLAFLIN, Deputy.

Attest R. B WALLACE, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Commission of the City of Alhambra at an adjourned regular meeting held on the 23d day of February, 1927, by the following vote, to wit.

Ayes Commissioners Nuzum, Mills Archer, Carroll and Campbell

Noes: None.

Absent None

[SEAL]

R B. WALLACE City Clerk.
PEARL M. CLAFLIN, Deputy.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Carter moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 442 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Whitsell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine Wright, and Mr Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No 442 ordered placed on file.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Carter waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 22 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Adams moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 598 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" after the period and before the word "or", and add in lieu thereof "with the approval of the commissioner of corporations and attorney general first had as hereinafter provided, twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the words "organize a" add the following: "nonprofit"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the words "court of" add "authorization".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "most" add "consonant with the purpose of the donor and most".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the numeral "3." strike out the word "To" and insert in lieu thereof "Subject to the provisions of section 1313 of the Civil Code, to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the period add "Such corporation shall not have the power to take or hold property or funds for any purpose other than a charitable or eleemosynary one."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, lines 44 and 45, of the printed bill, strike out the words "portion of the board" and insert in lieu thereof the words "*finance committee*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "members" and before the comma insert the words "of the board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "same" insert the following: "Except as specially approved by the attorney general there shall be no accumulation of income by such corporation for a period longer than five years."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "is", and before the word "organized", insert "a nonprofit corporation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "organized", and before the word "for", insert the word "solely".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 3 of the printed bill, after line 39 thereof, insert a new paragraph as follows:

The articles of incorporation shall not be accepted for filing by the secretary of state without the endorsement upon them of the approval of the commissioner of corporations and the attorney general. Such approval shall be given where it appears to the commissioner of corporations and the attorney general that it is sought to organize the proposed corporation in good faith and strictly for charitable or eleemosynary purposes and shall be refused where such does not appear.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2985, relating to the care and treatment of

tubercular persons in private sanitariums and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts, and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to amend section 65 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to use of rooms in buildings subject to the provisions of the act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "plate", add the following: "having not more than two burners properly vented and hooded to the outer air".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1" strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Any incorporated city, town, county, city and county or chartered city may, for the purpose of protecting the community against infectious disease, establish a bacteriological and chemical laboratory for the examination of specimens from suspected cases of disease and for the examination of milk, waters and food products.

Sec. 2. The cost of establishment and maintenance of such laboratories shall be a legal expenditure from any incorporated city, town, county, city and county or chartered city funds that may be provided for disbursement under the direction of the health officer for the protection of public health.

Sec. 3. All municipal and county laboratories established for the purposes herein set forth shall be subject to the approval of the state board of health.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections one thousand six hundred thirty-one and one thousand six hundred thirty-three of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 1 and 2 of page 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SECTION 1. Section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

1631. In rendering his account, the executor or administrator must produce and file vouchers for all charges, debts, claims, and expenses which he has paid, which vouchers must remain on file for a period of not less than five years after the entry of the decree of final distribution The executor or administrator may be examined on oath touching such payments, and also touching any property and effects of the decedent, and the disposition thereof.

At any time subsequent to five years from the date of entry of the decree of final distribution the clerk of the court may destroy said vouchers or deliver them to the executor or administrator or to his attorney. Prior to the date when the clerk of the court may destroy or deliver said vouchers, any voucher may be withdrawn on leaving a certified copy on file; and if a voucher be lost, or for any other good reason can not be produced on the settlement, the payment may be proved by the oath of any competent witness.

SEC. 2. Section 1633 of said code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager

plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

That the title of said printed bill be amended by inserting in line 1 of said title after the words "act to", the following, "amend sections 4, 6 and 13 and to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

That there be inserted on page 1 of said printed bill, after the enacting clause, the following,

SECTION 1. That section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds, approved April 21, 1911, as amended", be amended to read as follows. Section 4 Before ordering any work done or improvement made which is authorized by this act, the city council or board of supervisors shall pass a resolution of intention to do so, referring to the street by its lawful or official name, or the name by which it is commonly known; when the work is not upon a public street or public way, then by briefly describing the property or right of way on which same is to be constructed, and briefly describing the work The said resolution of intention shall be sufficient if it states in general terms the class or kinds of work contemplated such as grading, paving, sewering or other work or improvements, and gives in general the location of the proposed improvement and refers to plans, profiles, detailed drawings and specifications or such of them as may be suitable or proper for the full and detailed description of the said proposed work or improvement. Said resolution shall contain also a notice of the day, hour and place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed work or improvement may appear before the legislative body and show cause why said proposed

improvement should not be carried out in accordance with said resolution; said time shall not be less than fifteen nor more than forty days from the date of the passage of said resolution. The city clerk or clerk of the board of supervisors shall cause said resolution of intention to be published twice in one or more daily newspapers published and circulated in said city or in said county, *provided*, if there be no daily newspaper, then the publication shall be made in one or more newspapers published and circulated therein less than six days a week, and said publication shall be had twice therein. The city council or board may include in one proceeding, under one resolution of intention and in one contract, any of the different kinds of work mentioned in this act on any number of streets, properties and rights of way or portions thereof, contiguous or otherwise, and it may except therefrom any of said work already done. The lots and portions of lots fronting upon said excepted work already done shall not be included in the assessment for the class of work from which the exception is made.

The grade to which any work shall be done or improvement made shall be such as may be shown on the plans or profiles therefor or it may be done on such a grade as may have been formally established by the city council or board. If any official grade has already been adopted or established for any of the streets, avenues, or other places or property, proposed to be improved, it shall be lawful for the resolution of intention to provide that said work shall be done to new grades or grades different from those so established or adopted, and shall refer to plans, profiles or specifications for the description of the grade at which the work is to be done. Any property owner whose property is to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses of the proposed improvement may at the time fixed in the resolution of intention for hearing of objections to the proposed work and improvement, appear before the city council or board and make objection to the proposed grade or proposed modification of grade. A failure to make objection at such time shall be deemed to be a waiver of all objections to the proposed grade or proposed change or modification of grade and shall operate as a bar to any claim for damages or any subsequent action looking to the prevention of the work or the recovery of damages on account of the performance of the work to such grade or changed grade. The provisions of this section relative to grades are alternative and shall not repeal other provisions of this act, or other statutes relative to change of grade.

Whenever the contemplated work or improvement, in the opinion of the city council or board, is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, or whenever, according to estimate to be furnished by the city engineer, or county surveyor, the total estimated costs and expenses thereof would exceed one-half the total assessed value of the lots and lands assessed, if assessed upon the lots or land fronting upon said proposed work or improvement, according to the valuation fixed by the last assessment roll whereon it was assessed for taxes for municipal or county purposes, and allowing a reasonable depth from such frontage for lots or lands assessed in bulk, the city council or board may make the expense of such work or improvement chargeable upon a district, which the said city council or board, shall, in its resolution of intention, declare to be the district benefited by said work or improvement, and to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof. Such district may be described by stating the exterior boundaries thereof, or by giving a description thereof according to any official or recorded map or maps or by referring to a plat or map which shall be on file in the office of the city clerk, or clerk of the board or city engineer at the time of passing the resolution of intention, which shall indicate by a boundary line the extent of the territory included in the proposed district, which said plat or map shall govern for all details as to the extent of the said assessment district. The said district need not be described in any of the notices or resolutions provided for herein, other than the resolution of intention.

After the adoption of the resolution of intention, the street superintendent or county surveyor shall cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of said contemplated work or improvement, at not more than three hundred feet in distance apart, but not less than three in all, or when the work to be done is only upon an entire crossing or intersection or any part thereof, in front of each quarter block or irregular block liable to be assessed, notices of the passage of said resolution. In case the work is chargeable upon a district as herein provided, copies of said notice shall also be posted along all the open streets within such district at not more than three hundred feet in distance apart on each street so posted, but no proceeding shall ever be held invalid for failure to post any street or streets therein if this provision has been substantially complied with. In every case all posting must be fully completed at least ten days before the day set for hearing protests or objections as provided hereinabove. Said notices shall be headed "Notice of Street Work" in letters of not less than one inch in length; and shall, in legible characters, state the fact of the passage of the resolution of intention, its date, and briefly, the work or improvement proposed, and refer to the resolution of intention for further particulars. Said notices shall contain also a statement of the day, hour and place, when and where any and all persons having any objection to the proposed work or improvement may appear before the legislative body and show cause why said proposed improvement should not be carried out in accordance with said resolution of intention. The council may, if they deem it advisable, direct the

clerk to mail copies of said notices to the owners or reputed owners whose names and addresses are known to him, but the mailing of such notices shall not be essential to obtaining jurisdiction by the council, and the failure so to do shall not affect in any manner the validity of any proceedings taken hereunder.

At any time not later than the hour set for hearing objections to the proposed work as provided hereinabove, any owner of property liable to be assessed for said work may make written protest against the proposed work or against the extent of the district to be assessed or both. Such protest must be in writing and be delivered to the said clerk of the city council or board and no other protests or objections shall be considered. At the time set for hearing protests the city council or board shall proceed to hear and pass upon all protests so made and its decision shall be final and conclusive, *provided, however*, that when the protest is against the proposed work, and the cost thereof is to be assessed upon the property fronting thereon, and the city council or board finds that such protest is made by the owners of a majority of the property fronting on the proposed work, or when the protest is against the proposed work and the cost thereof is to be assessed upon the property within a district, and the city council finds that such protest is made by the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property to be assessed for said improvement, no further proceedings shall be taken for a period of six months from the date of the decision of the city council, or board, on said hearing, unless the said protests be overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of the city council, or board The words "proposed work" as used herein, shall mean and include all the work described in the resolution of intention The city council or board may adjourn said hearings from time to time.

If no protests or objections in writing have been delivered to the clerk up to the hour set for hearing as hereinbefore provided, or when a protest shall have been found by said city council, or board to be insufficient, or shall have been overruled, or, when a protest against the extent of the proposed district shall have been heard and denied, immediately thereupon the city council, or board shall be deemed to have acquired jurisdiction to order the proposed improvements which order may be made by resolution.

Before passing any resolution for the construction of improvements, plans and specifications and careful estimates of the costs and expenses thereof shall be furnished to said city council, or board, if required by it, by the city engineer of said city, or county surveyor; and for the work of constructing sewers, specifications shall always be furnished by him.

In all resolutions, notices, orders and determinations, subsequent to the resolution of intention it shall not be necessary to describe the assessment district, and in all of the same, subsequent to the resolution of intention and the notice of improvement, it shall be sufficient to refer to the resolution of intention for a description of the work or improvement and the assessment district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

That there be inserted next thereafter, the following: "Section 2. That section 6 of said hereinbefore mentioned act be amended to read as follows: "Before the awarding of any contract by the council, or board, for doing any work authorized by this act, the council, or board, shall cause notice, with specifications, to be posted conspicuously for five days on or near the council, or board, chamber door, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work ordered, and shall also cause notice of said work, inviting said proposals, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, to be published for two days in a daily, semiweekly, or weekly newspaper published and circulated in said municipality, or county, designated by the council, or board, for that purpose, and in case there is no newspaper published in said municipality, or county then it shall only be posted as hereinbefore provided

All proposals or bids offered shall be accompanied by a check payable to the order of the mayor of the municipality, or president of the board of supervisors, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or by a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount over and above all statutory exemptions. Said proposals or bids shall be delivered to the clerk of said council, or board, and said council, or board, shall, in open session, examine and publicly declare the same *provided, however*, that no proposal or bid shall be considered unless accompanied by said check or bond satisfactory to the council, or board

The council, or board, may reject any and all proposals or bids should it deem this for the public good, and also the bid of any party who has been delinquent or unfaithful in any former contract with the municipality or county, and shall reject all proposals or bids other than the lowest regular proposal or bid of any responsible bidder, and may award the contract for said work or improvement to the lowest responsible bidder at the prices named in his bid. If not approved by the council, or board, without further proceedings, the council, or board, may readvertise for

proposals or bids for the performance of the work as in the first instance, and thereafter proceed in the manner in this section provided, and shall thereupon return to the proper parties the respective checks and bonds corresponding to the bid so rejected. But the checks accompanying such accepted proposals or bids shall be held by the clerk of said council, or board, until the contract for doing said work, as hereinafter provided, has been entered into, either by said lowest bidder or by the owners of three-fourths part of the frontage, whereupon said certified check shall be returned to said bidder.

But if said bidder fails, neglects or refuses to enter into the contract to perform said work or improvement, as hereinafter provided, then the certified check accompanying his bid and the amount therein mentioned, shall be declared to be forfeited to said municipality, or county, and shall be collected by it and paid into its fund for repairs of streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts and places herein mentioned, and any bond forfeited may be prosecuted, and the amount due thereon collected and paid into said fund.

Notice of such award of contract shall be published for two days in a daily newspaper published and circulated in said municipality or county and designated by said council, or board, or in municipalities or counties where there is no daily newspaper, by one insertion in a semiweekly or weekly newspaper so published, circulated and designated, *provided, however*, that in case there is no newspaper printed or published in any such municipality or county then such notice of award shall be posted for five days on or near the council chamber door.

The owners of three-fourths of the frontage of lots and lands, upon the street whereon said work is to be done, or their agents, and who shall make oath that they are such owners or agents, shall not be required to present sealed proposals or bids, but may, within ten days after the first publication or posting of said notice of said award, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do the whole work at the price at which the same has been awarded. Should the said owners fail to elect to take said work, and to enter into a written contract therefor within ten days or to commence the work within fifteen days after the date of such written contract, and to prosecute the same with diligence to completion, it shall be the duty of the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, to enter into a contract with the original bidder to whom the contract was awarded, and at the prices specified in his bid. But if such original bidder neglects, fails or refuses; for twenty-five days after the first publication of the notice of award, to enter into the contract, then the council, or board, without further proceedings, shall again advertise for proposals or bids, as in the first instance, and award the contract for said work to the lowest regular bidder

The bids of all persons and the election of all owners, as aforesaid, who have failed to enter into the contract as herein provided, shall be rejected in any bidding or election subsequent to the first for the same work. If the owner, or contractor, who may have taken any contract, does not complete the same within the time limited in the contract, or within such further time as the council, or board, may give them, the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, shall report such delinquency to the council, or board, which may relet the unfinished portion of said work, after pursuing the formalities prescribed hereinbefore for the letting of the whole in the first instance.

All contractors, contracting owners included, shall, at the time of executing any contract for street work, execute a bond to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, with two or more sureties and payable to such municipality, or county, in such sums as the council, or board, shall deem adequate, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and the sureties shall justify before any person competent to administer an oath, in double the amount mentioned in said bond, over and above all statutory exemptions

Before being entitled to a contract, the bidder to whom the award was made, or the owners who have elected to take the contract, must advance to the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, for payment by him, the cost of publication of the notices, resolutions, orders, or other incidental expenses and matters required under the proceedings described in this act, and such other notices as may be deemed requisite by the council, or board And in case the work is abandoned by the council, or board, before the letting of the contract the incidental expenses incurred previous to such abandonment shall be paid out of the treasury of the municipality, or county

At any time within ten days from the date of the first publication of the notice of award of contract, any person having any interest in any lot or land liable to assessment, who claims that any of the acts or proceedings relating to said improvement are irregular, defective, illegal erroneous or faulty, may file with the clerk of the city council, or the clerk of the board of supervisors, written notice specifying in what respect said acts or proceedings are irregular, defective, illegal, erroneous or faulty. Said notice shall state that it is made in pursuance with this section. All objections to any act or proceeding not made in writing and in the manner and at the time aforesaid shall be waived, providing the resolution of intention to do the work has been actually published as provided in this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

That there be inserted next thereafter, the following: "Sec. 3. That Section 13 of said hereinbefore mentioned act be amended to read as follows: Sec. 13. The owners, whether named in the assessment or not, the contractor, or his assigns, and all other persons directly interested in any work provided for in this act, or in the assessment, feeling aggrieved by any act or determination of the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, in relation thereto, or who claim that the work has not been performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, or having or making any objection to the correctness or legality of the assessment or other act, determination, or proceedings of the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, shall, within thirty days after the date of the warrant, appeal to the council, or board, by briefly stating their objections in writing, and filing the same with the clerk of said council or board. Notice of the time and place of the hearing, briefly referring to the work contracted to be done, or other subject of appeal, and to the acts, determinations or proceedings objected to or complained of, shall be published for five days. Upon such appeal, the said council, or board, may remedy and correct any error or informality in the proceedings and revise and correct any of the acts or determinations of the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, relative to said work, may confirm, amend, set aside, alter, modify or correct the assessment in such manner as to them shall seem just, and require the work to be completed according to the directions of the council, or board, and may instruct and direct the superintendent of streets, or county surveyor, to correct the warrant, assessment, or diagram in any particular, or to make and issue a new warrant, assessment and diagram, to conform to the decisions of said council, or board, in relation thereto, at their option. All the decisions and determinations of said council, or board upon notice and hearing as aforesaid, shall be final and conclusive upon any and all persons entitled to appeal under the provisions of this section, as to all errors, informalities, and irregularities which said council, or board, might have remedied and avoided, and no assessment shall be held invalid, except upon appeal to said council or board, as provided in this section for any error, informality, or other defect in any of the proceedings prior to the assessment, or in the assessment itself, where notice of the intention of the council, or board to order the work to be done, for which the assessment is made, has been actually published in any designated newspaper of said city or county for the length of time prescribed by law. No action, suit or proceeding to set aside, cancel, avoid, annul, or correct any assessment or reassessment, or to review any of the proceedings, acts, or determinations therein, or to question the validity of, or to enjoin the collection of the assessment or reassessment, or to enjoin the issuance of bonds to represent the same, shall be maintained by any person unless such action or actions shall have been commenced within thirty days after the recording of the warrant, assessment and diagram or reassessment, and thereafter all persons shall be barred from any such action or any defense of invalidity of the assessment or of bonds issued thereon or of the reassessment if such be made and of bonds issued thereon."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

That page 1 of said bill be amended by striking from line 1 thereof, the words "Section 1" and substituting in lieu thereof, the words "Section 4"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to city officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 25, line 19, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "structures" add the following: "to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruc-

tion, conversion, repair or alteration of any buildings, as provided in section eighty-four of the state housing act;".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "apply", strike out the colon ( ) and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In cities of the fifth and sixth class and in the following instances".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers, growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes, and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county board of forestry.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 32 of the printed bill, strike out the following: "such additional assistance as they deem necessary" and insert in lieu thereof "a deputy county forester at the sum not to exceed two hundred dollars per month".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming and change of names of public highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 20, following the word "name" on line 15 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, however*, that all roads, highways, avenues or public ways that have not been officially named or designated as herein provided and which shall remain so unnamed and undesignated for a period of ninety days from and after the time that this act goes into effect may be officially named by the board of supervisors of the county in which said road, avenue, highway or public way is situated, upon their own motion, without the presentation of any petition, by an order duly made and entered in the minutes of such board fixing the name of such road, highway, avenue or public way, and thereafter the said road, highway, avenue or other public way shall be known by said name so fixed and designated by said board of supervisors. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any state highway or any road, avenue or way under the control or supervision of the state highway commission of the State of California."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto, to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe keeping thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the last three words in line 24, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2 and all of line 3 to and including the word "and". Also begin the word "the" in front of the word "cost" in line 3, on page 2, of the printed bill, with a capital letter "T".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "The directors and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, begin the word "such" with a capital "S".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87 and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 20 after the period after the figures 86, and strike out the word "fee' in line 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The holder or holders of title, or evidence of title, or a majority of the holders of title, or evidence of title."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out in line 24 the words "owner in fee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "holder of title or evidence of title"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out in line 1 the words "owners in fee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "holders of title or evidence of title".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out in line 3 the words "owners in fee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "holders of title or evidence of title".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out in line 9 the words "owners in fee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "holders of title or evidence of title".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out in line 36 the words "in fee".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "trustees" and insert in lieu thereof the word "directors".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter CCLXXXVII of the statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3495, providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3496, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill to read as follows:

An act to amend sections 3457, 3465 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of

California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 11, line 23, of the printed bill, change "3480½" to read "3480*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 12, line 7, of the printed bill, change "3480½" to read "3480*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 15, line 25, of the printed bill, change "3480½" to read "3480*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 18, line 50, of the printed bill, change "3494" to read "3493*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 18, line 51, of the printed bill, change "3494" to read "3493*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 19, line 2, of the printed bill, change "3480½" to read "3480*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 19, line 46, of the printed bill, change "3496" to read "3493*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 19, line 47, of the printed bill, change "3496" to read "3493*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN

On page 19, lines 13 to 44, of the printed bill, substitute the following:

Sec. 6. Section 3457 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3457. Form of reclamation district warrants. Except as herein otherwise provided, all warrants drawn by the trustees must be in substantially the following form:

FACE.

No._____ $_____

Office of the Board of Trustees of Reclamation District No._____.

The treasurer of_____county will pay to the order of_____out of Reclamation District No._____ fund the sum of_____dollars for_____ allowed by the board of trustees of said Reclamation District No _____.

Dated_____, 192_____.

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Trustees.

Attest:

_____

Secretary.

REVERSE.

Pay to_____or order

Presented for payment but not paid for want of funds, this_____day of_____, 192____

Treasurer of_____county.

Approved by the board of supervisors of_____ county this_____day of_____, 192_____.

_____

Chairman of Board of Supervisors.

Attest:

_____

Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

When registered this warrant bears interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum, computed from the date thereof.

This warrant will outlaw and can not legally be paid four years after date, unless it is payable by its terms at a future date, in which event it will outlaw and can not be legally paid four years after maturity, or unless extended one or more times.

Interest on warrants. The warrants drawn by the trustees must be presented to the treasurer of the county, and if they are not paid on presentation, such indorsement must be made thereon, and they must be registered and bear interest from their date at the rate of seven per cent per annum, and such warrants are and shall be considered as contracts in writing for the payment of money, and the period prescribed for the commencement of an action based upon said warrants, or connected therewith, is and shall be the term of four years from the date of said warrants, unless said warrants are payable by their terms at a future date, in which event the said term of four years shall not commence until the maturity of said warrants; *provided, however*, that all warrants shall be approved by the board of supervisors before the same shall be paid or registered by the county treasurer.

All warrants shall be paid by the county treasurer strictly in the order in which they have been registered except warrants which are by their terms payable at a future date and such warrants shall be considered as being registered as of the date of their maturity, if actually registered at or prior to maturity, otherwise as of the date of actual registration

Warrant outstanding one year or more. Whenever a warrant shall have been outstanding one year or more, or where a warrant is by its terms not payable upon demand but is payable at a future date and payment thereof is overdue one year or more, the board of trustees shall on demand of the holder of said warrant cancel the same and issue a new warrant for the face value of the old warrant and a separate warrant for the amount of interest then due thereon in the event of any interest being due and unpaid, or, the board of trustees may allow a claim for the amount of any interest due and unpaid on any warrant so outstanding one year or more and may draw a warrant therefor, upon drawing this warrant they shall indorse on the reverse of the old warrant the fact that interest has been paid to the date of drawing the warrant for interest and the warrant drawn for the interest must state that it is for interest on warrant No. ____ to _____ (date); the board of trustees shall notify the county treasurer upon drawing those warrants for interest and he shall note on his register of warrants the fact that interest has been paid on such warrants, *provided*, that any warrant not paid or presented for reissuance may within four years after its date or within four years after its maturity if payable by its terms at a future date upon the demand of the holder, be extended one or more times until repayment or reissuance, for a like period of four years from the date of each extension, upon presentation to the board of trustees of the district, such extension being indorsed thereon by said board. The board of trustees and the county treasurer may cancel all warrants which have not been paid or reissued or which have not been extended one or more times, within four years after their date, or within four years after their date of maturity, if payable by their terms at a future date. Warrants issued for interest shall not bear interest All warrants which have been issued since January 1, 1915, by any reclamation district, and which have been extended one or more times, and which have not, before the passage of this act, been paid reissued or cancelled are declared to be as valid and binding against said district as when originally issued

In case an action or proceeding based upon any warrant or connected therewith, be commenced within four years after the date of such warrant, or within four years after the maturity thereof, if payable by its terms at a future date, and final judgment be obtained in favor of the holder or owner thereof, such warrant shall be paid the same as if it has been paid before the expiration of said four years from the date of said warrant.

Determination of amount due. In any proceeding for a writ of mandate to compel the trustees to issue a warrant, if a controversy arises as to the amount that may be due to the plaintiff, the court must determine the same in the manner provided for determining controversies in other civil actions, and shall cause a writ to issue for such sums as may be found to be due. The date of a warrant shall be the day on which the same is signed by the board of trustees.

The trustees may issue warrants payable at a future date, and more than three years from the date thereof, and for this purpose may use the form of warrant herein provided for, adding thereto upon the face thereof that it is not due or payable until a certain date, which shall be specified.

Warrants when assessment is unpaid. Where there is an existing assessment on the lands in any district which is wholly or in part unpaid the trustees may issue warrants, including warrants payable at a future date, on which the interest shall be paid semiannually on January first and July first of each year, until such warrant is paid, and for this purpose may use the form of warrant herein provided for, adding thereto upon the face thereof that interest thereon is payable semiannually on January first and July first of each year upon presentation of the warrant to the county treasurer. Said interest shall be paid upon presentation to the county treasurer who shall indorse upon the reverse side of such warrant the fact of such interest payment, specifying the amount thereof and date of payment.

The interest due at any time on any unpaid assessment, or any part or installment thereof, may be called at any time by the trustees of the district without calling any installment of the said assessment. All interest hereafter paid on any assessment or any part or installment thereof shall be deposited with the county treasurer in a fund to be known as the "warrant interest fund" and shall not be used for any

purpose except the payment of interest on warrants unless the trustees of the district request the county treasurer to transfer the same, or a part thereof, to the general fund of the district.

At least ninety days before any installment of interest is due on any warrants interest on which is payable semiannually the trustees of the district shall estimate the amount of money necessary to pay such interest after crediting thereon the funds in the "warrant interest fund" applicable to the payment thereof and shall add thereto fifteen per cent of such aggregate sum to cover possible delinquencies and make a call on interest due on any unpaid assessment equivalent to said amount. All laws relative to the making of calls on any assessment, or installment thereof, and the sale of property for nonpayment thereof, and redemption thereof, shall be applicable to the making of calls for interest only as herein provided and for the sale of property for nonpayment thereof, and redemption thereof.

Payment before maturity. Notwithstanding anything herein contained to the contrary it shall be the duty of the county treasurer to pay all or any warrants payable at a future date, before the maturity thereof, upon the request of the trustees of the district providing there is in the hands of such treasurer sufficient funds so to do, after payment of all outstanding warrants of the district payable upon demand.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b*, to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 4 to 10, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 41*b*. It shall be the duty of the collector of the district, not later than twenty days after having received the assessment book from the secretary as provided in section 41 of this act, to mail to each assessment payer, as shown on the assessment book of the district, at such assessment payer's last known address, a notice of such assessment, which notice shall set forth the amount due and a statement of the penalties and costs which will be imposed by law by reason of nonpayment; *provided, however*, that a failure to give or mail such notice shall not in any way effect the title conveyed upon any sale of lands for delinquent assessments under this act.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19*b*, 22*b* and 25 thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44, 47, and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 864—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds of reclamation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289 and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code, to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292 and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 460 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Neilsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr Coombs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 460 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 529 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 529 to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion lost.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Deuel, Jacobson, Snyder, Heisinger and Adams demanded previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 529 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Ball, Bernard, Carter, Crawford, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jost, Leymel, Parkman, Patterson, Wemple, Williamson, and Witter—18.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until eleven o'clock a m , Monday, March 7, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 7, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Lenehan moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Keaton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, R. J., Mr. McPherson was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Patterson, Mr. D. D. Heagerty of Maricopa, California, State president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Miss Ora A. Miller of Pasadena, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Mr. Charles Balzari, city of Santa Cruz, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. B. Gruben of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Robert Day of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Anna Edelman of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, March 3, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly.
State Capitol, Sacramento, California.

Subject: Assembly Bill No. 1057.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER LEVEY: At a regular meeting of Jewel City Lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythias, in this city a resolution was duly and regularly adopted, the sense of which was "requesting the Assembly and the Senate of the forty-seventh session of the California State Legislature to enact Assembly Bill No. 1057."

The Negro people of the State are very vitally interested in this measure, and we wish to assure your honorable body that we believe this very important measure should be adopted at this session of the Legislature, and it would be very thoroughly appreciated if you would invite the attention of the Legislature and particularly the Committee on Judiciary to this matter.

Very truly yours,

JEWEL CITY LODGE No. 17, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS,
N. A. S. A., ETC.
JOHN S. HOLMAN, Chancellor Commander.

FREDRICK R. JOHNSON, Keeper of Records and Seal.

Also:

WHEREAS, The California State, County and Municipal Purchasing Agents' Association has, over a period of many years' investigation, given careful consideration to the matter of cooperative purchasing; and

WHEREAS, As a result of such investigation and study, it has had evidenced to it, the abuses now obtaining through lack of centralized cooperation in the purchase of school supplies; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this association does heartily endorse the principle of cooperative purchasing of school supplies and equipment, as recited respectively in Assembly Bill No. 1009 and Assembly Bill No. 819, now pending in your Committee on Education, and bespeaks your honorable consideration.

E. H. WERDER, President.

A. A. HORTON, Secretary.
March 4, 1927.

Also:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, CLERK'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28, 1927.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives,
State Legislature,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to transmit in accordance therewith copy of a Concurrent Resolution of the Congress of the United States inviting the cooperation of the Executives and Legislatures of the several States and Territories of the United States with the United States Commission for the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington.

Very respectfully,

WM. TYLER PAGE,
Clerk of the House of Representatives, U. S.

SIXTY-NINTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

At the Second Session

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, The joint resolution of Congress approved December 2, 1924, created the United States Commission for the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington, composed of nineteen commissioners, as follows: The President of the United States; Presiding Officer of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, ex officio; eight persons appointed by the President of the United States; four Senators and four Representatives, whose duty it is to prepare a plan or plans and a program signalizing the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington, and to take such steps as may be necessary in the coordination and correlation of plans prepared by state commissions or by bodies created under appointment by the governors of the respective states and by representative civic bodies. Therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Congress of the United States earnestly and respectfully invites the full cooperation of the legislatures and the chief executives of the respective states and territories of the United States in the execution of the joint resolution of Congress creating the United States Commission for the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington in such manner as may seem to them most fitting to the end that the bicentennial anniversary of the birth of him who was "first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen"—the pioneer, the soldier, the statesman, the husbandman, the exemplar of American citizenship, George Washington, may be commemorated in the year 1932 in such manner that future generations of American citizens may live according to the example and precepts of his exalted life and character and thus perpetuate the American Republic; and, be it further

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be transmitted by the Clerk of the House of Representatives to the presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives of the legislature and to the chief executive of each state and territory of the United States.

Attest: WM. TYLER PAGE, Clerk of the House of Representatives.
Attest: EDWIN P. THAYER, Secretary of the Senate.

The above resolution was ordered referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williams:

WHEREAS, Hon. Frank T. Murnan, a native of Tuolumne County and a representative of said county in the twenty-ninth session of this Assembly in the year 1891, has passed away, having died in San Francisco last Sunday; and

WHEREAS, In the passing of said Hon Frank T. Murnan, the State has lost a representative citizen who has accomplished much for the betterment of this State and particularly for the district which he so ably represented; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Assembly of the State of California, that when this House adjourns today it do so in respect to the memory of Hon. Frank T. Murnan; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is hereby directed to convey to his family this expression of respect and sympathy from the Assembly of the State of California.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr Williams unanimously adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to carrying animals on automobiles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle, to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the

regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled, 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State Commissioner thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing the State Board of Forestry to receive gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unapportioned funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article IV thereof, relating to the election and term of office

of members of the Assembly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ANDERSON, Chairman

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON LIBRARIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 872—An act to amend section 9a44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California," and repealing an act entitled, 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of county librarians in counties of the forty-fourth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors' Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4408*a*, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

KEATON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs J. H Newman against the State of California.

Also, Assembly Bill No 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W W Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electrohers upon that portion of Bancrott way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also; Assembly Bill No 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California;

Also; Assembly Bill No 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WILLIAMS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California:

Also: Assembly Bill No 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A J and T D Borie against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G Johnson against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H Mortimer Smith against the State of California;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California,
Also Assembly Bill No 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H Moffatt Company, against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H Levy Company against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E Smith against the State of California;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California
Also Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C G. Celio and Sons, against the State of California;
Also Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family

Also Assembly Bill No 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident or on account of fire,

Also: Assembly Bill No 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor,

Also Assembly Bill No 257—An act to amend sections 1457, 1570, and 1461 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of fines,

Also Assembly Bill No 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons,

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts,

Also Assembly Bill No 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases,

Also Assembly Bill No 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*,

Also Assembly Bill No 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 202—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums

Also Assembly Bill No 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools"

Also Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools;

Also Assembly Bill No 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1878*a* and relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance,

Also Assembly Bill No 916—An act to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State

Also Assembly Bill No 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or

by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 3664*aa*, 3670*bb* and 3670*cc*, relating to taxation of highway transportation companies for State purposes—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the fourth day of March, 1927, at 11.50 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 962—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support of Folsom Prison for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 963—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 964—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, San Quentin Prison, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of the Railroad Commission for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the fourth day of March, 1927, at 12.20 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of the theory that mankind either descended or ascended from a lower order of animals in the public schools, colleges, universities and other institutions of learning supported in whole or in part by public education funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property and for the purpose of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of waters therefrom, to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the

costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor, and to provide a method of dissolving such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44, 47 and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use;

Also: Assembly Bill No 589—An act to amend section 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 864—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of reclamation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 943—An act to amend section 2056 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning;

Also Senate Bill No 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment,

Also Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications, fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended, relating to salaries of the superintendent and employees of Bureau of Criminal Identification

Also Senate Bill No. 242—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act relative to estrays and providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, excepting certain counties from the provisions thereof

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 663 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Senate Bill No. 215 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No 634 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Senate Bill No. 242 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 582—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act;

Also, Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 2 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 447—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*b*, providing courses in forestry, the acquiring by school districts of necessary lands therefor outside such districts, the afforestation and reforestation thereof, and of public lands, and for transportation of pupils;

Also: Senate Bill No. 558—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area;

Also: Senate Bill No. 310—An act to amend the State Medical Practice Act, approved June 2, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 11*a*, relating to the recognition of a certificate of examination issued by the National Board of Medical Examiners of the United States.

Also: Senate Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 2322*a*24 of the Political Code, relating to the office of the horticultural commissioners in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 582 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 271 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 447 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 558 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No 310 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 468 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 721—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*j*, relating to the building and maintenance of permanent county fair buildings by the county board of supervisors,

Also: Senate Bill No 130—An act to amend section 1956 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the fifty-sixth class,

Also: Senate Bill No. 265—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 559½, relating to writs of attachment,

Also: Senate Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the collection of property taxes,

Also: Senate Bill No. 617—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of duplicates of bonds, warrants and other municipal securities which have become defaced or mutilated," approved February 23, 1907,

Also: Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle, to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 721 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 130 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 265 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 616 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 617 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 219 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day, as a case of urgency, passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also Assembly Bill No 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Brock: An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts, for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto to be numbered 8½, 8¾, and 13½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the improvement act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1927, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory highway.

JEWETT, Chairman

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto to be numbered 8½, 8¾, and 13½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the Improvement Act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1927, and to provide for a commissioner

thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Miller, James A.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to liens of keepers of furnished or partly furnished apartment houses

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Heisinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4131½, relating to the manner of filing, recording and issuance of certified copies of legal documents, plats, maps or other instruments.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Oliva:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e*, relating to removal of property.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr Davis:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to regulate the business of installment investment companies; to require the issuance of permits; to prescribe rules and regulations for the transaction of business and to prescribe penalties for violation of the terms hereof.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 966?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forty-five".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 966 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 967?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sixty-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-seven"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 967 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

COMMUNICATION

The following communication was received and read:

WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA, March 3, 1927

Honorable Harry F. Sewell,
Care of California State Legislature,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR HARRY: We are sending you by express today five boxes of Whittier Washington navels with the compliments of the Whittier District Fruit Exchange. We trust that you and your colleagues will enjoy them.

In looking over your district we are interested to find that a considerable proportion of it is devoted almost exclusively to the production and sale of citrus fruit. Approximately 4000 growers in your district derive their livelihood from 35,000 acres of citrus property. For the purposes of preparing their fruit for market, they have organized and are operating forty-seven shipping associations. Last year these shipping associations marketed through the seven district exchanges in your district over 5,000,000 boxes of citrus fruit which brought to these growers $17,500,000 in money.

The Whittier District Fruit Exchange is the largest marketing unit in your district, and last year the revenue to your home community from citrus fruit alone was over $4,000,000.

Our shipments are distributed under Sunkist labels to every market in the United States, Canada, and the Pacific ocean and in addition many thousands of boxes are annually sold in the great markets of Europe.

The shipment from these associations alone pay an annual tribute to the railroads in freight and refrigeration charges of $7,500,000, and the annual cost of producing a crop approximates $10,000 000.

Yours very truly,

WHITTIER DISTRICT FRUIT EXCHANGE.
D. A. FIELD, Manager.

MOTION TO PRINT IN JOURNAL.

Mr Little moved that the above communication be printed in the Journal

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Adams moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 598 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, McDonough, Noyes, Parkman, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright—25.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $682.57 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

The Recorder Printing and Publishing Company, 83 sets Code Amendments	$249 00
Bancroft-Whitney Company, 81 copies Robert's Rules of Order	121 50
Carithers Sign Company, lettering doors of committee rooms	52 83
State Purchasing Department	257 57
Department of Finance	1 67
	$682 57

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
WILLIAMS.
EDDY.
FRY.
NEILSEN.

Mr Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor: Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses, and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out everything following "Section 1" in line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

For the purpose of this act the term "produce dealer" shall include every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall receive produce for sale on commission or contract with the producer thereof for farm products to be sold by him on commission or accept in trust from the producer thereof for the purpose of resale, or who shall sell or offer for sale on commission or shall solicit consignments within the state of any kind of farm products, or who shall in any way handle for the account of or as an agent of the producer thereof any kind of farm products. The term "farm products" for the purposes of this act shall include all agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and vegetable products of the soil, poultry and poultry products, live stock and live stock products, honey and cut flowers, but shall not include timber or timber products. The term "consignor," for the purpose of this act, shall include every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall ship or deliver to any produce dealer any farm products.

SEC. 2. This act shall not be construed to apply to or include any cooperative organization, operating under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California or of any other state or the District of Columbia or under federal statute, or the agents, individual or corporate, or such organizations in the performance of their duties as such agents, except as to that portion of the activities of such organization, or agent, as involves the handling or dealing in the farm products of non-members of such organization.

SEC. 3. On and after the effective date of this act, no person, firm, exchange, association or corporation shall act as a produce dealer without having obtained a license as provided in this act. Every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation acting as a produce dealer as herein defined shall file an application with the state director of agriculture for a license to transact the business of produce dealer and such application shall be accompanied by the license fee herein provided

for. Such application shall state the class or classes of farm products applicant proposes to handle, the full name of the person, firm, exchange, association or corporation applying for such license, and if the applicant be a firm, exchange, association or corporation, the full name of each member of the firm, or the names of the officers of the exchange, association or corporation shall be given in the application. Such application shall further state the principal business address of the applicant in the State of California and elsewhere and the name or names of the person or persons authorized to receive and accept service of summons and legal notices of all kinds for the applicant. Such applicant shall further satisfy the state director of agriculture of his or its character responsibility and good faith in seeking to carry on the business of produce dealer. The state director of agriculture shall thereupon issue to such applicant, upon the execution and delivery of a bond as hereinafter provided, a license entitling the applicant to conduct the business of produce dealer at the place named in the application until the first day of January next following or until the same shall have been revoked for cause.

SEC. 4. The director of agriculture shall publish in pamphlet form as often as he thinks necessary, a list of all licensed produce dealers together with all necessary rules and regulations concerning the enforcement of this act. Each licensed produce dealer shall post his license or a copy thereof in his office or salesroom in plain view of the public; *provided*, that any agent of a licensed produce dealer shall show in writing his authority from his principal or employer to act as such agent. The fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars ($25) for each year or part thereof. All license fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the state treasury monthly and shall be credited to the "produce dealers' license fund," which fund is hereby created, and all moneys so deposited shall be held subject to the uses of the state director of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 5. Before any license shall be issued, the applicant shall execute and deliver to the state director of agriculture a good and sufficient surety bond in the sum of five thousand ($5,000) dollars executed by the applicant as principal and by a surety company qualified and authorized to do business in this state as surety. Said bond shall be conditioned upon compliance with the provisions of the act and upon the faithful and honest handling of farm products in accordance with the terms of this act. Said bond shall be to the State of California in favor of every consignor of farm products. Any consignor of farm products claiming to be injured by the fraud, deceit or wilful negligence of any produce dealer may bring action upon said bond against both principal and surety in any court of competent jurisdiction to recover the damages caused by such fraud, deceit and wilful negligence, or the failure to comply with the provisions of this act. In case of failure by a produce dealer to pay consignor creditors for farm produce received from said consignors to be sold, the state director of agriculture shall proceed forthwith to ascertain the names and addresses of all consignor creditors of such produce dealer, together with the amounts due and owing to them and each of them by such produce dealer, and shall request all such consignor creditors to file a verified statement of their respective claims with the state director of agriculture. Thereupon the state director of agriculture is hereby authorized to and shall proceed forthwith to bring an action on the bond in behalf of said consignor creditors which has been filed in the department by said produce dealer. Upon any action being commenced on said bond the director of agriculture may in his discretion require the filing of a new bond and immediately upon the recovery in any action on such bond such produce dealer shall file a new bond and upon failure to file the same within ten days in either case, such failure shall constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of his license.

SEC. 6. The applicant shall file with the director of agriculture at the time of furnishing said bond a schedule of his maximum and minimum commissions and charges for services in connection with produce handled on account of or as an agent for other parties and such designated commissions and charges shall not be changed or varied for one year thereafter, except by and through a written contract and agreement between the produce dealer or dealers and consignor or consignors of farm products.

SEC. 7. For the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this act, the state director of agriculture is authorized to receive verified complaints against any produce dealer or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation assuming or attempting to act as such, and upon receipt of such verified complaint shall have full authority to make any and all necessary investigations relative to the said complaint, and he shall have at all times free and unimpeded access to all buildings, yards, warehouses, storage and transportation facilities in which any produce is kept, stored handled or transported. He shall have full authority to administer oaths and take testimony thereunder, to issue subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses before him, together with all books, memoranda, papers, and other documents, articles or instruments; to compel the disclosure by such witnesses of all facts known to them relative to the matter under investigation, and all parties disobeying the orders or subpoenas of said state director of agriculture shall be guilty of contempt and shall be certified to the superior court of the state for punishment for such contempt. Copies of records, inspection certificates, certified reports

and all papers on file in the office of the state director of agriculture shall be prima facie evidence of the matters therein contained.

SEC. 8. Upon the verified complaint of any interested party the state director of agriculture must or on his own motion may investigate any transaction involving solicitation, receipt, sale or attempted sale of farm products by any person or persons, acting or assuming to act as a produce dealer, failure to make proper and true account of sales and settlement thereof as in this act required, the intentional making of false statements as to condition, and quantity of any farm products received or in storage, the intentional making of false statements as to market conditions; the failure to make payment for farm products within the time required by this act, or any other injurious transactions, and in furtherance of such investigation or inspection, the state director of agriculture, or any authorized representative, may examine that portion of the ledger, books, accounts, memoranda and other documents, farm products, scales, measures, and other articles and things used in connection with the business of such produce dealer relating to the transactions involved. When a consignor of farm products fails to obtain settlement satisfactory to him in any transaction after having notified the consignee, a verified complaint may be filed with the state director of agriculture, who shall undertake to effect a settlement, and in the event that he shall fail to effect such settlement, he shall cause a copy of such complaint, together with a notice of time and place of hearing of such complaint, to be served personally or by mail upon such produce dealer. Such service shall be made at least ten days before the hearing, which shall be held in the city or town in which is situated the business location of the licensee, or in which the transaction complained of is said to have occurred. At the time and place appointed for such hearing the state director of agriculture, or his agents, shall hear the parties to such complaint, and shall enter in the office of the state director of agriculture at Sacramento a decision either dismissing such complaint or specifying the facts established on such hearing. A copy of such decision shall be furnished to each, every and all the respective parties thereto.

SEC. 9. The state director of agriculture may refuse to grant a license, and may revoke any license, as the case may require, when he shall be satisfied of the existence of any of the following facts: (a) that fraudulent charges or returns have been made by the applicant, or licensee, for the handling, sale or storage of, or for rendering of any service in connection with the handling, sale or storage of any farm products; (b) that the applicant, or licensee, has failed or refused to render a true account of sales, or to make a settlement thereon, within the time and in the manner by this act required; (c) that the applicant, or licensee, has made any false statement as to the condition, quality or quantity of farm products received, handled, sold or stored by him, as a produce dealer, (d) that the applicant, or licensee, directly or indirectly, has purchased for his, or its own account farm products received by him, or it, upon consignment without prior authority from consignor together with price fixed by consignor or without promptly notifying the consignor of such purchase, *provided*, that this shall not prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscelleanous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales; (e) that the applicant, or licensee, has intentionally made any false or misleading statement as to the conditions of the market for any farm products; (f) that the applicant, or licensee, has made fictitious sales or has been guilty of collusion to defraud the producer; (g) that the produce dealer to whom any consignment is made has reconsigned such consignment to another produce dealer for the purpose of receiving, collecting or charging by such means more than one commission for making the sale therefor for the consignor, unless by consent of such consignor, (h) that the licensee was intentionally guilty of fraud or deception in the procurement of such license; (i) that the licensee or applicant has failed or refused to file with the director of agriculture a schedule of his maximum and minimum commission and other charges for services in connection with produce handled on account of or as an agent of another as prescribed in section 6 of this act on or prior to February first of each year.

SEC. 10. Any action of the state director of agriculture with reference to the granting of, or the refusal to grant, or to renew any license, or with reference to the revocation of any license granted under the provisions of this act, may be reviewed by any court of competent jurisdiction, but pending final determination of any such review, in the case of the revocation of or refusal to renew the license of any produce dealer, such license shall be deemed in full force and effect until the final determination of such proceedings; *provided*, that no license shall be refused during the time of or on account of the pendency of any review proceedings.

SEC. 11. It shall be the duty of every produce dealer, having received any farm products for sale as such dealer, to promptly make and keep a correct record showing in detail the following with reference to the handling, sale or storage of such farm products: (a) The name and address of the consignor; (b) the date received, (c) the condition and quantity upon arrival; (d) date of such sale for account of consignor (e) the price for which sold; (f) an itemized statement of the charges to be paid by consignor in connection with the sale, (g) each consignment of produce shall be given a lot number or other identifying mark, which number or mark shall appear on all sales tags and/or on any other essential records needed to show what

the produce actually sold for; (h) a detailed statement shall be kept on file of the filing of any claim or claims which have been or may be filed by the produce dealer against any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation for overcharges or for damages resulting from the injury or deterioration of such farm products by the act or acts or neglect or failure of such person, firm, exchange, association or corporation, and such records shall be open to the inspection of the state director of agriculture and the consignor or consignors of farm products for whom such claim or claims are made; *provided*, that the money returns, if any, collections, or damages received by said produce dealer from said persons, firms, exchanges, associations or corporations for and on behalf of consignor or consignors of farm products by reason of said overcharges, damages, or deterioration shall forthwith be paid to the aforesaid consignor or consignors of farm products, less charges for collection thereof in accordance with the schedule of charges filed under section 6 of this act. A copy of record and account of sales of farm products together with remittances in full of the amount realized by such sales, less the agreed commission and other charges, shall be delivered to the consignor upon the consummation of the sale together with all moneys received by him in payment for any consignment of farm products, less the agreed commission and other charges, within ten days after receipt of said moneys by said dealers, unless otherwise agreed in writing, *and provided however*, that the names and addresses of the purchasers need not be given

It shall also be the duty of every produce dealer to retain a copy of all records including sales tags, account sales, and other records covering each transaction, for a period of one year from the date thereof, which copy shall at all times be available for, and open to, the confidential inspection of the state director of agriculture and the interested consignor, or any authorized representative of either. In the event of any dispute or disagreement between a consignor and a produce dealer arising at the time of delivery as to condition, quality, grade, pack, quantity or weight of any lot, shipment or consignment of farm products, it shall be the duty of the state department of agriculture to furnish upon the payment of a reasonable fee therefor to be paid by requesting party a certificate establishing the condition, quality, grade, pack, quantity or weight of such lot, shipment or consignment, such certificate shall be prima facie evidence in all courts of this state as to the recitals thereof at the time such inspection was made. The burden of proof shall be upon the produce dealer to prove the correctness of his accounting as to any transaction which may be questioned.

SEC. 12. Any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall assume or attempt to act as a produce dealer of farm products as defined by this act without a license, or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who, being a produce dealer of farm products, shall (a) impose false charges for handling or services in connection with farm products, or (b) fails to account promptly, correctly, fully and properly and to make settlement therefor as herein provided, or (c) shall intentionally make false or misleading statement or statements as to market conditions, or (d) shall make fictitious sales or shall be guilty of collusion to defraud the producer, or (e) shall directly or indirectly purchase for his or its own account, goods received by him, or it, upon consignment without prior authority from the interested consignor, or shall fail promptly to notify the consignor of such purchases if any on his or its own account, *provided*, that this clause shall not be so construed as to prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscellaneous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales, or (f) shall intentionally make false statement or statements as to the grade, condition, markings, quality or quantity of goods shipped or packed in any manner or (g) shall fail to comply in every respect herewith, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed one thousand dollars or by confinement in the county jail for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment. It is hereby made the duty of the several district attorneys of this state to prosecute all violations of this act subject to prosecution in their respective counties. Civil suits and criminal prosecutions arising by virtue of any of the provisions of this act may be commenced and tried in either the county where the products were received by the produce dealer, or within the county in which the principal place of business of such produce dealer is located within the State of California, or within the county in which the violations of this act occurred.

SEC. 13. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 14. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder; providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease; declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance, and providing for the abatement thereof; providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit; providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "agricultural" and insert in lieu thereof the word "apicultural."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out all of pages 2 and 3, of the printed bill, and on page 4, lines 1 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Hive shall be construed to mean any receptacle or container made or prepared for the use of bees.

Appliance shall be construed to mean any implement or other device used in the manipulating of bees, or their brood, or containers thereof, which may be used in any apiary.

Disease shall be construed to mean American foul brood or anything affecting bees or their brood, which may cause an epidemic.

Inspector shall be construed to mean any person authorized to enforce the provisions of this act, as herein provided.

SEC. 3. The state director of agriculture is hereby empowered to enforce all provisions of this act and to make, promulgate and enforce such rules and regulations as may be necessary to enforce the provisions of this act. The state director of agriculture shall have supervision over all enforcing officers. The neglect or refusal of any officer to carry out the orders and directions of the state director of agriculture in the enforcement of this act shall be deemed neglect of duty. The state director of agriculture is hereby authorized to appoint a state bee inspector and such deputies as may be necessary, who shall be qualified to perform the duties of inspectors under this act.

The county horticultural commissioner of each county of the state is hereby made ex officio state bee inspector, and may appoint, subject to the approval of the board of supervisors of such county, one or more county horticultural inspectors who shall be county inspectors of apiaries within the meaning of this act.

SEC. 4 The state director of agriculture is hereby authorized with the approval of the governor to establish, maintain and enforce such quarantine regulations as may be deemed necessary to protect the bee industry against contagion or infection by any bee disease by establishing such quarantine at the boundaries of the state or elsewhere within the state He may make and enforce any and all such rules or regulations as may be necessary to prevent any bees, or their brood, used hives or appliances from passing over any quarantine line established and proclaimed pursuant to this act. All approvals by the governor given or made pursuant to this act shall be in writing and signed by the governor in duplicate, and one copy

thereof shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state and the other in the office of the director of agriculture before such approval shall take effect

The state director of agriculture is hereby empowered to establish such temporary quarantine lines, for a period of fifteen (15) days, as may be deemed necessary in the opinion of the state bee inspector, to meet emergencies that may arise.

SEC. 5. It shall be unlawful to import into the State of California any bees or used appliances not accompanied by a certificate from a duly authorized inspector of apiaries or bee inspector, certifying that such bees or used appliances are free from disease as defined in this act, excepting used package bee cages returning empty.

Any food prepared containing honey for combless package bees and queens shall be certified to as having been boiled not less than twenty minutes, certificate to accompany shipment.

Any person or persons who shall move bees from one county to another county within the state, or from one location within a county to another location within such county, shall first obtain from the county inspector of apiaries a certificate certifying that such bees are free from disease, and such inspector shall immediately mail a copy to the inspector of the county at destination, giving origin and destination of said bees, except where origin and destination are registered seasonal locations, only notice to inspector shall be required.

SEC. 6. The duties of a county inspector of apiaries shall be to cause an inspection to be made when he deems it necessary of any or every apiary within his jurisdiction, and if disease exists therein he shall so notify the owner or owners, person or persons in charge or in possession of said apiaries. Said notice may be served upon the person or persons or either of them having possession or owning such diseased apiaries by any inspector or by any person deputized by any inspector for that purpose, or by mail to last known address. All notices given by mail must be sent by registered letter. When the owners of any apiaries are not known, notice shall be posted at the apiaries in a conspicuous manner.

The inspector shall require such person or persons to eradicate such disease within a certain time to be specified in said notice.

Any and all such diseased apiaries are hereby declared a public nuisance, and whenever any such nuisance shall exist within his jurisdiction upon any property, the owner or owners of which can not be found after diligent search within the county by the inspector, or upon the property of any owner or owners upon whom notice has been served as hereinbefore provided, and who shall refuse or neglect to abate the same within the time specified in such notice, it shall be the duty of the inspector to abate the same either by eradicating the disease or by destroying diseased hives together with the combs and bees therein.

Upon inspection of any apiary, if European foul brood is found to exist to a serious extent in the opinion of the inspector, no certificate shall be issued for moving said bees; in lieu thereof a permit may be given to move such bees under the said inspector's supervision.

SEC. 7. It shall be unlawful for any person owning or controlling bees within the state, which are known to be diseased, to move said bees, except upon written permission of the inspector for the purpose of eradication of said disease, to move said bees to a place known to the inspector to be safe. The inspector is hereby authorized in a summary manner to destroy or to treat any and all infected bees so moved into or within the state without such permit.

SEC. 8. The inspector shall order the owner or owners or other persons in charge of bees kept in box or other immovable or stationary-comb hives to transfer such bees to movable frame hives within a reasonable time to be specified in such order or notice, and in default of such transfer by the owner or owners or other persons in charge of such bees, the inspector shall destroy or cause to be destroyed all such hives together with their contents.

SEC. 9. Every person within the State of California who shall be the owner or in possession of an apiary shall register with the county horticultural commissioner, giving the number of colonies and the location thereof and naming the owner thereof, within sixty (60) days after this act shall become effective, and on or before the first day of March of each year thereafter.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral eleven and insert in lieu thereof the numeral ten.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4 line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "into or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "twelve" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "eleven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, between the words "expose" and "any" insert the words "to bees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral 13 and insert in lieu thereof the numeral 12

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral 14 and insert in lieu thereof the numeral 13

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand or trademark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act and providing for penalties for the violation of same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, of the printed bill, in line 1, after the words "Section 1," strike out the balance of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The term "commercial feeding stuffs" shall be held to include all feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry, except the following:

(*a*) Whole seeds or grain.

(*b*) The unmixed meals made directly from and consisting of the entire grains of corn, wheat, rye and flaxseed weighing not less than fifty pounds to the bushel, barley weighing not less than thirty-five pounds to the bushel, oats weighing not less than twenty-eight pounds to the bushel, buckwheat weighing not less than forty pounds to the bushel, kafir and milo weighing not less than forty-five pounds to the bushel, and light rice, *provided*, that light rice shall be labeled light rice when ground; and fresh green roughage, and the meals made from whole unmixed hay, and milk, skimmed milk, whey and buttermilk.

(*c*) Whole hays, straws, cottonseed hulls and corn stover, when unmixed with other materials

(*d*) All other materials containing sixty per centum or more of water

SEC. 2. The standards for commercial feeding stuffs shall be the latest revision of the definitions of feeding stuffs adopted by the association of feed control officials of the United States.

SEC. 3. Every lot or parcel of commercial feeding stuffs sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed within this State shall have affixed thereto a tag or label, in a conspicuous place on the outside thereof, containing a legible and plainly printed statement in the English language, clearly and truly certifying:

(*a*) The net weight of the contents of the package, lot or parcel;

(*b*) The name, brand or trademark;

(*c*) The name and principal address of the manufacturer or person responsible for placing the commodity on the market;

(*d*) The minimum per centum of crude protein;

(*e*) The minimum per centum of crude fat;

(*f*) The maximum per centum of crude fiber;

(*g*) The maximum per centum of ash;

(*h*) The specific name of each ingredient used in its manufacture;

(*i*) The minimum per centum (1) of any ingredient the specific name of which appears as a part of the name, brand or trademark; and (2) of whatever ingredient is represented as having special medicinal or feeding value

(*j*) The per centum of such ingredients as corn cobs, corn bran, ground corn bran, oat hulls, ground oat hulls, clipped oat by-product, ground clipped oat by-product, chop, barley hulls, ground barley hulls, barley feed, ground barley feed, rice hulls, ground rice hulls, screenings or ground screenings, except when same is a part of wheat bran, wheat middlings, wheat shorts or wheat mixed feed, and said screenings or ground screenings does not exceed the "run of the mill," ground light rice, alfalfa meal or similar materials, when such constitute a portion of the package, lot or parcel.

(*k*) The per centum of grit or mineral matter they contain.

The crude protein, crude fat, crude fiber and ash shall be determined by the methods in force at the time by the association of official agricultural chemists of North America.

SEC. 4. The director of the state department of agriculture and his agents and inspectors shall have free access to all places of business, mills, buildings, carriages, cars, vessels and parcels of whatsoever kind used in the mixing, manufacture, transportation, sale or storage of any commercial feeding stuffs and shall have the power and authority to open any parcel containing or supposed to contain any commercial feeding stuffs and upon tender and full payment of the selling price of said sample, to take therefrom samples for analysis. The methods of analysis shall be those in force at the time by the association of official agricultural chemists of North America.

SEC. 5. Commercial feeding stuffs shall be deemed adulterated if they do not conform to the analysis declared on the label or tag

SEC. 6. Commercial feeding stuffs shall be deemed mislabeled if they are not labeled or tagged in accordance with the provisions of section 3 of this act.

SEC. 7 If it appears that any of the provisions of this act have been violated the director of the state department of agriculture shall certify the facts to the proper prosecuting attorney and furnish that officer with a copy of the result of the analysis or other examination of such feeding stuffs duly authenticated by the analyst or other officer making the determination, under the oath of such officer. *Provided*, that if it shall appear from any such examination that any of the provisions of this act have been violated the director of the state department of agriculture shall cause notice to be given to the manufacturer or dealer from whom said sample was taken, any party so notified shall be given an opportunity to be heard in his defense under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the director of the state department of agriculture before the facts shall be certified to the proper prosecuting attorney. In all prosecutions arising under the provisions of this act, certificates of the analyst or other officer making the examination or analysis, when duly sworn to by such officer, shall be prima facie evidence of the fact or facts therein certified.

SEC. 8. Any importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall manufacture or mix or sell, offer or expose for sale, or distribute in this state any commercial feeding stuffs without having attached thereto or furnished therewith such labels or tags or certificates as may be required by the provisions of this act, or who shall impede obstruct hinder or otherwise prevent or attempt to prevent said director of the state department of agriculture or his authorized agent in the performance of his duty in connection with the provisions of this act, or who shall sell, offer or expose for sale, or distribute in this state any commercial feeding stuffs as defined in section 1, without complying with the requirements of the provisions of this act or who shall sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this state any commercial feeding stuffs which contain a smaller per centum of crude protein or crude fat or a larger per centum of crude fiber or ash than is certified to be contained therein or who shall fail to properly state the specific name of each and every ingredient used in its manufacture or who shall fail to properly state the per centum of such ingredient as corn cobs corn bran, ground corn bran, oat hulls, ground oat hulls, clipped oat by-product, chop, barley hulls, ground barley hulls, barley feed, ground barley feed rice hulls ground rice hulls, screenings or ground screenings, except when same is a part of wheat bran, wheat middlings, wheat shorts or wheat mixed feed, and said screenings or ground screenings does not exceed the "run of the mill", ground light rice alfalfa meal or similar materials, when such constitute a portion of the package, lot or parcel; or the per centum of grit or mineral matter, or the minimum per centum (1) of any ingredient the specific name of which appears as a part of the name brand or trademark and (2) of whatever ingredient is represented as having special medicinal or feeding value, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the provisions of this act and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than one hundred dollars for the first violation and not less than one hundred dollars for each subsequent violation Any manufacturer, jobber, importer, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix or adulterate any feeding stuffs with any substance or substances injurious to the health of live stock or poultry shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the provisions of this act, and in addition to the penalty provided in this section, the lot of feeding stuffs shall be subject to seizure, condemnation and sale as the court may direct. The court may in its discretion

release the feeding stuffs so seized when the requirements of the provisions of this act have been complied with, and upon payment of all costs and expenses incurred by the state in any proceedings connected with such seizure. One-half of all fines, and the proceeds from condemned foodstuffs collected by any court or judge for the violation of the provisions of this act shall be paid to the state treasurer, and the state treasurer shall deposit such money to the credit of the director of the state department of agriculture for the enforcement of this act to be drawn against by warrants of the state controller upon claims which shall be approved by the director of the state department of agriculture. No dealer shall be prosecuted under the provisions of this act when he can establish a guaranty signed by the wholesaler, jobber, manufacturer or other party, residing in the United States, from whom he purchased such commercial feeding stuffs to the effect that the same are not adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded within the meaning of this act, and can also establish by satisfactory evidence that the commercial feeding stuffs sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this state were mislabeled or did not conform to the analysis declared on the label or tag affixed thereto, and that at the time of selling, offering or exposing for sale or distributing in this state such commercial feeding stuffs the dealer was not aware of that fact, such guaranty may be either general or special. A general guaranty shall guarantee without conditions or restrictions all of the commercial feeding stuffs purchased, prepared, compounded, packed, distributed or sold by the guarantor as not mislabeled or adulterated within the meaning of this act. A special guaranty shall guarantee in the same manner the particular commercial feeding stuffs listed in an invoice of the same and shall be attached to or shall fully identify such invoice. Both said guaranties to afford protection must contain the name and address of the party or parties making the sales of such commercial feeding stuffs to said dealer. If the guaranty be to the effect that such commercial feeding stuffs are not adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded within the meaning of the national pure food act, approved June 30, 1906, it shall be sufficient for the purpose of this act and have the same force and effect as though it referred to this act, except that a guaranty referring to the said national pure food act alone shall not be sufficient for the purposes of this act in any case where at any time the standard for the commercial feeding stuffs concerned under this act is higher than the standard for like commercial feeding stuffs under said national pure food act. In case the wholesaler, jobber, manufacturer or other party making such guaranty to said dealer resides without this state and it appears from the certificate of the director of the state laboratory that such commercial feeding stuffs were adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded, within the meaning of this act or the national pure food act, approved June 30, 1906, the district attorney must forthwith notify the attorney general of the United States of such violation.

SEC. 9. It shall be unlawful for any importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person to manufacture or mix and sell or offer or expose for sale or distribute in this state any commercial feeding stuffs so manufactured or mixed by them and sold or offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this state without obtaining from the director of the state department of agriculture a permit authorizing such to be done. There shall be paid to the director of the state department of agriculture by the applicant for such permit the sum of ten dollars.

(*a*) Any importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person, who manufactures or mixes and sells, offers, or exposes for sale, or distributes in this state any commercial feeding stuffs so manufactured or mixed by them, shall pay a tax thereon of five cents per ton; *provided* that any commercial feeding stuffs sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this state, which are not a mixture or compound of various materials, that is, such as blood meal, cracklings, digester tankage, digester meat and bone tankage, meat scrap and meat meal, meat and bone scrap and meat and bone meal, barley hulls, barley feed, barley mixed feed, corn bran, oil cake, oil meal, cottonseed meal, cold pressed cottonseed, ground cold pressed cottonseed, linseed cake or meal, soya bean meal, oat hulls, clipped oat by-product, ground clipped oat by-product, oat middlings, oat groats, ground oat groats, oat shorts, chop, peanut oil cake peanut oil meal, rice bran, rice hulls, ground rice hulls, rice polish, wheat bran, wheat middlings, red dog flour, wheat shorts, wheat mixed feed, dried beet pulp, cocoanut oil meal, fish meal, fish residue meal, and similar products, shall be exempt from the tax provisions of subsection (*a*) section 9 of this act.

(*b*) All moneys received by the director of agriculture under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the "commercial feeding stuffs fund," which fund is hereby created. This fund shall be held subject to the uses of the director of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 10. Any importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall manufacture or mix any commercial feeding stuffs for another, shall, when such commercial feeding stuffs are not to be resold, furnish those for whom said commercial feeding stuffs are manufactured or mixed, in lieu of the labels or tags required by section 3 of this act, a certificate for each lot so manufactured or mixed, said certificate indicating thereon the amount in pounds of each ingredient composing such commercial feeding stuffs, furthermore such certificate shall also indicate the minimum per centum of crude protein, the minimum per centum of crude fat, the maximum per centum of crude fiber and the maximum per centume of ash of each

ingredient classified as a commercial feeding stuff which is used in the composition of such product.

SEC. 11. The director of the state department of agriculture is hereby empowered to enforce the provisions of this act and to prescribe the form of tags, certificates and labels to be used, and to prescribe and enforce such rules and regulations relating to the manufacture or mixing, distribution and sale of commercial feeding stuffs as it may deem necessary to carry into effect the full intent and meaning of this act and other procedures not inconsistent with this act. No rule or regulation shall become effective until the expiration of thirty days after it shall have been first promulgated by a proclamation signed by the director of the state department of agriculture and published in one or more newspapers and farm journals of general circulation in the State of California and sent to each importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person to whom permit has been issued in compliance with the provisions of this act.

SEC. 12. When the director of the state department of agriculture becomes cognizant of the apparent violation of any of the provisions of this act or of any of the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder it shall be his duty to cause notice of such fact to be given to the importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person suspected of violating the law or any of the provisions thereof. The person notified shall be given an opportunity to be heard under such rules and regulations as may be promulgated for that purpose.

SEC. 13. The director of the state department of agriculture shall have the power, after such hearing, if it is apparent that there has been intent to violate the provisions of this act, or the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, or if it is apparent that there has been gross negligence in complying with the provisions of this act or the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, to cancel the permit of any importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who has in such manner violated the provisions of this act.

SEC. 14. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 15. All acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, and ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading:

Assembly Bill 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading:

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that the consideration of Mr Coombs' motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 460 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 830—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes." approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to powers and duties of board of directors.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 830 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 535 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the Sanitary Board.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 17 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell Smith Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1063 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1082 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Neilsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—69.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At two o'clock and forty minutes p m., Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of non-resident indigents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 93 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose of appropriating,

acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of water therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 233 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Duval, Assembly Bill No. 1067 was ordered re-referred to Committee on Conservation.

Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the head of any State department, with the approval of the Department of Finance, to destroy records.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 897 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester,

Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 897 was this day passed

Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 811 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 236 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Melville, Assembly Bill No. 937 was re-referred to Committee on Elections.

Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 883 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 633 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D P, Badham, Ball, Baum Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—56

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend an "Act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

On motion of Mr. Adams, Assembly Bill No. 1101 was re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of evolution in elementary and secondary school

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Assembly Bill No. 145 was re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 548 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State, etc.,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 956 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, etc.," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 957 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 33 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williams gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 33 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 191 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—Feigenbaum, Little, and Williamson—3.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During the reading of the title, the following amendment was submitted by Mr. Heisinger:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "delinquent taxes" and insert in lieu thereof "penalties upon redemption of property sold for delinquent taxes".

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended and approved.

Assembly Bill No. 191 ordered to reprint.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Rochester gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 191 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to pro-

vide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 193 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Wilhams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Friday, January 21, 1927; Wednesday, February 23, 1927; Thursday, February 24, 1927; Friday, February 25, 1927; Monday, February 28, 1927; Tuesday, March 1, 1927; Wednesday, March 2, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Messrs. Hornblower and Burns: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly for the purpose of making a thorough study into the traffic situation on the highways of California, with particular reference as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial responsibility on the part of those owning or operating motor vehicles using the highways, and making an appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Tuesday, March 8, 1927, out of respect to the memory of the late Frank T. Murnan, a former member of the Legislature.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 8, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Williams, Mr. Keaton was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO THE FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. A. N. Bucklin, mayor of El Centro, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. Ross T. Hichcox of El Centro, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. William P. Mansfield of Brawley, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. W. W. Van Pelt, secretary of Brawley Chamber of Commerce, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Hon. C. L. Welch of the Los Angeles bar, dean of Polytechnic Law School, Los Angeles, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Brock, Mr. George Humphrey, water engineer, Redlands, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. W. H. Pawson, Jr., manager Fruitvale Water Company, San Jacinto, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. James Mills, Regent of the University of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Roberts, Mr. Hugh E. Macbeth of Los Angeles, president of the Blackstone Club, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Sewell, Mr. L. Lostutter of Pomona, California, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Mrs. Zetta C. Walmsley, teacher of the Esparto Union High School of Esparto, Yolo County, and the following pupils of the civics class: Tarty Brock, Wesley Haswell, Tad Tandy, Marvin Kindelt, Arthur Mason, Evan Lowery, Erwin Parker, C. R. Nissen, Clay Fiske, Joe Farnham, John Mezger, Margaret Gable, Alice Bourland, Jean Whitson, Helen Jeness, Grace Logan, Flora Taber, Elizabeth Howlett, Mable Nichols and Marjorie Rudolph were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Grant P. Merril, chairman of the board of supervisors of Alpine County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Byrne and Dillinger, Mr. George Rust of Georgetown was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Byrne and Dillinger, Mr. Stewart McNab of Georgetown was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Jones, Hon. Sidney Graves, member of the board of supervisors of Los Angeles and former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

WASHINGTON, D C., March 7, 1927

HON EDGAR C. LEVEY: Judge bill I introduced passed. I shall give careful consideration to all candidates, and these are many

SAMUEL M SHORTRIDGE.

Also:

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

CLERK'S OFFICE, March 7, 1927.

To the Members of the Legislature,
State of California,
Sacramento, California.

GENTLEMEN: Your attention is respectfully called to the following resolution adopted by the board of supervisors, this date, relative to Senate Bill No. 650

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No 650, introduced by Senator Lyon, if passed would remove all discretionary powers of this board of supervisors and every board of supervisors in granting franchises for private toll-bridge projects; and

WHEREAS, This would be accomplished by the provision that if a bridge project merely complies with the various State and federal laws and regulations, the supervisors of the county on the left bank "shall grant the application by an order entered in its minutes and particularly describing the bridge", and

WHEREAS, Under this provision, this board would be mandated immediately to grant bay bridge franchises for apparently five surface bridges and two subsurface tube projects which claim to comply with existing federal regulations, thereby creating unbearable financial confusion, engendering litigation, removing all prospect that the existing War Department restrictions would ever be modified, and making it impossible for this board to select a bridge location properly based upon the advice of consulting engineers; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this board hereby shall proceed to do its utmost to bring about the defeat of Senate Bill No. 650; and, be it further

Resolved, That to this end this board's legislative committee is hereby instructed to make this a main object of its work at Sacramento; that the delegates of this board to the State supervisors' convention are hereby instructed to seek similar action on the part of that body; and that copies of this resolution shall be sent to the Governor, the presidents of the Senate and Assembly, the committees of the Senate and Assembly having this matter in hand, and the individual members of the Senate and Assembly.

Yours truly,

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Also:

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 5, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey,
114 Sansome Street, San Francisco, California.

Glad to advise that President approved bill March 3 providing additional federal judge for northern district of California. Many thanks for your letter.

MRS. JULIUS KAHN, Member Congress.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 441—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MORRISON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Pacific Colony Act' to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institutions, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act, to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions, to prescribe penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MORRISON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds,

Also Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses,

Also Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act,

Also Assembly Bill No 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

JOST, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*a*40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs;

Also Assembly Bill No 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution, of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on County Government

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets, and seines.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for topographic surveys and investigations of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 22, 1909—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6 and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 38, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of

local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of Reclamation District Number 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof, and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 35—An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19*b*, 22*b* and 25 thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safekeeping thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to amend section 65 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to use of rooms in buildings subject to the provisions of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming and change of names of public highways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985 relating to the care and treatment of tubercular persons in private sanitariums, and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes, and to describe the duties and powers of such boards, and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers" approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county boards of forestry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 97—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision;

Also: Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits;

Also: Senate Bill No. 71—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits.

Also: Senate Bill No. 72—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and dispositions of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county or incorporated city or town," approved April 23, 1913, by providing that the surplus funds in the treasury of municipal utility districts and flood control districts may be invested in like manner as those of other municipal corporations mentioned in said act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, relating to bonds of contractors on public work;

Also: Senate Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 97 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 70 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 71 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 72 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 278 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 143 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add three new sections to said act to be numbered sections 6a, 6b, and 6c respectively, relating to the annexation of territory to said district, and also adding a new section to said act to be numbered section 6d, relating to the control of any existing publicly owned utility in such district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts,

authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security for the deposit of public funds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 205—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 15, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Also: Senate Bill No. 277—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof and for the districting, governing and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 9 of said act to provide for the preservation of the status of special improvement proceedings.

Also: Senate Bill No 303—An act authorizing municipalities to declare any accumulation of stagnant water, manure, garbage, offal, rubbish, or filthy or offensive matter of any kind upon private property within municipalities to be a public nuisance and creating a lien upon the property upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 68 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 69 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 205 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 277 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 303 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 475—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the Street Opening Act of 1903, approved March 23, 1903, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 355—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds, to provide for enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 6½;

Also: Senate Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 308 of the Civil Code;

Also: Senate Bill No 820—An act to amend section 1387 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executors and administrators.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 475 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 266 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 355 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 290 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 292 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 820 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 821—An act to repeal section 1756 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of guardianship;

Also, Senate Bill No. 137—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses;

Also Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents;

Also Senate Bill No. 472—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of justices' courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of justices' courts

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 821 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 137 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 238 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 240 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 472 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 473 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895;

Also, Assembly Bill No 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such

assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes, and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publication of ordinances;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco, all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered 752*c*, relating to powers of boards of trustees,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Davis: An act to regulate the business of installment investment companies, to require the issuance of permits, to prescribe rules and regulations for the transaction of business and to prescribe penalties for violation of the terms hereof.

By Mr. Oliva: An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e*, relating to removal of property.

By Mr. Heisinger: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4131½ relating to the manner of filing, recording and issuance of certified copies of legal documents, plots, maps or other instruments.

By Mr. Miller, James A.: An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code relating to liens of keepers of furnished or partly furnished apartment houses.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Davis. Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act to regulate the business of installment investment companies; to require the issuance of

permits, to prescribe rules and regulations for the transaction of business and to prescribe penalties for violation of the terms hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No 1181—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e*, relating to removal of property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4131½, relating to the manner of filing, recording and issuance of certified copies of legal documents, plots, maps or other instruments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Miller, James A . Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to liens of keepers of furnished or partly furnished apartment houses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Kelsey and Waters: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to prepare and submit changes in the California Vehicle Act in the interests of safety, and to submit recommendations on the advisability of the enactment and enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways in this State, and to submit recommendations as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this State and making appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Melville:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

MOTION TO CORRECT JOURNAL.

Mr. Crittenden moved that the Journal of March 4, 1927, be corrected to read as follows:

Correction No. 1: On page 10, in fourth paragraph, strike out "C" and insert in lieu thereof "E".

Correction No. 2: On page 10, in fourth paragraph, strike out "A" and insert in lieu thereof "Exhibit number two".

Correction No. 3: On page 10, in fourth paragraph, strike out "B" and insert in lieu thereof "Exhibit number one".

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597, relating to carrying animals on automobiles.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans and to select a site for a permanent penal institution for women offenders

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "designate a proper" and insert in lieu thereof the words "recommend a"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing State Board of Forestry to receive gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

After the word "receive" in the first line of the title of the printed bill, insert the words "in the name of the State of California".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States Forest Reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasury of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unrepresented funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 872—An act to amend section 9a44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of county librarians in counties of the forty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all the following:

Starting with the first word of the title "An act" down to and including the word "class", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend section 756 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of deputy clerks of supreme court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out of the printed bill all of the following:

Starting with line 1, down to and including line 8 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 756. The annual salary of the chief deputy clerk of the supreme court shall be three thousand six hundred dollars; the annual salary of each of the deputy clerks of the supreme court shall be three thousand dollars. The salaries of the chief deputy clerk and the deputy clerks of the supreme court shall be paid out of the state treasury in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of other state officers are paid

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* and to add a new section, to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or if there be no common property, then out of the real estate belonging to the decedent, or out of real estate owned in common by the decedent and the person or persons to whom the homestead is set apart", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or out of real estate owned in common by the decedent and the person or persons to whom the homestead is set apart, or if there be no common property and no such jointly owned property, then out of the real estate belonging to the decedent as his separate property."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident (or on account of fire).

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "any" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "county" insert the words "provided if there is no county hospital in said county, then to any hospital"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "as" insert the word "herein".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend sections 1457, 1570 and 1461 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to disposition of fines.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend section one thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 25, inclusive, of said page; also strike out lines 1 to 16, inclusive, of page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section 1461 of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

That the words "the evidence" in line 14 of said printed bill be stricken out and that there be substituted in lieu thereof the following "an affidavit of the claimant setting forth the facts establishing his ownership"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 and 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following

'SECTION 1 A new section to be numbered 1618*b* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows ':

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 549— An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, following the dash, strike out all of the material in lines 3 to 13, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

The courses of study for the day elementary schools of California in districts maintaining junior high schools shall embrace six years of instruction, and in districts in which junior high schools are not maintained such courses of study shall embrace eight years of instruction, and such courses must allot six or eight years, respectively for instruction in subjects required to be taught in such schools and may allot not more than two years for kindergarten instruction.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools."

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1858*a* and relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 916—An act to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed constitutional amendment, after the semicolon following the word "years", add the following: "*provided, however*, that the seats of the assemblymen elected in the year 1930 from the odd numbered districts shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year so that one-half of the assemblymen shall be elected every two years".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 202—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations, and administer the same.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 460 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr Roland moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 897 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 142 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland,

Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act regulating the sale of grain sacks, defining the term grain, providing that the sacks and the weight thereof be included as a part of the net weight of grain sold or purchased, providing for the payment for sacks as a part of the purchase price of grain sold or purchased, making it the duty of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions thereof and providing a penalty for a violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 561 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—Carter and Feigenbaum—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ISAAC JONES IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Hon. Isaac Jones, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to poll-lists and tally-lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and poll-lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 303 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—72.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining

their powers, and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 304 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—70

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 35—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy.

Mr. Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 35 be re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 384 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Lenehan, Assembly Bill No. 457 was re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental condition of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 315 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge Wright, and Mr Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2a to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved

May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 336 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Also Senate Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Also Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 15*a*, relating to the payment of the interest due on bonds of the district.

Also Senate Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 46 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, relating to the entry of the record of assessment sales and the addition of penalties to assessments upon redemption.

Also Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 564 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 221 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 65 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 28 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 173 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Rochester moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 191 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Byrne, Croter, Duval, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Jacobson, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine—19.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Williams waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 33 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 33 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matters of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 852 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROBERT B FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 853 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Cali-

fornia, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 854 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 251 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p. m. Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 624 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 29 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*x*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 203 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19*x*44 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 658 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Feigenbaum, Assembly Bill No. 828 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2985, relating to the care and treatment of tubercular persons in private sanitariums and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Parkman, Assembly Bill No. 797 was re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 476 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Roland, Assembly Bill No. 990 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 421 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64
NOES—None

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1151 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 429 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the

fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 443 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 589 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 943 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Woolwine, Assembly Bill No. 157 was re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the State; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Assembly Bill No. 20 was re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county board of forestry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 949 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis.

Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—64

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming and change of names of public highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 671 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto, to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe keeping thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 266 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b*, to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Assembly Bill No. 932 was re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Byrne, Assembly Bill No. 200 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wemple moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "tax" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following:

"*provided, however*, that such board shall not be authorized or empowered to levy or cause to be collected the special tax in this section provided for, without first giving notice of intention so to do and according to the owners of land situate within the district an opportunity to protest the same. Such notice shall briefly describe the object for which it is proposed to levy and collect said special tax and shall specify a time and place for hearing of such protests, which said time shall not be less than twenty days from and after the day said notice is posted. The notice shall be posted in not less than ten public places within the district. At any time before the day in said notice specified for the hearing, any owner of real property within the district may file written objections to the levying of said special tax. If, upon said hearing, it appears that the owners of real property representing seventy-five per cent or more in value of the real property situate within the district as shown by the last equalized assessment book of the county in which said district is situate have filed written objections protesting the levy of said tax, the board shall have no power or authority to levy the special tax provided for in this section."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wemple as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 442, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WEMPLE, Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

The following concurrent resolution was introduced:

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to spend his vacation in California.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mrs. Woodbridge asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21, at this time, without reference to printer, committee, or file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to spend his vacation in California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 21.

Relative to inviting the President of the United States to spend his vacation in California.

WHEREAS, His Excellency, the Honorable Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, has signified his intention of spending his midsummer vacation in the west; and

WHEREAS, The State of California is not only the west, but the glorious golden west, with any number of delightful homes suitable for His Excellency the President of the United States; *therefore, be it*

Resolved, That this Legislature, Assembly and Senate concurring, hereby extends the Honorable Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, a cordial invitation and urges that he spend his vacation in California

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, March 9, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 9, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivia, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

At the invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rabbi Rudolph I. Coffee of Oakland, former Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr Keaton was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mr. J. B. Scullin of Alhambra, California, secretary-treasurer of the California Association of Retail Credit Bureaus, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Snyder, Mr. C A. Palmer of Orange, Orange County, Grand Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Dr. E. R Dille of Oakland, former Chaplain of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Welch of San Francisco, of the Kleiber Motor Company, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Sewell, Mr Glen Beheymer of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Sewell, Mr. C. W Pinkerton of Whittier, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Hon Charles A. Shurtleff, ex-Justice of the Supreme Court, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr Eddy, Mr Fred E Lindley of San Diego was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Feigenbaum, L. W. Dinkelspiel, Esq., of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Mr. G. Eckdahl, Swedish Consul, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Mr. O. W. Houge of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Parkman, Mr. John Zaro, representative of San Mateo Dairymen's Association; Judge E C. Peak of South San Francisco Chamber of Commerce; Mr. A. M. McSweney, county tax collector of San Mateo County; Dr C. V Thompson of Pescadero, supervisor; Mr Francis, Half Moon Bay, supervisor; Mrs. Roseline Brown, San Mateo, supervisor; Mr John McBain, supervisor, of Menlo Park, and Thomas Hickey, South San Francisco, supervisor, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Miller, James A , Mr. L E. Kilkenny of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, the following pupils of the eighth grade, Auburn Union Grammar School: William Samuelson, Pat Hurley, Robert Clegg, Eileen Norman, Valeda Rice, Evelyn Slade, Loraine Sweet, Alice Nunes, Frances Eason, Elsie Nelson, Madelyn Jones, Jaretta Huckaby, Salina Dooley, Marcella Margaroli, Esther Snodderly, Eleanor Lukens, Janice Hesser, Beatrice Brundage, Mildred Hulbert, Tracy Minton, Lynford Lardner, John Vanderbilt, Allen Huckaby, Frankie Galli, Alex Bellis, Edward Davis, Howard Joseph, John Russell, Catherine Sullivan, Audrey Roberts, Thelma Copeland, Elaine Flemming, Edward Wilcoxon, Randall Leonard, Joe Souza, Andrew Dorer, Eugene Carmassi, Elizabeth Holt, Elda Trumbo, Isama Fujitami, Lewis Threlkel, Lena Horath, Irma Johnson, Alice Ludwig, Ethel Holmes, Josephine Taylor, Margaret Cory, Evelyn Sing, Elmer Philbert, Lester Russell, Lawrence Pressley, Forrest Claussen, Milton Atwood, Ugo Paron, Norman Allen, Edwin Hughes, Carroll Phelps, Satori Toaka, Melvin Richardson, Lloyd Wahler; and Benton Welty, principal; Mary Jesse, Agnes Huberger, Ruth Slade, Helen Gridley, Naomi Grimm, teachers, and H. M. Cooper, Mrs. George Hamilton, George Patterson, F. Atwood, trustees, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, the following pupils of the eighth grade, Lincoln grammar school: Melvin Anderson, Donald Arndt, Meiko Asazawa, Robert Bannister, Charles Beckman, Ira Briggs, class president; Vernon Brown, secretary; Leonard Click, Amelia Fransoza, Annie Geffray, Albert Hansen, Otto Jarstad, Evelyn Jordan, Charles Lappens, Paul Madsen, William Madsen, Frank Mazzoni, Frederick Newcomb, Corma Padilla, Clara Price, Adolfo Rivas, Josephine Rivera, Wenonah Schuler, Vivilyn Sparks, vice president; Woodrow Stephenson, Jack Tofft, Frederick Wind, Eleanor Whitford, Marian Williams, Woodrow Wyatt, Francis Murch; and seventh grade pupils guests of eighth grade civics class: Janis Schroder, Mary Perry, Edward Grey, Virgil Smith; also Mrs. L. Kerl Weneger, eighth grade teacher; Mrs. Mary Beerman, clerk Lincoln grammar school; Mr. L. F. Beauleaugh,

transportation supervisor, and Karl O. Bayless, principal Lincoln grammar school, in charge of group, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. E. W. Black of the San Luis Obispo board of supervisors, San Luis Obispo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. John Marquart of San Luis Obispo board of supervisors, San Luis Obispo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. John Norton of the San Luis Obispo board of supervisors, San Luis Obispo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mr. Fergus Strachan of Alameda, California, former member Alameda High School State championship swimming team, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bishop, Mrs. Clark Spence of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bishop, Mr. Wesley D. Smith of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bishop, Mrs. Wesley D. Smith of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bishop, Mrs. Alice Balleau of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. George W. Johnson of Sonora was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. Charles Legerstrom of Sonora was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. Eric Legerstrom of Sonora was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Judge Ten Broeck Warne of Sonora was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Finley, Mr. Edgar W. Stow of Santa Barbara, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roberts, Mr. William C. Mathews, Special Assistant United States Attorney General, Washington, District of Columbia, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

TEMPLE B'NAI ISRAEL.

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, March 7, 1927.

WHEREAS, The Temple Sisterhood, as a religious organization, is intensely interested in the religious education of the young, and

WHEREAS, We note that Senate Bills Nos. 145, 146, 147 provide for the release of children from the public schools, during school hours, for religious instruction; and

WHEREAS, The proposed bills require a connection between church and public school, in that they necessitate the filing of petitions for religious education with the public school, in that they require checking of attendance, and in other ways; and

WHEREAS, We regard any tie between church and public school, however tenuous it be, as a violation of the sane and traditional American principle of complete separation of church and State, and

WHEREAS, We believe that our children have leisure time that can be utilized for religious education, and that the responsibility of providing that education lies with home and church, and not with the State, and

WHEREAS, We feel that religion itself is ill served by State legislation therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Temple Sisterhood of Sacramento, in regular meeting assembled, do consider Senate Bills Nos. 145, 146, 147 violative of the principle of the separation of church and State, and subversive of the highest spiritual interests of our children, and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards;

Also: Assembly Bill No 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center;

Also: Assembly Bill No 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610¾, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals, and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515 and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'industrial accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and the reporting of certain election returns—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No 97—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted, as amended.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a *penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known* as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector and delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to repeal section 924 of the Political Code;

Also Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER, Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax;

Also Assembly Bill No 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1858*a*, relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance,

Also Assembly Bill No 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales,

Also Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87 and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization;

Also Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates,

Also Assembly Bill No 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control,

Also Assembly Bill No 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases,

Also Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code *and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4408a, relating to homes* and meeting places for veterans;

Also Assembly Bill No. 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3481½ thereof, as enacted by chapter CCLXXXVII of

the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts

Also Assembly Bill No 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property,

Also Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 597*h*, relating to carrying animals on automobiles,

Also Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unapportioned funds,

Also, Assembly Bill No 916—An act amending the Political Code by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 1536, to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section 3497, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JOST, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 134—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4235*m* to the Political Code, relating to the sheriff's special fund

Also: Senate Bill No 177—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax

Also Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also Senate Bill No 246—An act to amend section 2322*a*47 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner in counties of the forty-seventh class,

Also: Senate Bill No 276—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4056*c*, relating to the power of boards of supervisors to establish and maintain public airports within their respective counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 20—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 134 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 177 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 184 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 246 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 276 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 20 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers;

Also: Senate Bill No. 509—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*b*, relating to the powers and duties of governing boards of school districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 193—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another;

Also: Senate Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to schools

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 24 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 509 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No 193 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 493 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Anderson, D P.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Crittenden:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in favor of Hon. T. M. Wright, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, in the sum of $91, to cover expenses incurred during the legislative recess in connection with the work of said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Roland waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 897 was passed

Assembly Bill No. 897 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "way" insert the following: "for light and power lines".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for such time as may be determined by the state board of control."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institution; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Commencing on line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following words "amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Commencing on line 6 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following words, "approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the state blue book."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

Commencing on line 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 1 of said bill after the words "Section 1" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The secretary of state is hereby authorized to compile, or cause to be compiled, published and distributed under the direction of the state board of control, 10,000 copies of a legislative manual, state blue book or roster The volume shall be ready to distribute during the next fiscal year, and at the same time biennially thereafter"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On line 14 of the printed bill, commencing with the word "two" and ending with the word "volume", strike out the words "two dollars per volume" and insert in lieu thereof the following "at a price to be fixed by the department of finance."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of ware-

house operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out the word "proscribing", in line three, and insert in lieu thereof the word "prescribing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the first paragraph of section 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the words "when such service is rendered by an employee of the department of agriculture".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "request" insert the words "of interested party".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "request" insert the words "of interested party".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 4. The director shall issue to each employee authorized to weigh agricultural products a certificate or identification of such authority, and each employee shall, upon demand of anyone in authority, produce said certificate when entering any premises for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, lines 25 and 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in the office of the secretary of state of California" and insert in lieu thereof the words "with the director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, following the word "as" strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in his judgment will".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, lines 42 to 46, of the printed bill, strike out the words "The director may also prescribe a reasonable charge for services performed at places other than public terminal warehouses, in addition to the regular fees, in order to avoid rendering this service at a loss to the state," and insert in lieu thereof the words "The director is hereby authorized to collect such fees in advance of performing the services, but shall not be required to do so if in his opinion the benefits of this service would be lessened by such advance payments."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "natural" and insert in lieu thereof the word "reasonable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 10.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 11.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "12" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "13" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "directors" and insert in lieu thereof the word "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "leakage" and insert in lieu thereof the word "leakages".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, following the word "transit" insert the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, following the word "sealed" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 12. When it is deemed advisable to load or unload cars or cargoes of agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, the director of agriculture shall provide the necessary employees for the weighing of said agricultural products during such days and hours other than usual working days or usual working hours. The time of service or work of such employees, whether in the regular employ of the department of agriculture or hired specially for the occasion, who are provided by the director of agriculture for the weighing of agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, as aforesaid, when it is deemed advisable to load or unload cars or cargoes of agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, and who do, pursuant to the terms of this act, at the instance and request of the director of agriculture, weigh agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, when it is deemed advisable to load or unload cars or cargoes containing agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, shall not be limited or restricted to eight hours of service or work during any one calendar day while doing such weighing on days or during hours other than the usual working days or usual working hours and in case such employee, whether in the regular employ of the department of agriculture or hired specially for the occasion, shall, pursuant to the terms of this act, at the instance and request of the director of agriculture, weigh agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours on occasions when it is deemed advisable to load or unload cars or cargoes of agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours as aforesaid, be entitled to reasonable compensation for his services in weighing agricultural products on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, in addition to his compensation, salary or wages for his work and services performed during usual working days and usual working hours, said reasonable compensation for weighing agricultural products as aforesaid on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours to be fixed by the director of agriculture and the same to be paid by the party requesting such unusual service on days or during hours other than usual working days or usual working hours, to the department of agriculture, which amount of money so paid shall be in addition to the regular fees provided for weighing. All moneys collected under the provisions of this section shall be paid into a special fund under the control of the director, and an amount not exceeding such additional fees shall be paid to the employees by whom such additional service may be performed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "15" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "16" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, following the word "act" insert the words "or who shall interfere with the carrying out of any of the provisions of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "17" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, following the word "act" insert the following: ", except as provided in section 12 of this act,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 3, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "twenty-seven" insert the word "thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "18" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "'the weighmaster's act', statutes 1923" and insert in lieu thereof "an act entitled 'An act defining public weighmaster; describing his duties; providing for rules and regulations governing the performance of his duties; prescribing a bond and fixing the amount thereof; and providing penalties for any violation of the provisions of this act', approved June 8, 1915, as amended".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Between the fourth and fifth lines of the title of the printed bill, insert the following: "prohibiting persons from permitting the propagation within weed free area of weeds of which said area has been declared to be practically free"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "species of weeds which" and insert in lieu thereof the following "following species of plants:

Johnson grass (Holcus halepensis), sand bur (cenchrus pauciflorus), nut grass (Cyperus sp.), jack bur (Emex spinosa), Russian thistle (Salsola kali), camels' thorn, (Alhagi), pignut (Hoffmannseggia falcaria), puncture vine (Tribulus terrestris), mallow (Malva sp.), white mallow (Sida hederacea), Gaura weed (Gaura sinuata), hoary cress (Lepidium draba), black currant (ribes nigra), water hemlock (Cicuta sp.), spotted hemlock (Conium maculatum), Mexican whorled milkweed (Asclepias mexicana), wild morning glory (Convolvulus arvensis), cressa weed (Cressa cretica), dodder (Cuscuta sp.), Klamath weed (Hypericum sp.), wild heliotrope (Heliotropium curassavicum), white horse-thistle (Solanum eleagnifolium), Carolina horse-nettle (Solanum carolinense), chicory (Cichorium intybus), prickly lettuce (Lactuca spinosa), blue lettuce (Lactuca pulchella), creeping sow thistle (Sonchus arvensis), fleabane (Erigeron lnifolius), sunflower (Helianthus annuus), spikeweed (Centromadia sp.), tarweed (Hemizonia sp.), tarweed (Madia sp.), poverty weed (Iva axillaris), ragweed (Ambrosia sp.) burweed (Franseria sp.), cocklebur (Xanthium sp.), spiny clotbur (Xanthium spinosum), corn chrysanthemum (Chrysanthemum segetum), milk thistle (Silybum marianum), cardoon (Cynara cardunculus), bull thistle (Cirsium lanceolatum), Canada thistle (Cirsium arvense), burdock (Arctium sp.), Russian knapweed (Centaurea repense), star thistle (Centaurea sp.).

Said plant or plants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, between the words "shall and sell" insert the word "wilfully"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That in lines 4 and 5, of page 1, of the printed bill, the words and figures "two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500.00)" be stricken out and the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "two thousand dollars ($2,000 00)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

That lines 11 to 22, inclusive, on page 2 of the printed bill, be stricken out and that there be substituted the following: "maintenance of highways and bridges, said road commissioner shall have charge of the construction and the repairing and maintenance of all bridges in said county, under the order and direction of the board of supervisors and the board of supervisors may authorize said road commissioner to employ such workmen and purchase such materials and equipment, tools, and appliances and cause such work to be done as may be necessary to construct and maintain said bridges and to keep them in repair without adopting plans and specifications, strain-sheets or working details or advertising for bids as required in this section or in subdivision VII of section 4041 of this code. The cost of such construction, maintenance, and repairs shall be paid out of the county road funds or out of the general fund of the county, as provided by law."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 18 and line 19 to and including the word "hearing", and insert in lieu thereof the following.

The clerk must set the petition for hearing by the court and give notice thereof by causing notice of the time and place of hearing to be posted at the court house in the county where the court is held at least ten days before the hearing, provided the court may order such further notice to be given as in his judgment may seem proper.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Civil Code" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Code of Civil Procedure"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "possession", strike out the words "any manufactured article" and insert in lieu thereof "a radio, piano, phonograph, sewing machine, washing machine, typewriter, adding machine, comptometer, a fire arm, safe, or vacuum cleaner.".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "lien" and before the word "by" insert the following: "or liability now existing or hereafter created."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "of" and before the word "attachment" insert the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the "comma" and before the word "Or" insert the following "or upon an undertaking on release of attachment."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "and" and ending in line 26 of said page with the word "decree", strike out the following: "and date of the entry of the judgment or decree".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly-Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code relating to the protection of trout.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after "632" insert the following

Every person who, between November first and April thirtieth, of the following year, both dates inclusive, takes, catches, kills or has in his possession any variety of trout is guilty of a misdemeanor, except as hereinafter provided. Every person who, in fish and game district two and one-half, between the fifteenth day of February and the thirtieth day of June of the same year, both dates inclusive, takes, catches, kills or has in his possession any variety of trout is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who, in fish and game districts twenty-four and twenty-five between the first day of November and the twenty-ninth day of May of the following year, both dates inclusive, takes, catches, kills or has in his possession any variety of trout or white fish is guilty of a misdemeanor, *provided*, that nothing in this section shall prohibit the taking of trout between May first and October thirty-first of the same year, both dates inclusive, in any lake exceeding twenty-five square miles in area within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-five, or shall prohibit the possession within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-five of such trout so taken

Every person who, in fish and game districts twenty-three and twenty-four between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates inclusive, takes, catches or kills any trout or white fish in any stream flowing into any lake within two miles, extending from its mouth towards its source, or has in this possession any trout or white fish taken from such streams is guilty of a misdemeanor;

Every person who, between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates inclusive, takes, catches or kills any trout in any lake within three hundred feet of the mouth of any stream flowing into any lake or within three hundred feet of the outlet of any lake, or who has in his possession any trout so taken, is guilty of a misdemeanor;

Every person who, at any time, takes, catches or kills any trout except with hook and line, said hook and line to be used in the manner commonly known as angling, is guilty of a misdemeanor; *provided*, that in fish and game districts two, two and one-half, two "A" and ten not more than one trout may be taken, caught or killed by spear during any one calendar day during the entire year, except during the months of February and March

Every person who, in any fish and game district, takes, catches, kills or has in his possession during one calendar day more than twenty-five trout or more than ten pounds of trout and one trout, is guilty of a misdemeanor, *provided*, that it shall be lawful to take, catch, kill or have in possession in fish and game districts one and one-half, one "A", five, six, seven "A", eight and nine, not more than five trout regardless of weight during any one calendar day between November first and December thirty-first of the same year, both dates inclusive; *provided, further*, that in tidewater in fish and game districts two, three and ten, five trout per day, regardless of weight, can be taken and possessed between December fifteenth and the last day of February, of the year following, both dates inclusive; *provided, further*, that it shall be lawful to take, catch, kill or have in possession any number of Dolly Varden trout (Salvelinus malma or Salvelinus parkei) when such trout are taken in the open season for other trout in the same district, *provided, further*, that any person lawfully catching and killing trout in an open district may ship or transport the same into a closed district provided an affidavit is made before a justice of the peace or notary public in the county in which the trout are caught, and in which is set forth the date and place of catching such trout, the name and address of the consignee and consignor, and the number of the angling license of the consignee.

The original of this affidavit must be attached to the shipment and a copy left on file with the justice of the peace or notary public before whom the affidavit is made; *provided, further,* that it shall be unlawful at any time to offer for shipment, ship or receive for shipment or transport from the State of California, any trout caught or taken in the waters of the state.

Nothing in this section shall prohibit the possession and sale of steelhead and Dolly Varden trout from without the state nor the taking of any number of steelhead trout in fish and game districts five, six, seven "A" at such times and in such nets as is provided for the taking of salmon in those districts; nor the sale of such trout within the state when the same shall be inspected and tagged according to regulations to be prescribed by the fish and game commission The cost of such inspection and tagging must be paid by the person or persons submitting such steelhead trout or Dolly Varden trout for such inspection and tagging

Nothing in this section shall apply to trout raised under the provisions of the act authorizing and regulating the raising and selling of domesticated trout

Nothing in this section shall prohibit the fish and game commission of this state, or persons authorized by them, from taking at all times such trout as they deem necessary for the purposes of propagation, or for scientific purposes

Every person found guilty of a violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars, or more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail of the county in which the conviction shall be had not less than ten or more than one hundred fifty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. All fines and forfeitures imposed and collected for any violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the fish and game preservation fund

All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets and seines.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after "626" insert the following:

Every person who between the first day of February and the fifteenth day of October, both dates inclusive, of any year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any kind of wild duck, or goose, or brant, or mudhen, or gallinule, or Wilson snipe; or who, at any time hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any rail or wood duck or wild pigeon or any shore bird, except Wilson snipe, or any sandhill crane, whooping crane or little brown crane; or who, between the first day of January and the thirtieth day of November, of any year, both dates inclusive, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any mountain, desert or valley quail, or cottontail or brush rabbits; or who, between the fifteenth day of October and the fourteenth day of September both dates inclusive, of the following year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any grouse, or who, between the first day of October and the thirty-first day of August, both dates inclusive, of the following year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession, any dove is guilty of a misdemeanor; *provided*, that in fish and game districts 4, 4½, and 4¾ every person who between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of August of the following year, both dates inclusive, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in possession, any dove is guilty of a misdemeanor; or who, between the sixteenth day of August and the thirty-first day of July, both dates inclusive, of the following year, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession, any sage hen, is guilty of a misdemeanor, *provided*, that in fish and game district 1½ every person who, between the first day of January and the thirty-first day of October, both dates inclusive, of any year, hunts pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any valley or mountain quail is guilty of a misdemeanor; *provided*, that in fish and game district 23 any person who between the sixteenth day of October and the thirtieth day of September of the year following, both dates inclusive, hunts, pursues, takes, kills, destroys or has in his possession any mountain quail is guilty of a misdemeanor; *provided further*, that nothing in this section shall prohibit the hunting, pursuing, taking, killing or destroying of any cottontail or brush rabbit by the owner or tenant of any premises, or by any person authorized

in writing by such owner or tenant, but the rabbits so hunted, pursued, taken, killed or destroyed shall not be shipped or sold during the closed season.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "other" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "substitute"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the phrase "jammers operating as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "jammer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "loader".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, water ways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and of voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act providing for topographic surveys and investigation of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor, approved April 22, 1909.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That line 17, of page 2, of said bill be stricken out and the following be substituted "of such municipal corporation or city; *provided*, that not more than one per cent shall be charged for collecting the first twenty-five thousand dollars so collected and not more than one-fourth of one per cent for all sums over that amount. All amounts on".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

That line 9, of page 3, of the printed bill, be stricken out and that the following be substituted therefor "and the legislative body of such city, *provided, however*, that such compensation shall in no event exceed one-half of one per cent of all moneys collected for such city as in this act provided"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publications of ordinances.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the last line of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out the words "at a reasonable price, in the time, form and manner required by law", in lines 21 and 22 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the price charged for such publication shall not exceed that charged by such newspaper for legal advertisements of a private character. Should such newspaper for any reason refuse to publish any such ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings, evidence of such refusal being duly entered in the minutes, and no other newspaper within the city competent to publish same agrees to do so in accordance with the provisions of this section, then the board of trustees may elect to have same posted in three public places to be designated by said board and such posting when so made shall satisfy the requirements of publication and this provision in such cases shall prevail over any provision of law to the contrary."

So that the bill as amended shall read as follows:

An act to amend section six hundred fifty-three *a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publication of ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publication of ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 653*a*. The enacting clause of all ordinances shall be as follows: "The board of trustees of the city (or town) of _____ do ordain as follows:" Every ordinance must be signed by the president of the board of trustees and attested by the clerk and must be published by said board at least once, in a newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in such city or town; *provided*, that if there be no such newspaper published and circulated in such city or town, then all ordinances must be posted in at least three public places therein; *provided, further*, that in all cities or towns which have been incorporated less than one year all ordinances may be either published or posted as aforesaid, as the board of trustees may determine. It shall be mandatory for any newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in such city or town, to publish all ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings presented to it for publication, and the price charged for such publications shall not exceed that charged by such newspaper for legal advertisements of a private character. Should such newspaper for any reason refuse to publish any such ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings, evidence of such refusal being duly entered in the minutes, and no other newspaper within the city competent to publish same agrees to do so in accordance with the provisions of this section, then the board of trustees may elect to have same posted in three public places to be designated by said board and such posting when so made shall satisfy the requirements of publication and this provision in such cases shall prevail over any provision of law to the contrary.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and

to add a new section to said act, to be numbered 752*c*, relating to powers of boards of trustees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "July", strike out the figures "1925", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1930".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of reclamation district No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 683 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 851 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval,

Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 36 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 859 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter 287 of the statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said

districts and to add thereto a new section 3495, providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3496, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. West, Assembly Bill No. 709 was re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Assembly Bill No. 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 865 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. PERCY G. WEST IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a. m., Hon. Percy G. West, member of the Assembly from the Fifteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19*b*, 22*b* and 25 thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 265 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44, 47 and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and

the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 383 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 863 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 864—An act to validate bonds, including refunding bonds, of reclamation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 864 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 731 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to amend section 1243 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the abandonment of homesteads.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1090 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 736—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597, relating to carrying animals on automobiles.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 736 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—50
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Brock, Fisher, Gant, Hedges Jewett, Patterson, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, and Wemple—15.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold, providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the governor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called **Hueneme Harbor District; to provide for the improvement, development and protection** at Hueneme Bay of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government control, operation and maintenance of said district and harbor and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness for said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds to pay the cost thereof; and to provide for the levy of assessments and taxes by said district and the collection thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code **to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same** back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MINES AND MINING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain *tailings from hydraulic mining operations—has had the same under consideration,* and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter **III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article *IIj*, embracing sections 373 to 373*j*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources—has had the** same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9, and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California to, the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings **thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and** marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports *the same back, and recommends that it do pass.*

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1112—An act to add a new section to the **Political Code, to be numbered 359*b*, relating to the Governor's Council—has had the** same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter **III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing** sections 654 to 686, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without **recommendation, as amended.**

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FISHER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 320—An act providing for the distribution of any money appropriated by the State of California for the encouragement of county and district fairs;

Also Senate Bill No. 242—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act relative to estrays and providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, excepting certain counties from the provisions thereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California, to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

FISHER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 966—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for support, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 967—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries, Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 968—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing, binding and all other work performed and materials furnished by the Division of Printing of the Department of Finance to the Legislature for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for compensation benefits, State officers and employees, for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

And reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the ninth day of March, 1927, at 10.35 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. Melville: An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, two o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of copyists appointed by the recorder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322*x*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19*x*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Sewell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 443, 1750*b* and 1761 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Rochester:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to license and regulate the business of making loans in sums of three hundred dollars ($300) or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than twelve per centum (12%) per annum, prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned, when given as security for any such loan.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers;

Also: Senate Bill No. 77—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment;

Also: Senate Bill No. 575—An act to amend section 394 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the place of trial of certain actions or proceedings to which a county, city and county, city or public corporation or district is a party;

Also: Senate Bill No. 264—An act to amend section 4232*a* of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of jurors in counties of the third class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 247—An act relating to the passage of ordinances by cities or counties, and authorizing cities or counties to adopt ordinances relating to building construction, plumbing or electric wiring and other similar work by reference to printed codes on such subjects; provided not less than three printed copies of such code or codes, in book form, have been filed with the clerk.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 316 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bills Nos. 77 and 575 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bills Nos. 264 and 247 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 90 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry,

Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At two o'clock and twenty-seven minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills was adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Cloter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Messrs. Crittenden, Bernard, Adams and Mixter: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—Proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution, relative to water rights.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 704 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little,

Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR IN CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Charles F. Reindollar, member of the Assembly from the Seventeenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 168 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 175 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Deuel, Duval, Heisinger, Jespersen, and Jost—6.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1858*a* and relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 176 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy,

Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 916—An act to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 916 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Little, Mixter, Rochester, Sewell, and Scofield—11.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 516 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 571 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel,

Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—60

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 202—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations, and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 202 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones Jost, Kelsey, **Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.**

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts, and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 37 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, **Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan,** Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to amend section 65 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to use of rooms in buildings subject to the provisions of the act.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 406 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

GUEST ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Hon. Albert A Rosenshine of San Francisco, former Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

MOTION TO RECESS.

At three o'clock and fifteen minutes p m., Mr. Williamson moved that the Assembly be at recess for five minutes for the purpose of having Hon Albert Rosenshine address the members.

Motion carried.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock and twenty minutes p m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1020 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive, and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors, and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, insert the words "or sold" between the word "sold" and the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "provided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" between the words "because and owner".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, insert a colon after the word "sale".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "avoided" and before the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "indivisible" and before the word "or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "goods" and before the word "deteriorate" insert the word "so".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 45, of the printed bill, insert a colon after the word "contract".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "obligation" after the word "his", and insert in lieu thereof the word "obligations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 52, of the printed bill, insert a period after the word "goods" and before the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 5, line 52, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "and", and ending with the word "intend", on line 2, of page 6 of said bill, strike out the words, "and as soon as the seller acquires the goods, the property therein shall pass to the buyer without further act if the parties intend".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill, insert a dash after the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "a" after the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 6, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "pass" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "sale" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 6, line 25, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "law" and before the word "goods".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "purpose" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 7, line 2, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "unless", and ending on line 3 of said page with the word "consumption", strike out the following words: "unless the article is food in which case there is an implied warranty that it is fit for human consumption."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 7, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "to" and before the word "quality" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 8, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "in" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 9, line 42, of the printed bill, insert the word "a" after the word "of" and before the word "sale".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 10, line 21, of the printed bill, insert the word "the" after the word "either" and before the word "buyer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 11, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "voided" and in lieu thereof insert the word "avoided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 11, line 40, of the printed bill, insert the word "the" after the word "to" and before the word "bearer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 11, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "negotiate" at the end of said line and in lieu thereof insert the word "negotiated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 12, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "negotiation" and in lieu thereof insert the word "negotiations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 12, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" after the word "title" and before the word "placing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 12, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "receipt" and in lieu thereof insert the word "document".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 12, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "receipt" and in lieu thereof insert the word "document".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 12, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "however" and before the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 13, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "upon" after the word "levied" and before the word "under".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 14, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "trade" and before the word "to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 15, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "compensation" and before the word "but".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 16, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" after the word "with" and before the word "words".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 17, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "right" after the word "his" and before the word "of" and in lieu thereof insert the word "rights".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

On page 17, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the quotation marks before and after the words "in transitu".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 19, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the numerals "1777" and in lieu thereof insert a colon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 19, line 41, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "or" and before the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 19, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "re-delivery" and in lieu thereof insert the word "delivery".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 19, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "a" after the word "of" and before the word "perishable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 20, lines 49 and 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words beginning with the word "effect" in line 49, and ending in the word "transitu" in line 50, reading as follows: "effect of sale of goods subject to lien or stoppage in transitu".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO

On page 21, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "negotiation" at the end of line 6, and the beginning of line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the word "negotiations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 21, line 7, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "carrier".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 21, line 29, of the printed bill, insert the word "an" after the word "maintain" and before the word "action"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 21, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" after the word "contract" and before the word "the" and in lieu thereof insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 23, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the colon at the end of said line, and in lieu thereof insert a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 23, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "goods" and before the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT

On page 24, lines 41 and 42, of the printed bill, at the end of line 41 and the beginning of line 42, strike out the words "if possible"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 25, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "document" at the end of said line and in lieu thereof insert the word "documents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 25, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "purchaser" at the beginning of said line, and in lieu thereof insert the word "purchases".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 26, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "no" and in lieu thereof insert the words "none of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY TWO.

On page 26, line 16, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "sale" at the end of said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 26, line 17, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "sell" and before the word "made".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 26, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" after the word "law" and before the word "bills" and in lieu thereof insert the word "of".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 159, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasury of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unrepresented funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 913 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

Mr. Bernard moved that the resolution he presented on January 10, 1927, as printed on page two of the Journal of January 10, 1927, be taken up for consideration.

RESOLUTION BY MR. BERNARD

Resolved, That all persons appearing, or being, or desiring to appear, or be, at or in the Assembly Chamber, or at or in any committee room of the Assembly for

the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill, measure or resolution, introduced in, pending before, or being considered by the Assembly, or by any committee thereof, or for the purpose of soliciting the vote of any member of the Assembly upon any such bill, measure, or resolution or upon any anticipated or proposed bill, measure, or resolution, shall register with the Sergeant-at-Arms his name and address, together with a statement of the person or persons, corporation or corporations, or interest represented by or intended to be represented by him, and has filed with the Sergeant-at-Arms his written authority to represent such person, corporation or interest, and thereupon the Sergeant-at-Arms issue to such person a certificate that he has so registered in conformity with this resolution. A complete record of all persons so registered, together with their respective addresses, and the persons, corporations or interest represented by them, shall be kept, and preserved by the Sergeant-at-Arms and shall be open at all times to public inspection.

No person shall appear at or enter the Assembly Chamber, or any committee room of the Assembly, for the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill, measure, or resolution, without first having registered and secured the certificate, as herein provided.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Rules.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, March 10, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 10, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, J. R. Humphreys, principal, and W. O. Houchens, teacher, of the Stockton College of Commerce, and the following pupils: Paul Shepherd, Raymond Wolfe, Eleanor Calvin, Homer Coe, Eddie Minaglia, S. Eyre, R. Milano, A. Smith, Etta Collins, Roline Stagnaro, Yolanda Risoli, Margaret Stagnaro, Elena Solari, L. Friedberger, T. Hartman, Wm. Kilburn, George H. Grohl, Edna Jakel, Irene Heim, Dorothy Hodgson, Ruth Cofer, Katherine Finello, Virginia Ragland, Rosalie Vieira, Lorraine Schnaidt, Warren McCutcheon, Herbert Rummel, Jacob Dollinger, Berneita Gunthorpe, Vivienne Woods, Frank Warren, Robert Murphy, Alfred Silvani, Richard Freeman, Angelo Barasso, James Fugazi, Albert Cohn, Victor Bernacchi, John Tassano, Henry Reynolds, Ted Weisner, Wm. Urbani, Flora Fernandes, Eva Campanella, Minnie Rubin, Ida Preszler, Marie Crystal, Elizabeth Morris, Lloyd Steacy, Frank Moffei, Frank Lucchitti, Walter Weyand, Fay Fenton, Esther Bechthold, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Thomas J. Sewell of Mill Valley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mrs. Cronin of Stockton was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Death Valley were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. Charles Klund of Modesto was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of the San Francisco delegation, Miss Dorothy Fry of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. George Hatfield, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roscoe J. Anderson, Mr. Carl F. Mau, county surveyor of Redding, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roscoe J. Anderson, Judge Walter Herzinger of the superior court of Redding, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Albert K. Warren of Los Angeles, chief engineer Los Angeles County sanitation districts, was

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

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Carl Squires of Mill Valley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. James Russel of Mill Valley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Walter H. Robinson of Mill Valley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Mrs. Margaret B Cobb of Pasadena, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Snyder, Mr. C. D. Lewis of Watsonville, supervisor of Santa Cruz County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Roland, Hon. James G. Quinn, judge of the superior court of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Charles E. Hand of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, C. A. Jacobs, principal; Miss Romaine Kuze, Miss Marget Apperson, teachers, and the following pupils of the seventh and eighth grades, Dixon grammar school: Mary Beth Bullard, Weston Jacobs, Mrs. F. L. Atkinson, Mrs. Margaret Almeida, Mrs. Robt. McKenzie, Mrs John Pedrick, Evelyn Shellgrain, Ramona Peacock, Fern Almeida, Roberta McKenzie, Caroline Sedgwick, Margaret Schoenherr, Betty Delfelder, Kathleen Hall, Don Mace, Alfred Kilkenny, Lester Van Pelt, Tom Pritchard, Earl Dale Marker, Jule Owen Pritchard, Robert Paul McIntyre, Marion Virginia McCrimmon, Mary Elizabeth Tuck, Wilma Naomi Johnson, Zelma Painter, John Reimers, Billie Comber, Henry Timm, Edward V. Sedgwick, Jean Hitchcock, Regina McCoy, Gloria Lorraine Carpenter, Jessie Lee Ashby, Marion Timm, Arthur Raabe, William Dietrich, George E. Comber, Frank Azevedo, Austin Wamken, Edyth Jahn, Hildred Morrow, Dorothy Fegley, Marie Ehmke, Judson Madden, John Wathen, Norman Petersen, Albert Robben, John Reppert, Ebba McCann, and Gladys Pedrick were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Mrs. Aaron Schloss of Berkeley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Mr and Mrs. Frederick G. Athearn of Berkeley were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr. L. J. Thomas of Richmond, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Little, Mr. Sidney M Yoakum of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland and Miss Eleanor Miller, Mrs. Anna L Saylor, former Assemblywoman from Berkeley, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Melville, Mr. George M. Biggar of Covelo, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mrs. Williamson, wife of Assemblyman Williamson of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. W. B. Gann, supervisor of Calaveras County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. J. S. Jack, supervisor of Calaveras County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scudder, Mr. E. Euzenauer of Healdsburg was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scudder, Mr. Willard Cole of Guerneville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Scudder, Mr. Blair Hart of Petaluma was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

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

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murphy, Mr. William Lee of Siskiyou was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murphy, Dr. Peris of Siskiyou was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Chief Clerk:

LANKERSHIM, CALIFORNIA, March 9, 1927.

Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus,
Chief Clerk of Assembly,
State of California,
Sacramento, California

HONORABLE SIR At a meeting of more than 100 officers or representatives of more than sixty service clubs, chambers of commerce, realty boards and similar organizations, a resolution was unanimously adopted urging the members of the State Assembly and State Senate to vigorously oppose passage of Senate Bill No. 736 and Senate Bill No. 737

Favorable action on either or both would seriously jeopardize the lives of more than 300,000 persons in the county of Los Angeles, and the leaders of these organizations represented at this conference unanimously voted to obtain the entire support of the organizations they represented in presenting briefs to your committees to substantiate our claim that these bills are detrimental to the best interest of this county.

We will appreciate your courtesy in extending this message to the proper State authorities for consideration.

Cordially yours,

CHAS. L. WOOD,
Mgr Major Development Association
of the San Fernando Valley.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void;

Also Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement,

Also Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section,

Also: Assembly Bill No 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private

employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semiannually entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "the people of the State of California", delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 36, 45, 48, 49, 56, 58, 59 and 60, of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk, butter, ice cream and other milk products, to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk, to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service, to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service, to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for the examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculin cattle, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled 'An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage

district for warrants of reclamation districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911;" and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911, to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back with recommendation that it be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 641—An act to amend section 2322*a*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 513—An act to amend section 2322*a*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2322*a*16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of county auditors.

Also, Assembly Bill No 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class,

Also Assembly Bill No 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure,

Also Assembly Bill No 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*c*, relating to the joinder of parties defendant,

Also Assembly Bill No 379—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 391, relating to the joinder of parties to actions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, relating to the joinder of parties to actions;

Also Assembly Bill No 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant,

Also Assembly Bill No 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims;

Also Assembly Bill No 373—An act to amend section 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to demurrers,

Also Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action,

Also Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to consolidation of actions,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 720—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 1278*a*, relating to the form of undertakings of bail,

Also Assembly Bill No 721—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1305*a*, concerning the notice to defendant or surety of the forfeiture of a bail bond or deposit in lieu of bail, or of the commencement of an action for the recovery of the same,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be

numbered 1063, relating to declaratory relief—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article IV thereof, relating to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to revise an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections;

Also: Assembly Bill No 257—An act to amend section 1461 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of fines;

Also. Assembly Bill No 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein, to define the powers and duties of the state director of agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license, to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also. Assembly Bill No 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture.' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor;

Also: Assembly Bill No 445—An act to authorize the governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 752c, relating to powers of boards of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1670*a*, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*a*40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing the State Board of Forestry to receive in the name of the State of California gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident or on account of fire;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 872—An act to amend section 756 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of deputy clerks of Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for topographic surveys and investigations of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 22, 1909;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Pacific Colony Act' to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to prescribe penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly for the purpose of making a thorough study into the traffic situation on the highways of California, with particular reference as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial responsibility on the part of those owning or operating motor vehicles using the highways and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 9—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to

regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers in counties of the forty-second class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 1961/4 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the thirty-eighth class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Also: Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 336 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations;

Also, Senate Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 308 of the Civil Code, relating to officers of corporations.

Also, Senate Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

GANT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Crittenden: An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California.

By Mr. Sewell: An act to amend sections 443, 1750*b*, and 1761 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds.

By Mr. Rochester: An act to license and regulate the business of making loans in sums of three hundred dollars ($300) or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than twelve per centum (12%) per annum, prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating

the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned, when given as security for any such loan

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—57.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 568—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 793—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article IIh, embracing sections 372 to 372g, relative to a Department of Public Health;

Also: Senate Bill No. 794—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article 11*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

Also: Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 169—An act to add a new section to be numbered 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by transportation companies.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 568 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 793 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 794 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 671 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 169 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to mortgages and liens on property of transportation companies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 171—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7½ to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, conferring jurisdiction upon the Railroad Commission to award reparation against transportation companies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the granting of certificates of public convenience and necessity to foreign corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 125—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing

title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 170 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 171 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No 287 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 125 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Fry.

The roll of absentees was called, and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills was adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to license and regulate the business of making loans in sums of three hundred dollars ($300) or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than twelve per centum (12%) per annum, prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned, when given as security for any such loan.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to amend sections 443, 1750*b*, and 1761 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr Jacobson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 460 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610¼, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects."

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That the word "existing" be inserted at line 15 of page 1, of said printed bill, after the word "of" and before the word "school."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

That the word "school" be inserted at line 4 of page 2, of said printed bill, after the word "preceding" and before the word "school".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'Industrial Accident Fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 889—An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sections" add the following: "one,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, following the fourth line of the title, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the second word "section" strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "1".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 4, insert the following:

SECTION 1. Any number of persons, not less than twenty-five, residing in any county of this state owning insurable property aggregating not less than fifty thousand dollars in value, which they desire to have insured may incorporate for the purpose of mutual insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes or earthquakes.

SEC. 2. Section 8 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out "section 2" and insert in lieu thereof "section 3."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out "section 3" and insert in lieu thereof "section 4."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, following line 51, insert the following. "Fallen building clause—unless otherwise provided by agreement indorsed thereon or added thereto, if the building or any material part thereof fall, except, as a result of fire, all insurance by this policy on such building or its contents shall immediately cease."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6 of the printed bill, following line 31, insert the following: "*provided, however*, that if the insured shall fail to pay the premium on this policy within thirty days from date thereof, then this policy shall be deemed cancelled and shall be void and of no further force and effect; *and provided, further*, that this policy shall not become void as far as the interest of said mortgagee or other party to whom, with the written consent of the company, this policy is made payable until and after ten days written notice of such failure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 8, line 43, of the printed bill, after the words "only for" insert the following: "the percentage of the".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "nor shall any rate or system of rates take into account the relationship by blood or marriage of the employee to the employer or be made or charged on any basis other than the actual wage earned by the employee."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That lines 21 and 22, page 2, of said printed bill, be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "may by order, for the purpose of said election

only, reprecinct the territory in which said boundaries do not coincide, at any time prior to thirty days before such elec-".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and reporting of certain election returns.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, after the figure "2" strike out the figures "128" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "160".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 5, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "physiology" strike out the figures "64" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "96".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, line 33, of the printed bill, after the figure "4" strike out the figures "256" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "224".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, after the word "dermatology" strike out the figures "128" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "96".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "diagnosis" insert the words "of diseases effecting the feet".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 39, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "manipulative", strike out down to and including the word "hours", in line 48, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Manipulative and mechanical therapy.

Didactic and clinical chiropody	704 hours
Orthopedics	208 hours
Surgery	128 hours
Group 6. 64 hours:	
Materia medica and therapeutics	64 hours
Total	2000 hours

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out "*provided*, that the provisions" and all of lines 23 to 26 inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Copperas and epsom salts properly and plainly labeled "For live stock only and not for medicinal use" in letters of not less than one-half inch in height, and in original packages of not less than ten pounds."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 3, 1927, after the word "registration" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following "*provided, further*, that after January 1, 1933, he or she must be a graduate of a school or college of pharmacy, or a department of pharmacy of a university recognized by the California state board of pharmacy."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 3, 1927, strike out all of lines 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52, and on page 4 of the printed bill strike out all of lines 1, 2, 3.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section_____, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert in place thereof "three c".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out "3497" and insert "3493*c*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Substitute for remainder of bill the following

Sec. 3493c. In addition to the methods for levying assessments in reclamation districts which are provided in section 3456 of this code any assessment to raise funds to pay expenses for maintaining, repairing and operating the reclamation works of the district and for general expenses in conducting affairs of the district may be levied in the manner herein provided Whenever the board of trustees desires to have such assessment levied it shall adopt a resolution requiring the secretary to prepare an assessment list as follows:

1. A description of each assessed tract of land by legal subdivisions, swamp land surveys or other boundaries sufficient to identify the same.

2. The number of acres in each tract.

3. The names of the owners of each tract if known, and if unknown that fact.

4. The assessed value of each said tract according to the last equalized county assessment roll

5 A blank column for a rate to be fixed as shown hereinafter and a blank column for amount of assessment to be computed as shown hereinafter.

No mistake or error in the name of owner or supposed owner of the property assessed and no mistake in any other particular shall render the assessment thereof invalid. The said assessed value of each said tract shall not include improvements or crops thereon. Any assessment hereunder shall be estimated and levied in gold coin of the United States and is hereby declared to be levied in accordance with the benefits that will accrue to each tract of land in the district respectively by reason of the expenditure of said sums of money for said purposes When the secretary has prepared said assessment list he and a majority of the trustees of the district shall certify to the correctness of said list and thereupon said assessment list shall be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors and thereafter all proceedings with reference to said assessment list and to the levying of any assessment hereunder on the basis of said assessment list shall be taken and made in accordance with subdivision *b* of section 3456 Said assessment list, after it has been approved by the board of supervisors, shall continue in force as the basis for raising necessary funds for the purposes above specified until the trustees of said district shall elect to have another assessment list prepared hereunder. After said assessment list has been once used by the board of trustees in levying and calling an assessment on lands of the district the board of trustees upon demand of the holders of title or evidence of title representing fifteen per cent or more of the lands within the district shall proceed to have another assessment list prepared and approved hereunder for the levying and calling of further assessments for the purposes above specified All provisions of this code relating to collection of assessments and sale of land for delinquent assessments in reclamation districts shall be applicable to assessments levied in accordance with provisions of this section.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and it is hereby recommended" and all words and punctuations following to and including the period on line 15, page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "." (period).

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 137—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector and delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to repeal section 924 of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "Vallejo" insert the following: "during the year of 1914".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Hueneme Harbor District; to provide for the improvement, development and protection at Hueneme Bay of a harbor and approaches thereto; to provide for the government control, operation and maintenance of said district and harbor and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness for said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds to pay the cost thereof; and to provide for the levy of assessments and taxes by said district and the collection thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, title, of the printed bill, strike out the entire title and insert the following: "An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura county harbor district, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the sea coast of Ventura county of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura county of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 and 6 and insert: "county, excepting however that portion of said county lying north of the line separating township five north and township six north of the San Bernardino base line and also excepting Anacapa island and San Nicholas island."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the words "for the" insert the word "location".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "at Hueneme bay" and insert "on the coast of the Pacific ocean in said Ventura county and within said district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "bay" and insert the word "harbor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "bay" and insert the word "harbor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out "and freeholder".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out "the judges" and insert "a judge".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out "said Hueneme bay and harbor" and insert "coast of the mainland of said county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "harbor" and insert "coast".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out "of" and insert "for the location".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out "to be used and employed" and insert "of a harbor on said coast".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out "report" and insert "notice".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 6, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the whole of section 16 and insert new section 16, as follows:

SEC. 16 In each year after the commission shall have been authorized to incur such indebtedness and issue said bonds, the commission shall prior to the time of fixing the general tax levy for county purposes by the county supervisors of Ventura county levy an assessment upon all the taxable real property in such district sufficient to pay the interest on all bonds theretofore issued and such portion of the principal thereof as is to become due before the time of making the next general tax levy And if from any cause the revenues and current receipts of the said harbor from wharfage, dockage, permits, tolls, rents and similar sources shall appear to the commission to be inadequate to provide the funds otherwise needed for the current operation and maintenance of said harbor such assessment shall also include such amount of money as may be necessary to carry on the said maintenance and operation until the time of making the next general assessment. For the purposes of said assessment the assessment made by the county assessor of Ventura county shall be the basis and the county auditor of said county shall on or before the second Monday in August of each year transmit to the commission a statement in writing showing the total value of all taxable real property within the harbor district as shown by the assessment books of the county for that year equalized and corrected by the county board of supervisors The commission shall then by resolution determine the amount of money necessary to be raised for bond principal and interest and separately the amount if any necessary to be raised for current operation and maintenance and shall then by said resolution fix the rate of assessment for the harbor district, designating the number of cents on each one hundred dollars, on the property value basis fixed by such statement, which resolution shall constitute and be a valid assessment of such property and a valid levy of the said assessment A copy of the said resolution duly authenticated by the signatures of a majority of the commission shall not later than the last Tuesday in August of each year be filed in the office of the county auditor of Ventura county.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN

On page 7, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the first sentence and insert:

SEC 17. After the filing of the said authenticated resolution with the county auditor as aforesaid it shall be the duty of the regular county officers and they are hereby authorized to collect the said assessment from the said property in said district at the time and in the same manner as the general tax levy for county purposes If in any year it shall appear from said resolution that any portion of said assessment was levied for current operation and maintenance such portion when collected shall be deposited in a special harbor district current fund created by the commission for that purpose and may be withdrawn and used for current operation and maintenance. In each year that portion of said assessment levied for payment of bond principal and interest shall when collected be deposited in a special harbor district bond fund created by the commission for that purpose and may be withdrawn and used for the payment of principal and interest on said bonds and for no other purpose.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 7, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY

On page 7, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 8, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out "division" and insert "divisions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

On page 8, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out "fund" and insert "funds".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 9, line 1, of the printed bill, before the word "prior" insert: "It is declared to be for the interest of all the inhabitants of Ventura county that the matter of the feasibility of a harbor on said coast line be investigated and determined and therefore".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 9, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 9, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out lines 38, 39 and 40

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 9, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out "or" and insert "for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 9, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out "therefore" and insert "therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 9, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the whole of section 27 and insert:

SEC. 27. Whenever the harbor commission shall have been authorized to incur the bonded indebtedness aforesaid the said commission shall have power to improve, maintain, control and operate all tide and submerged public lands within the said district in so far as may be necessary or useful for the purposes of said harbor and to grant leases, franchises and permits for the use thereof for any purposes which to them may seem necessary or useful in connection with the operation of said harbor and to apply the revenues therefrom either to the principal and interest of the bonded indebtedness or for current operation and maintenance as they may determine.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 10, line 35, of the printed bill, insert comma after the word "before".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY

On page 10, line 36, of the printed bill, insert comma after the word "amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 10, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out "Hueneme" and insert "Ventura county".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "to" strike out the word "control" and insert in lieu thereof the word "construct".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*j*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "seventy-three *j*" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "seventy-three *i*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "373*j*" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "373*i*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 38, 39, 40 and 41 and the words "determined by a" in line 42, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "through a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2 of the printed bill, in lines 45 and 46, strike out the comma and the following: "parks and fish and game" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and parks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, in line 19, after the period following the word "resources." insert the following: "Such expenditures by the department shall be made in accordance with law in carrying out the purposes for which such appropriations were made or such special funds created."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 20 to 29 inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359*a*, relating to the Governor's Council.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to care of funds

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to 686, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "eighty-six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686*e*" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "685, both inclusive."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "25" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "100".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "purchases and custody" and insert in lieu thereof the words "service and supply".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, lines 33 to 42, strike out all of said lines 33 to 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The division of service and supply shall be appointed by and hold office at the pleasure of the governor. The chief of each division shall receive a salary of five thousand dollars per annum, and before entering upon the duties of his office shall execute to the State of California an official bond in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand dollars. The director of finance may also be chief of the division of budgets and accounts without additional compensation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "visit" insert in lieu thereof the following words "or cause to be visited".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "660".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, lines 22 to 26, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 22 to 25, inclusive, and the figures "662" in line 26, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The director of finance shall supply to the state controller a certified copy of each periodical audit of the accounts of any state institution, commission, bureau or officer.

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AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "663" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "661".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "664" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "662".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, after the period in said line add the following: "He shall also have power to acquire title to real property in the name of the State of California whenever the acquisition of such property is contemplated by law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, lines 14 to 16, of the printed bill, strike out lines 14 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "663. A state board of control is hereby created to consist of the director of finance, the chief of the division of service and supply of the department of finance, and the state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "666".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "667".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "668".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, lines 27 to 50, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 27 to 49, inclusive, and the figures "672" in line 50, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

664. The board by a majority vote shall adopt general rules and regulations governing such matters as are specifically committed to the jurisdiction of said board, and governing the presentation and audit of claims against the state for which an appropriation has been made or for which a state fund is available. In accordance with such general rules and regulations of said board the state controller shall audit such claims before drawing his warrant therefor as prescribed by law.

The board shall cause to be printed for distribution among all state officers and for the use of any one desiring to present a claim against the state, a set of the general rules and regulations adopted by the board governing the presentation and audit of demands against the state funds and appropriations.

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AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "673" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "665".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 7, and the figures "674" in line 8, and insert in lieu thereof the word "claimant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "675" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "666".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, lines 22 to 28, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 22 to 27, inclusive, and the figures "677" in line 28, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "667".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, lines 44 to 50, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 44 to 49, inclusive, and the figures "679" in line 50, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "668".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "680" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "669".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 6, lines 22 to 35, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 22 to 34, inclusive, and the figures "683" in line 35, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of this section. Claims upon the contingency funds of either house of the Legislature and for official salaries, are exempt from the operation of the provisions of this article.

"670. Whenever the chairman of the board of control has reason to believe that the controller has drawn or is about to draw his warrant without authority of law, or for a larger amount than the state actually owes, or in a manner not in conformity with the rules adopted by the board of control governing presentation and audit of claims, the chairman must notify the treasurer of state not to pay the warrant so drawn or to be drawn; and thereupon the treasurer is prohibited from paying warrant whether already drawn or not, until he is otherwise directed by the Legislature.

"671."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 6, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the words "director of finance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 6, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the words "by the department".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "684" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "672".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the words "director of finance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 7, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 7, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 7, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "they" and insert in lieu thereof the word "he".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 7, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "by the department".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE

On page 7, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "685" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "673".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "674".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 7, lines 38 to 51, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 38 to 51, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

674. At any sale of bonds by the state treasurer the director may become a bidder and purchase bonds with the funds at his disposal, and the appropriate transfer of funds must be made by the controller and treasurer on the books of their offices. No purchase of bonds shall be completed by the director of finance until the attorney general shall have approved the validity of the issue.

Except as otherwise provided by law, the director of finance with the consent of the head of the department concerned shall have the power to lease for a period of not to exceed five years any property, real or personal, of the state, which in his judgment shall be for the best interests of the state, and shall have power to authorize the sale or exchange of any property, except real estate, which belongs to the state and which, in his judgment, it shall be for the best interests of the state to sell or exchange.

All contracts entered into by any state officer, board, commission, department, or bureau for the purchase of supplies, materials, or services, shall before the same become

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 8, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686c" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "675".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686d" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Every state office, board, commission, or department to whom is given by law the authority to make purchases of materials or supplies must upon the request of the department of finance designate some certain officer or employee in such office, board, commission, or department whose duty it shall be to make such reports at such times and in such manner to the department of finance as such department shall from time to time require.

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AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, lines 28 to 39, of the printed bill, strike out all of said lines 28 to 39, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following. "it shall be construed to mean and refer to the director of finance.

677. The department of finance shall devise, install and supervise a uniform system and method of receiving, disbursing, accounting, and reporting for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 8, line 47, of the printed bill strike out the figures "686q" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "678".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 9, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686h" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "679".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 9, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686f" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "677".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 9, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686i" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "680".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE

On page 9, lines 30 to 34, of the printed bill, strike out all of said lines 30 to 34, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

681. Except as in this article otherwise provided, the department of finance shall succeed to and is hereby vested with all the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the state board of control heretofore established, the department

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR

On page 10, lines 18 and 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "such name or designation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 10, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as divesting the state board of control created by this article, of any of the powers, duties, purposes, responsibilities or jurisdiction expressly conferred upon or vested in said board by any of the provisions of this article."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 10, line 39 of the printed bill, strike out the second word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 10, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686l" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "682".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 11, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686m" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "683".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 11, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "686n" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "684".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 11, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "6860" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "685".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or corporations" and insert in lieu thereof ", corporations and/or associations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "any" insert the words "person, firm".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "any" insert the words "person, firm".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "fee" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or firms" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", firms, corporations and/or associations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "for" strike out the words "a free" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The freest possible".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the words "said license" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "license" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "when" and insert in lieu thereof the word "whenever".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "licensee" insert the following: "has failed to supply all of the information required by the provisions of paragraph (3) of this section, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "unlawfully fixing market prices, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, after the period at the end of subdivision (4) of paragraph (*d*) insert a new paragraph as follows.

(*e*) The director of agriculture or his duly authorized representative shall act as arbitrator in all cases of dispute or contention concerning the maintenance or operation of any licensed dairy produce exchange, or the by-laws, rules or regulations pertaining thereto. Upon receipt of any verified complaint concerning a licensed dairy produce exchange the director of agriculture or his duly authorized representative shall proceed to make a thorough investigation. In this connection he may conduct hearings, of which all interested parties shall receive due notice, and may require written submittals setting forth the views of any or all contending parties. In this connection he shall invite the cooperation and solicit the opinion of the federal trade commission and the bureau of agricultural economics of the United States department of agriculture. On the basis of the information so

obtained the director shall prescribe a tentative rule which shall be effective in the operation of any licensed dairy produce exchange for a period not to exceed ninety days. If after such trial period it shall appear that said tentative rule operates in a fair and equitable manner, it shall then upon order of the director of agriculture, be made a permanent rule of said licensed dairy produce exchange. If in the conduct of any such investigation it shall appear that any unlawful act or acts shall have been committed by any licensed dairy produce exchange or any of its members, the director of agriculture may initiate appropriate legal proceedings against such licensee or the members thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the paragraph designation "(e)" and insert in lieu thereof the paragraph designation "(f)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, lines 39 to 46, of the printed bill, strike out all of paragraph "(f)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "exchange", *strike out all that follows to the end of the paragraph and insert* in lieu thereof the following: "and appoint a representative to sit with the board of directors of any such exchange".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, lines 15 to 18, of the printed bill, strike out all of paragraph "(j)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, at the end of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, each section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of copyists appointed by the recorder.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322*x*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19*x*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probate officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 97—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 320—An act providing for the distribution of any money appropriated by the State of California for the encouragement of county and district fairs.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 242—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act relative to estrays and providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, excepting certain counties from the provisions thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibitions of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act, including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisons of this act, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 6 to 8, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "be it", in line 6; also strike out all of line 7 and the words "State of California, petition", in line 8, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Assembly and Senate, jointly, **That the legislature of the State of California hereby petitions".**

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed resolution, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "and be it further"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 2, of the printed resolution, after the second word "to" insert the following: "the President of the United States and to".

Amendments adopted.

Resolution ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

Amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Bernard, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 was re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed resolution, after the word "many", strike out "sections of the nation", and in lieu thereof insert "states."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed resolution, after the word "Whereas", strike out the balance of line 16 and all of line 17

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "chief clerk of the Assembly", and insert in lieu thereof "secretary of state"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed resolution, after the word "resolution", insert "under the great seal of the State of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed resolution, after the word "representative", insert "of the seventieth congress."

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87 and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 537 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher,

Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

HON. WALTER J. LITTLE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Walter J. Little, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 538 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson Rochester Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses, and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Adams, Assembly Bill No. 264 was re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their

powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease; declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance, and providing for the abatement thereof; providing for the registration of apiaries; prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit; providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr Deuel, Assembly Bill No. 298 was re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans and to select a site for a permanent penal institution for women offenders.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Miss Miller, Assembly Bill No. 445 was re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 769—An act authorizing State Board of Forestry to receive gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 769 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 608 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 872—An act to amend section 9*a*44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled, 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of county librarians in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Assembly Bill No. 872 was re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* and to add a new section, to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 688 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident (or on account of fire).

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 801 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m. the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the

same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6 and 13 and to add a new section, to be numbered 38, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one of more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments,

Also: Assembly Bill No 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to reassessments.

Also Assembly Bill No 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k* and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act, and providing limitations on the granting of such use,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 25, 27, 61 and 62, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of Merced County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMPS AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 405—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925,

Also Assembly Bill No. 399—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway,

Also Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

HAWES, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereof; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved May 23, 1921, relating to objections to work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices, vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add eighteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, to the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage, providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy

and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon,' approved May 23, 1921, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 15*a*, relating to the payment of the interest due on bonds of the district;

Also Senate Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add three new sections to said act to be numbered sections 6*a*, 6*b*, and 6*c*, respectively, relating to the annexation of territory to said district, and also adding a new section to said act to be numbered section 6*d*, relating to the control of any existing publicly owned utility in such district,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 72—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and dispositions of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county or incorporated city or town," approved April 23, 1913, by providing that the surplus funds in the treasury of municipal utility districts and flood control districts may be invested in like manner as those of other municipal corporations mentioned in said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits;

Also Senate Bill No. 71—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Banking.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Banking.

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules to which was referred a resolution presented by Mr. Bernard on January 10, 1927, and printed on page 2 of the Assembly Journal of that date—has had the same under consideration, has amended the same, and reports the same back, and recommends its adoption as amended.

JONES, Chairman

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the report and the amendment.

The question being on the adoption of the report and the amendment.

The report and amendment adopted.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution as amended.

Resolved, That all persons appearing, or being, or desiring to appear or be, at or in the Assembly Chamber, or for the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill, measure or resolution, introduced in, pending before, or being considered by the Assembly, or for the purpose of soliciting the vote of any member of the Assembly upon any such bill, measure, or resolution or upon any anticipated or proposed bill, measure, or resolution, shall register with the Sergeant-at-Arms his name and address, together with a statement of the person or persons, corporation

or corporations, or interest represented by or intended to be represented by him, and has filed with the Sergeant-at-Arms his written authority to represent such person, corporation or interest, and thereupon the Sergeant-at-Arms issue to such person a certificate that he has so registered in conformity with this resolution. A complete record of all persons so registered, together with their respective addresses, and the persons, corporations or interest represented by them shall be kept, and preserved by the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall be open at all times to public inspection.

No person shall appear at or enter the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of advocating the adoption or defeat of any bill measure, or resolution, without first having registered and secured the certificate, as herein provided.

Resolution adopted.

Also:

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation, and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security for the deposit of public funds—had had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Banking, as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Banking.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in favor of Hon. T. M. Wright, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, in the sum of $91, to cover expenses incurred during the legislative recess in connection with the work of said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
WILLIAMS.
FRY.
EDDY.
NIELSEN.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J.; Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan,

Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Kelsey:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Keaton:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act declaring a certain public highway extending from a point at or near Shavers Wells on a certain State highway extending from or near the town of Mecca to or near the city of Blythe, known as route sixty-four, to a point at or near the town of Indio on a certain State highway extending from or near the city of San Bernardino to or near the city of El Centro, known as route twenty-six, to be a State highway and providing for the construction and improvement of the same.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Murphy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Williams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jacobson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act providing for the prosecuting and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Clowdsley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Clowdsley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 88, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOWDSLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crittenden moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, insert the word "as" following the word "except".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crittenden as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 403, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRITTENDEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 938 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 673 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the Cali

fornia School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Feigenbaum, Assembly Bill No. 844 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

HON. B. J. FEIGENBAUM IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. B. J. Feigenbaum, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-first Assembly District, in the chair

Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 208 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 549 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy,

Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institution; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1166 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 86 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P, Anderson, Roscoe, J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, of the printed bill, in line 16, change the period to a semicolon and insert thereafter the following "*Provided*, that nothing in this act shall be construed as applying to the sale of manure by the owner or tenant of the premises where said manure originated."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 665, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 926 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1161 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 493 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article IV thereof, relating to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution is proposed to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A proposed amendment to article I, section 14 of the constitution, relative to the rights of private property—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor, and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells so as to unduly diminish or render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located, providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Friday, March 11, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 11, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr Miller, James A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr Duval, Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Miller, James A., Mr. Oliva was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eddy, Mr. Davis was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Snyder was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Little, Mr. Finley was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mrs. Grace Tine, Miss Lulu May Garret, Miss Marjorie M. Dunton, teachers, and the following pupils of the history and economics class of the West Side junior high school, Tracy, California: Ruth McCusker, Fontaine Harrington, Dorothy Stocking, Beatrice Stocking, Albert Cohn, Doyte Richards, Jack Jones, Gordon Taylor, Robert Chrisman, Geneva Mason, Emma Christian, Tom Eagan, Oscar Carlson, Irma Von Sosten, John Kennedy, Fred Steinkamp, John Cordes, Hazel Von Sosten, Herbert Schaur, William Hench, Helen Hansen, Evelyn Thompson, Bill Grove, Richard Springer, Marie Anton, Robert Strouse, Esther Carlson, Nellie Gardner, Dorothy Clark, Madelina Alemeda, May Brandeman, Margaret Hench, Marian Brown, and the following guests accompanying pupils: Mr. and Mrs. George M. Hench, Mrs. James Stocking, Superintendent L. E. Richards, Miss L. E. Garrett, Mrs. Lozano, Miss M. Dunton, and Mrs. Grace Fine were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Redmond C. Staats, supervisor of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bishop, Mr. William J. Hamilton, supervisor of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Smith, Mr. Grant D. Miller, coroner of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Smith, Mr. Clyde Drennan, chief deputy of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Miss Nora Story, legislative representative public school teachers, Los Angeles, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. Richard B. Eaton, nephew of Mr. Carl Behrens of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Dillinger, Hon Rowan Harding, district attorney of El Dorado county, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. Edmond S. Godchaux, recorder of the city and county of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mr. Walter Schmidt, supervisor of San Francisco, and former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Badham, Mayor George Cryer of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. George Sehlmeyer of Elk Grove was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Lenehan, Mrs. Daniel Williamson, mother of Assemblyman Williamson, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Lenehan, Miss Lucille Droniack of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Blewett and Mr. W. H. Sheets of Stockton were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hornblower and the San Francisco Assembly Delegation, Mr. Charles J. Powers, supervisor of San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Gant, Mr. Hugh P. Donnelly of Modesto, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. William M. Welch, supervisor of Kennett, Shasta County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. A. H. Gronwoldt, supervisor of Redding, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Carl Mau, county surveyor of Redding, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Albert F. Ross, district attorney of Redding, and former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Miss Janet and Elaine Levey, daughters of the Speaker of the Assembly, Edgar C. Levey, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr. Will H. Hanlon, superintendent of schools, Contra Costa County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Badham, Mr. H. Bradford Trenham, M.A., secretary of the Educational Commission, California Taxpayers' Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murphy, Mr J. H Larue of Dinuba, supervisor of Tulare County, and Mrs. Larue, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murphy, Mrs. Primmer of Porterville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Dr. G. W. Scott and Mr. L. H. Roseberry, former members of the Legislature, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322*x* 52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19*x*10 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*x*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIBRARIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9a25 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the twenty-fifth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back as amended, and recommends that it do pass.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911;" and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease, to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON OIL INDUSTRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent therewith,' approved May 30, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No 125—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No 169—An act to add a new section to be numbered 6c to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to assuming of obligations of guarantor by transportation companies;

Also: Senate Bill No 170—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to mortgages and liens on property of transportation companies;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 171—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7½ to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, conferring jurisdiction upon the Railroad Commission to award reparation against transportation companies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,"

approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the granting of certificates of public convenience and necessity to foreign corporations;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects," approved June 3, 1921

Also Assembly Bill No 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class

Also Assembly Bill No 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same,

Also Assembly Bill No 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class,

Also Assembly Bill No 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta,

Also Assembly Bill No 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising;

Also Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants;

Also Assembly Bill No 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death,
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed;

Also: Assembly Bill No 165—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 209—An act to amend section 2322*e*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and the reporting of certain election returns;

Also: Assembly Bill No 258—An act to amend section 19*a*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards,

Also Assembly Bill No 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, prohibiting persons from permitting the propagation within weed free area of weeds of which said area has been declared to be practically free, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921;

Also Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publication of ordinances, legal notices or other proceedings,

Also Assembly Bill No. 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal officers, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895,

Also Assembly Bill No 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the non-payment of such taxes, and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters, and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913,

Also Assembly Bill No 557—An act to amend section 2322*r*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class

Also Assembly Bill No 566—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915 as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class;

Also Assembly Bill No 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires,

Also Assembly Bill No 734—An act to repeal section 924 of the Political Code,

Also Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public

schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 304—An act authorizing municipal corporations to expend money for advertising or publicity purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 814—An act relating to stills and other devices for the manufacture or production of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes, providing a penalty for the violation thereof and repealing all inconsistent acts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 304 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 814 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 11 of the State Medical Practice Act relating to subjects of examination for certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing, chiropody and midwifery, approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 308 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 647 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 436—An act making full paid investment certificates issued by any building and loan association licensed by, and under the direct supervision of the Building and Loan Commissioner of the State of California in accordance with the provisions of title XVI, part IV, division I of the Civil Code, legal investments for certain purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 873 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trials in justices' courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 273—An act to add a new section to be numbered 956*a*, to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to remedial powers of the appellate courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways, to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 187 thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities;

Also: Senate Bill No. 742—An act to amend section 548 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property under attachments;

Also: Senate Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill Nos. 434 and 436 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bills Nos. 93, 273, 324 and 742 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 716 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Political Code, relating to a Department of Agriculture;

Also, Senate Bill No. 148—An act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of Capri figs, vesting the enforcement thereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, defining their powers and duties hereunder and providing a penalty for violation hereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 322—An act to amend an act known as "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No 323—An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of California by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 642*b*, relating to the investment of moneys with building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No 340—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section to be known as section 563*c*, thereto, relating to offenses against or concerning building and loan associations and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of the act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 432—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

Also: Senate Bill No 433—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bills Nos. 98 and 148 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bills Nos. 322, 323, 340, 432 and 433 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 1197 of the Political Code, relating to election ballots, the manner of voting and conduct of elections;

Also: Senate Bill No 6—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the fifty-first class;

Also: Senate Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another;

Also: Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing

title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 513 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 95 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 6 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 78 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 263 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 123 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twelve minutes a.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Coombs moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 460 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 460 was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Coombs—1.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

Assembly Bill No. 460 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and eighteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(RESUMED).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CIVIL SERVICE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913 as amended, relating to appointment to positions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

CRAWFORD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Jacobson: An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

By Mr. Kelsey: An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein

By Mr. Keaton: An act declaring a certain public highway extending from a point at or near Shavers Well on a certain State highway extending from or near the town of Mecca to or near the city of Blythe, known as route sixty-four, to a point at or near the town of Indio on a certain State highway extending from or near the city of San Bernardino to or near the city of El Centro known as route twenty-six, to be a State highway, and providing for the construction and improvement of the same.

By Mr. Williams: An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California.

By Mr. Murphy. An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to

and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No 1191—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from a point at or near Shavers Well on a certain State highway extending from or near the town of Mecca to or near the city of Blythe, known as route sixty-four, to a point at or near the town of Indio on a certain State highway extending from or near the city of San Bernardino to or near the city of El Centro, known as route twenty-six, to be a State highway and providing for the construction and improvement of the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Commitee on Claims.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

By Messrs Morrison, Hornblower and McDonough: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—Relative to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union, or of any organization of employers,

or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof, and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "conclusive" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "prima facie".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the

direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semimonthly entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "The people of the State of California," delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 27, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "the people" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The people".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk, butter, ice cream and other milk products; to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service, to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculin cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out all that follows the word "milk" to and including the word "products" in line 3.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "tuberculin" and insert in lieu thereof the word "tuberculous".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "dairy" strike out the word "laws" and insert in lieu thereof the word "law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 9, 10 and 11, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "in the full time employ of the department of agriculture of the State of California, or a veterinarian acceptable to and designated by said department. If reacting animals are found they must be removed from the herd immediately, by the owner, must thereafter be kept separate and apart from any and all cows whose milk is produced for human consumption in the raw state, and the nonreacting animals remaining in the herd must be again tested in six months by the department."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, after the paragraph designation "(*d*)" insert the following: "Pasteurized milk shall be bottled only in the plant where it is pasteurized."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "so served".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "representations", strike out all that follows to and including the word "provided" in line 22, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "intended to signify or describe the quality of market milk or cream, except those specified in this act, shall appear on any milk bottle, milk bottle cap, milk can, or other milk container; *provided*, that the use of registered trade marks or other trade symbols, which do not pertain to the quality of the product in any manner, shall not be deemed to be a violation of the provisions of this act; *and provided, further*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out line 35 and all that follows to and including the word "act" in line 40, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, or association selling or handling market milk, except the original bottler thereof, to have in his or its possession, or under his or its control, any milk bottle cap or label, except the caps and/or labels that are affixed to the filled containers at the time of delivery to said seller or handler."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "department" insert a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "maintained" omit the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 7, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "than" strike out the words "as hereinafter" and insert in lieu thereof the words "graded milk as".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by

adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out after the words and figures "33*a*", the following words: "relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district for warrants of reclamation districts", and by inserting in place thereof, the following words and figures: "authorizing a reclamation district that may have sold or transferred any of its levees or property to Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district, Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six, or any other unit or project, and received warrants issued by said Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district or Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six, or any other project thereof, in exchange or payment therefor, or may have received or may receive compensation for any property included in any plan now or that may hereafter be adopted for controlling the flood waters of Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, or their tributaries, to exchange said warrants for outstanding warrants issued by such reclamation district and also providing that in any new, additional or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon tracts of land the benefits accrued from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district exchanged or paid for by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district, and also the amount that should have been apportioned of warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district, and providing that if the amount that would have been assessed against each tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled on distribution of warrants, such excess shall be assessed to each tract of land and if the amount be less, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by such reclamation district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend by adding after the period after the word "purpose" on page 2, line 42, the following:

In any new, additional, or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon each tract of land according to the benefits that accrued to each tract of land from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district that have been so exchanged or surrendered for or paid by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district or of Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six or any other unit or project, and also the amount which should have been apportioned to each tract of land if said warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district or of Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six or any other unit or project had been distributed to said tract of land or owner thereof proportionately to the percentage which on the last assessment made by said reclamation district, said tract of land was assessed for the construction or acquisition of the levees, easements and property sold or transferred to Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district or any project thereof. If from such determination it appears that the amount that would have been assessed against any tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled if such distribution had been made, such excess shall be assessed to such tract respectively. If the amount is less than the amount to which such tract or owner would have been entitled respectively, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by the reclamation district.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*r*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*x*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural

commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures 4278, insert the following:

In counties of the forty-ninth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit.

1. The county clerk, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

2. The sheriff, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and a jailer at fifty dollars per month, to be paid out of the county treasury; *provided*, the sheriff shall also receive for his own use and benefit his necessary expenses in all criminal cases, to be allowed as other county charges are allowed by law; *and provided, further*, that the sheriff shall also receive for his own use and benefit the mileage, fees and commission for all services of all papers whatsoever issued by any court of the state

3 The recorder, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. In counties of this class the recorder may appoint a copyist for service in his office, which office of copyist for the county recorder is hereby created, and said copyist shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officers are paid.

4 The auditor one thousand dollars per annum In counties of this class the auditor may appoint a copyist for service in his office, which office of copyist for the county auditor is hereby created, and said copyist shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officers are paid.

5 The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

6 The tax collector twelve hundred dollars per annum and ten per cent of all licenses collected by him, and a deputy at four dollars per day for not more than one hundred days in any one year, to be paid out of the county treasury.

7 The assessor, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum and two deputies at a salary of five dollars each per day for not more than one hundred days in any one year, and two deputies additional, at a salary of five dollars each per day for not more than fifty days in any one year, such deputies to be paid out of the county treasury.

8. The district attorney, two thousand dollars per annum and necessary traveling expenses to be allowed by the board of supervisors

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county

12 The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law, *provided* he shall be given all work for the county in which the county employs a surveyor or civil engineer.

13. In counties of this class the township officers shall receive the following compensations, to wit In townships having a population of over four thousand, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of sixty dollars per month, and constables a monthly salary of sixty-five dollars per month The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases.

In townships having a population of more than twenty-seven hundred and not exceeding four thousand, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of thirty dollars per month, and constables a monthly salary of forty dollars per month The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases.

In townships having a population of more than one thousand nine hundred and less than twenty-seven hundred, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of twenty-five dollars per month and constables a monthly salary of thirty-five dollars

per month The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases.

In townships having a population of less than one thousand nine hundred, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of twenty dollars per month and constables a monthly salary of twenty-five dollars per month The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases; *provided*, that where a constable shall be required to travel outside of his own township, in serving or executing a warrant of arrest or any other paper in criminal case, he shall be allowed, in addition to the salary hereinbefore provided his actual expenses incurred in serving or executing the same, to be allowed by the board of supervisors; for transporting prisoners to the county jail, the actual expenses of such transportation; *and, provided further*, that for the purpose of this subdivision, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last general election of each township, by five. In addition to the above salaries allowed said justices of the peace and constables, for their services in criminal cases, they may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases.

14 Each supervisor, six hundred dollars per annum, in full payment for services as member of the board of supervisors, as member of the board of equalization and as road commissioner, and twenty cents per mile, going only, in traveling from his residence to the county seat at each session of the board Each supervisor shall also receive his necessary and actual itemized traveling expenses when traveling outside the county of Calaveras by order of the board on business connected with his office, said traveling expenses not to exceed one hundred dollars per year per supervisor

15 For attending as a grand juror, or a trial juror in criminal and civil cases in the superior court, for each day's attendance, three dollars; for each mile actually traveled one way as such grand juror, or trial juror, in the superior court, under summons or order of the court, twenty-five cents The county clerk shall certify to the auditor the number of days' attendance, and the number of miles traveled by each juror and the auditor shall then draw his warrant therefor and the treasurer shall pay the same.

SEC 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "constable", insert the words "ten dollars per month".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Such per", and strike out all of line 10, page 2, of the printed bill

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2322*x*16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, following the figures "2322*x*26" add the following:

In counties of the sixteenth class, the commissioner shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner the following inspectors and clerks to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows, to wit:

(*a*) Eight inspectors at a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month

(*b*) Six inspectors at a compensation of six dollars per diem each during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such inspectors shall not exceed eighteen thousand seven hundred twenty dollars.

(*c*) One clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerk shall not exceed one thousand five hundred dollars.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of county auditors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "by the auditor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "drawn" insert the following "and the date of expiration".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the semicolon, strike out the balance of lines 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, to the period after the word "paid", in line 17.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "thirty-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, lines 1, 2 and 3, of the printed bill, strike out everything to and including the word "class" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2322*r*27 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2322*r*27. In counties of the twenty-seventh class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "The" strike out everything down to and including the word "annum", line 27, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

One stenographer who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and such other stenographic assistants as the commissioner may deem necessary; *provided*, that the aggregate amount which may be expended in any one year for all stenographic work shall not exceed one thousand eight hundred seventy-five dollars.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1 of the printed bill, following subdivision (*d*), line 27, insert the following as a paragraph.

(*e*) One inspector to be employed for a period not to exceed three months during any one year and who shall receive a salary not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars per month plus his traveling expenses, fixed at the sum of three dollars and fifty cents per day while actually engaged in the performance of his duties.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

HON. RAY WILLIAMSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-eight minutes a.m., Hon. Ray Williamson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to joinder of parties plaintiff.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*c*, relating to the joinder of parties defendant.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 379—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 391, relating to the joinder of parties to action.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, and relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter-claims

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend section 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to demurrers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1063, relating to declaratory relief.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "numbered" strike out the words "one thousand sixty-three" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand sixty-two *a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2 of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out the figures "1063" and insert in lieu thereof "1062*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "1063" and insert in lieu thereof "1062*a*".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the entire five lines of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain a police department, to provide for the formation, government and operation of said police districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes for such purpose, and to create a board of police commissioners.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the entire bill to and including the word "thereof" on page 3, line 49, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1 Any unincorporated town or village of this state may equip and maintain a police department for the purpose of protecting and safeguarding life and property, in accordance with the provisions of this act.

SEC 2 Upon the application, by petition, of fifty or more taxpayers and residents of said town or village presented at a regular meeting of the board of supervisors of the county in which said town or village is situated, praying for the formation of a police district and setting forth the name and boundaries of the said proposed district, the board of supervisors shall fix a time and place for hearing the same and protests of interested parties not less than twenty-five nor more than thirty days after the date of presentation to said board of supervisors of said petition.

The clerk of the board shall thereupon cause notices of the filing and hearing of such petition to be posted in three of the most public places in said district Said notices shall be headed "Notice of the proposed formation of_____police protection district" (stating name of the proposed police protection district) in letters of not less than one inch in length and shall in legible characters state the fact and date of the filing of such petition, the time and place set for hearing such petition and protests of interested parties, specify the boundaries of the proposed district and refer to said petition for further particulars

The said clerk shall also cause a notice similar in substance, to be published at least once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county in which the proposed district is located, and designated by said board for that purpose Said notice must be posted and published, as above provided, at least seven days before the date set for the hearing of said petition

Any person interested, objecting to the formation of said district, or to the extent of said district, or to the inclusion of his property in said district, may file a written protest, setting forth such objections, with the clerk of said board at or before the time set for the hearing of said petition.

The clerk of said board shall indorse on each such protest the date of its reception by him, and, at the time appointed for the hearing above provided for, shall present to said board all protests so filed with him Said board shall hear said petition and protests at the time appointed, or at any time to which the hearing thereof may be adjourned, and pass upon the same, and its decision thereon shall be final and conclusive.

If any such protests be against the extent of said district, or against the inclusion of property in said district, then the board shall have power to make such

changes in the boundaries of the proposed district as it shall find to be proper and advisable, and shall define and establish such boundaries, but said board shall not extend the boundaries of said district, nor shall said board modify such boundaries so as to exclude from such proposed district any territory which will be benefited by said improvement, nor shall any territory which will not, in the judgment of said board be benefited by said improvement, be included within such proposed district. At the expiration of the time within which protests may be filed, if none be filed, or if protests be filed and, after hearing be denied or the boundaries of the proposed district be defined and established with modifications, as above provided, then said board shall be deemed to have acquired jurisdiction to further proceed in accordance with the provisions of this act.

The said board of supervisors within thirty days after acquiring jurisdiction to proceed as hereinabove provided must by resolution establish said police district and appoint three commissioners each of whom must be a resident within said district, to be known as and called a board of police commissioners of the town or village for which they are appointed who shall hold office until the second Monday in April next thereafter and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The fact of the presentation of the petition, and the order establishing the police district, shall be entered in the minutes of the board of supervisors and shall be prima facie evidence of the due presentation of a proper petition, and that each of the petitioners was, at the time of signature and presentation of the petition, a taxpayer and resident of the proposed district, and of the fact and regularity of all prior proceedings of every kind and nature provided for by this act, and of the existence and validity of the district.

SEC. 3. The board of police commissioners so appointed by said board of supervisors, and their successors, shall be authorized and empowered, and it shall be their duty:

1. To make all rules, regulations and laws necessary for the administration, operation and maintenance of the police district;

2. To call an election and to submit to the electors residing within said police limits fixed by them, the question whether a tax shall be levied and raised for the purpose of establishing and equipping a police department for the said town or village, and for the protection of life and property therein;

3. To estimate and determine the annual amount of money required for the maintenance of said police department for the ensuing fiscal year and for the costs of any other things which may be necessary for carrying out the provisions of this act, and report the same to the board of supervisors of the county in which said police district is located not later than the first day of July of each year;

4. To appoint judges, not less than three, and other officers, to conduct such election, and to issue certificates of election;

5. To determine the number of employees, if any, necessary to properly care for and protect the life and property of residents within said districts; to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation which said employees shall hold their positions at the pleasure of the board.

6. To do and perform such other acts and things as may be proper and necessary to carry out the full intent and meaning of this act.

SEC. 4. The board of police commissioners so appointed by said board of supervisors, and their successors, are further authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to purchase or otherwise acquire land and to erect thereon a police station for purposes of housing the police equipment and police apparatus, or to purchase or otherwise acquire land already improved with a building thereon suitable for housing said equipment and apparatus, and to pay for said land, improved or unimproved, as the case may be out of the annual tax provided for under paragraph 2, section 3 of this act, or by special tax to be voted by the voters within the police limits in the manner herein provided for. Said board of police commissioners may furthermore in their discretion submit to the qualified electors within said police limits at a special election for that purpose or at the annual election provided for in section 17 of this act, the proposition whether or not land shall be purchased or otherwise acquired and a police station built thereon, or the proposition of whether or not land with a police station already thereon shall be purchased or otherwise acquired, or both of said propositions, and in event of such submission the vote registered for or against the proposition or propositions so made to the voters shall be binding upon said board of police commissioners. Said board of police commissioners are further hereby empowered to sell or otherwise dispose of any such land improved, or unimproved as the case may be, theretofore by them or by their predecessors acquired for police station purposes; *provided, however*, that if the same shall have been originally acquired pursuant to the vote of the electors within the police limits, as herein permitted, then the same shall not be sold excepting by like vote of the electors within said limits. The proceeds derived from the sale of any such land or improvements thereon shall be exclusively devoted to the purchase of other land or other improvements. All real property acquired under the provisions of this section shall be conveyed to, and held in the name of the "board of police commissioners of the unincorporated town (or village) of ----------" (naming said town or village).

SEC. 5. Said election must be called by posting notices in three of the most public places in said town or village, for not less than ten days, and also, if there is a newspaper printed and published in the town or village, by advertising such notice therein at least two regular issues of the paper.

SEC. 6. Such notice must specify the time and place for holding the election, and the amount required for the establishment and equipment of said police department, and the amount of money to be raised for such purpose shall not exceed in any one year one per cent of the assessable property within the police limits, as fixed by the board of supervisors, *provided*, that the amount to be raised for the maintenance of said department each year shall not exceed one-half of one per cent of the assessable property within the police limits as fixed by the board of police commissioners.

SEC. 7. The board of police commissioners must appoint three judges and two clerks to conduct the election and it must be held in all respects as nearly as practicable in conformity with the general election law; *provided*, that no new register shall be required, nor legal ballot paper; *and provided further*, that the polls may be opened at eight o'clock a.m. and close at five o'clock p.m. on the day appointed for such election.

SEC. 8. At such election the ballots must contain the words "Tax—yes" or "Tax—no".

SEC. 9. The judges of the election shall, within twenty-four hours after holding said election, make returns and certify to the board of police commissioners said votes, showing the number of votes cast, and the number of votes in favor of, and the number of votes against the matter voted upon.

SEC. 10. The board of supervisors must, at the time of levying the county taxes, levy a tax upon all the taxable property within the police limits of the unincorporated town or village authorizing such tax sufficient to raise the amount authorized. The rate of taxation shall be ascertained by deducting fifteen per cent for anticipated delinquencies from the aggregate assessed value of the property in the district, as it appears on the assessment roll of the county, and then dividing the sum authorized by the remainder of such aggregate assessed value. The taxes so levied shall be computed and entered on the assessment roll of the county auditor and collected at the same time and in the same manner as the state and county taxes, and when collected shall be paid into the county treasury for the purpose and use of the district in which the tax was authorized.

SEC. 11. All moneys arising from the tax herein authorized to be levied and collected shall be kept by the treasurer of the county in which said town or village is situated subject only to the order of said board of police commissioners of said town or village authorizing said tax.

SEC. 12. The treasurer shall receive no compensation for the receipt and disbursement of moneys derived under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 13. They shall procure all necessary books and blanks for the purpose of keeping a correct record of their proceedings, and they shall keep a record of all their acts, of all moneys received and disbursed by them, which said books shall be open to public inspection at all times.

SEC. 14. All accounts, bills, and demands against the police department shall be audited, allowed, and paid by the board of police commissioners by warrants drawn on the county treasurer, and the county treasurer shall pay the same in the order in which they are presented.

SEC. 15. No officer or officers created by this act shall receive any compensation for his or their services.

SEC. 16. In case of a vacancy of any or all of the members of the board of police commissioners after election had, by death, resignation or otherwise, such vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the board of supervisors of the county in which said vacancy may happen.

SEC. 17. An election shall be held on the first Monday of April subsequent to the appointment of the police commissioners by the board of supervisors for the election of three police commissioners who shall take office on the next succeeding Monday of the same month. Said commissioners shall at their first meeting so classify themselves by lot that one of their number shall go out of office on the second Monday of April of the year next succeeding said first election, one thereof on the second Monday of April of the second year succeeding, and one thereof on the second Monday of April of the third year succeeding. On the first Monday of April of the year next succeeding said first election and on the first Monday of April of every year thereafter, an election shall be held for the election of one police commissioner, who shall take office on the next succeeding Monday in the same month and shall hold office for the term of three years, or until his successor is elected and qualified. Notice of such elections shall be given by the board of police commissioners by posting in three public places within the police limits for at least two weeks before the day of election. They shall also appoint the judges of election. The elections shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the general election laws of the State of California, excepting as in this act provided to the contrary.

SEC. 18. The judges of election shall, within twenty-four hours after holding said election, make returns and certify said votes, and the names of the person or

persons voted for, to the said board of police commissioners, and within five days after the returns have been received by the board of police commissioners they shall count the votes, determine who has been elected, and forthwith issue certificates of election to the persons elected

SEC 19. Each board of police commissioners shall at the expiration of their term of office, turn over to their successors all the books, and documents, belonging to the office of said board of police commissioners, taking their receipt therefor.

SEC. 20. No assessment or act relating to assessment or collection of taxes, or elections held under the provisions of this act, shall be illegal, void, or voidable on account of any error omission, or informality, or failure to comply strictly with the provisions of this act, nor on account of any misnomer, but the same shall be liberally construed, with a view to hold valid all acts done under this act.

SEC. 21. The said board of police commissioners may adopt such ordinances, as they may deem proper for the protection of life and property Such ordinances shall be signed by the said police commissioners and published in a newspaper printed in said town or village, or posted in three of the most public places thereof, for the period of two weeks, at the end of which time it shall be and become a law for the government of the inhabitants of said town or village.

SEC 22. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of any ordinance so adopted shall be guilty of misdemeanor.

SEC 23 Any justice of the peace within the townships within which said town or village is situated shall have jurisdiction of all prosecutions under this act and for violations of any ordinance adopted by said police commissioners as herein provided for, and sections 1426 to 1459 both inclusive, title IX, chapter I, of the Penal Code, are hereby made applicable to proceedings under this act.

SEC. 24. Every police district formed or established under the provisions of this act must be designated by the name and under the style of_____police protection district (using the name of the district as hereinabove provided) of _____county (using the name of the county in which said district is situated) and in that name the said board may make and award contracts and may sue and be sued.

SEC 25. All acts and parts of acts, so far as they conflict with the provisions hereof, are hereby repealed "

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings

of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, in line 1 of the title insert after the word "six" the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 8 of the printed bill, at the end of line 8, insert a new section to be known as section 2½:

SEC. 2½. That section 8 of said hereinbefore act be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8. Every contractor, person, company or corporation, including contracting owners, to whom is awarded any contract for street work under this act, shall at the time of signing and executing said contract, file with the superintendent of streets or county surveyor, a good and sufficient bond to the satisfaction and approval of said street superintendent or county surveyor, in a sum not less than one-half of the total amount payable by the terms of said contract. Such bonds shall be executed by either two or more good and sufficient sureties, or by corporate surety, as provided by law, in an amount not less than the sum specified in the bond, and must provide that if the contractors, person, company or corporation, or his or its subcontractors fail to pay for any materials, provisions, provender or other supplies or the use of implements or machinery used in, upon, for or about the performance of the work contracted to be done, or for any work or labor thereon of any kind, that the sureties will pay for the same in an amount not exceeding the sum specified in the bond, and also in case suit is brought upon such bond, a reasonable attorney's fee to be fixed by the court. Such bond must, by its terms, inure to the benefit of any and all persons, companies and corporations entitled to file claims under this

act, so as to give a right of action to them or their assigns in any suit brought upon said bond.

Any materialman, person, company or corporation furnishing materials, provisions, provender or other supplies used in, upon, for or about the performance of the work contracted to be executed or performed, or any person, company or corporation renting or hiring teams or implements, or machinery for, or contributing to, said work to be done, or any person who performs work or labor upon the same, or any person who supplies both work and materials and whose claim has not been paid by the contractors, company or corporation to whom the contract has been awarded, or by the subcontractors of said contractor, company or corporation, may at any time prior to the expiration of the period within which claims of lien must be filed for record, as prescribed by section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, file with the superintendent of streets or county surveyor, a verified statement of his or its claim, together with a statement that the same, or some part thereof, has not been paid. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of streets or county surveyor, within ten days after the completion of any such contract or work of improvement provided for in this act, or within ten days after there has been a cessation from labor thereon for a period of thirty days, to file for record in the office of the county recorder of the county where the property is situated, a notice setting forth the date when the same was completed, or on which cessation from labor occurred, together with the name of the municipality and description of the property or public work or improvement, sufficient for identification, and the name of the contractor or contractors, and the name of the surety, which notice shall be verified by such superintendent of streets or county surveyor, and in case such notice be not so filed, the failure to so file shall have the same effect as provided in section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, with reference to the "owner". Any laborer, materialman, person, company or corporation entitled to the benefit of this act as hereinbefore set forth, whose claim has not been paid by the said contractor, company or corporation, or his or its subcontractors, shall severally have a first lien upon and against the assessment, any partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment. And actions against the said municipality and/or superintendent of streets or county surveyor to establish such liens brought by any claimant who has filed claims under this act, or by his assigns, shall be governed by the provisions of sections 1184, 1184*a*, 1184*b* and 1184*c*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, and the verified notice provided for in said section shall be equivalent for all purposes to the verified claim provided for herein.

No assignment by the contractor of the whole or any part of the money, assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment, due him or to be due him under the contract, or for "extras" in connection therewith, whether made before a verified claim is filed as provided for herein or after said claim is filed, shall be held to take priority over claims filed under this section, and such assignment shall have no binding force in so far as the rights of the claimants who file claims hereunder, or their assigns, are concerned; *provided*, that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit payment to the contractor or his assigns so long as no verified claim is on file before the disbursing officer shall have actually surrendered possession of the assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bond which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassesssment, or the payment to said contractor or his assigns of any assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment, due him or his assigns over and above the total amount of the claims filed at that time plus such interest and court costs as might be reasonably anticipated in connection with said claims.

Suit against the surety or sureties on the bond of the contractor required hereunder may be brought by any claimant, or his assign, at any time after the claimant has ceased to perform labor or furnish material or both and until the expiration of six months after the period in which verified claims may be filed as provided herein. The filing of a verified claim shall not be a condition precedent to the maintenance of such action against the surety or sureties on the bond and an action on such bond may be maintained separately from and without the filing of an action against the municipality and/or officer by whom such contract was awarded. And upon the trial of any such action, the court shall award to the prevailing party a reasonable attorney's fee, to be taxed as costs, and to be included in the judgment therein rendered.

If the contractor, subcontractor or other person against whom any claim is filed as provided in this act shall dispute the correctness or validity of any claim so filed, it shall be lawful for the municipality and/or superintendent of streets or county surveyor by whom the contract for the improvement was awarded, in its or his discretion, to permit the contractor to whom said contract was awarded to deliver to such municipality and/or superintendent of streets or county surveyor a bond executed by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, in a penal sum equal to one and one-fourth times the amount of said claim, which said bond shall guarantee the payment of any sum which said claimant may recover on said claim together with his costs of suit in said action, if he shall recover

therein, and upon filing of said bond by and with the consent of such municipality and/or superintendent of streets or county surveyor, then such municipality and/or superintendent of streets or county surveyor, shall not withhold any funds, assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment from said contractor on account of said claim. The sureties upon said bond shall be jointly and severally liable to said claimant with the sureties upon the original bond inuring to the benefit to persons entitled to file claims under this act and given in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all commencing with line 12, of page 1, and ending at line 47 inclusive of page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 19. Every contractor, person, company or corporation, including contracting owners, to whom is awarded any contract for street work under this act, shall at the time of signing and executing said contract, file with the superintendent of streets a good and sufficient bond to the satisfaction and approval of said street superintendent, in a sum not less than one-half of the total amount payable by the terms of said contract. Such bonds shall be executed by either two or more good and sufficient sureties, or by corporate surety, as provided by law, in an amount not less than the sum specified in the bond, and must provide that if the contractors, person, company or corporation, or his or its subcontractors fail to pay for any materials, provisions, provender or other supplies or the use of implements or machinery used in, upon, for or about the performance of the work contracted to be done, or for any work or labor thereon of any kind, that the sureties will pay for the same in an amount not exceeding the sum specified in the bond, and also, in case suit is brought upon such bond, a reasonable attorney's fee to be fixed by the court. Such bond must, by its terms, inure to the benefit of any and all persons, companies and corporations entitled to file claims under this act, so as to give a right of action to them or their assigns in any suit brought upon said bond.

Any materialman, person, company or corporation furnishing materials, provisions, provender or other supplies used in, upon, for or about the performance of the work contracted to be executed or performed, or any person, company or corporation renting or hiring teams or implements, or machinery for, or contributing to, said work to be done, or any person who performs work or labor upon the same, or any person who supplies both work and materials and whose claim has not been paid by the contractor, company or corporation to whom the contract has been awarded, or by the subcontractors of said contractor, company or corporation, may at any time prior to the expiration of the period within which claims of lien must be filed for record, as prescribed by section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, file with the superintendent of streets, a verified statement of his or its claim, together with a statement that the same, or some part thereof, has not been paid. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of streets, within ten days after the completion of any such contract or work of improvement provided for in this act, or within ten days after there has been a cessation from labor thereon for a period of thirty days,

to file for record in the office of the county recorder of the county where the property is situated, a notice, setting forth the date when the same was completed, or on which cessation from labor occurred, together with the name of the municipality and description of the property or public work or improvement, sufficient for identification, and the name of the contractor or contractors, and the name of the surety, which notice shall be verified by such superintendent of streets, and in case such notice be not so filed, the failure to so file shall have the same effect as provided in section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, with reference to the "owner". Any laborer, materialman, person, company or corporation entitled to the benefit of this act as hereinbefore set forth, whose claim has not been paid by the said contractor, company or corporation, or his or its subcontractors, shall severally have a first lien upon and against the assessment, any partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment. And actions against the said municipality and/or superintendent of streets to establish such liens brought by any claimant who has filed claims under this act, or by his assigns, shall be governed by the provisions of sections 1184, 1184*a*, 1184*b* and 1184*c*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, and the verified notice provided for in the said section shall be equivalent for all purposes to the verified claim provided for herein.

No assignment by the contractor of the whole or any part of the money, assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment, due him or to be due him under the contract, or for "extras" in connection therewith whether made before a verified claim is filed as provided for herein or after said claim is filed, shall be held to take priority over claims filed under this section, and such assignment shall have no binding force in so far as the rights of the claimants who file claims hereunder, or their assigns, are concerned; *provided*, that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit payment to the contractor or his assigns, so long as no verified claim is on file before the disbursing officer shall have actually surrendered possession of the assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment, and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment, or the payment to said contractor or his assigns of any assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment, due him or his assigns over and above the total amount of the claims filed at that time plus such interest and court costs as might be reasonably anticipated in connection with said claims.

Suit against the surety or sureties on the bond of the contractor required hereunder may be brought by any claimant, or his assign, at any time after the claimant has ceased to perform labor or furnish material or both and until the expiration of six months after the period in which verified claims may be filed as provided herein. The filing of a verified claim shall not be a condition precedent to the maintenance of such action against the surety or sureties on the bond and an action on such bond may be maintained separately from and without the filing of an action against the municipality and/or officer by whom such contract was awarded. And upon the trial of any such action, the court shall award to the prevailing party a reasonable attorney's fee, to be taxed as costs, and to be included in the judgment therein rendered

If the contractor, subcontractor or other person against whom any claim is filed as provided in this act shall dispute the correctness or validity of any claim so filed, it shall be lawful for the municipality and/or superintendent of streets by whom the contract for the improvement was awarded, in its or his discretion, to permit the contractor to whom said contract was awarded to deliver to such municipality and/or superintendent of streets a bond executed by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, in a penal sum equal to one and one-fourth times the amount of said claim, which said bond shall guarantee the payment of any sum which said claimant may recover on said claim together with his costs of suit in said action, if he shall recover therein, and upon filing of said bond by and with the consent of such municipality and/or superintendent of streets, then such municipality and/or superintendent of streets, shall not withhold any funds, assessment, partial assessment, any reassessment and any bonds which may be issued to represent any assessment or reassessment from said contractor on account of said claim. The sureties upon said bond shall be jointly and severally liable to said claimant with the sureties upon the original bond inuring to the benefit of person entitled to file claim under this act and given in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unin-

corporated territory of a county under any street improvement act; and providing limitations on the granting of such use.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "literally" and insert in lieu thereof the word "liberally".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 27, 61 and 62 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, relating to foreclosure of liens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, following the words twenty-three, insert "twenty-four,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, following the words sixty-two, insert "seventy-six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out all printed matter down to and including line 35 on page 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the lands, lots, or portion of lots assessed, respectively, and such lien shall so continue until it be discharged of record Such lien shall be subordinate to all special assessment liens previously imposed upon the same property, but it shall have priority over all special assessment liens which may thereafter be created against the said property; and from and after the date of said recording of any warrant, assessment and diagram, all persons shall be deemed to have notice of the contents thereof. After said warrant, assessment and diagram are recorded, the same shall be delivered to the contractor, or his agent, or assigns, on demand, but not until after the payment to the said superintendent of streets of the incidental expenses not previously paid by the contractor, or his assigns; and by virtue of said warrant said contractor, or his agents or assigns, shall be authorized to receive the amount of the several assessments made to cover the sum due for the work specified in such contract and assessments."

SEC. 2. Section 24 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 24. The warrant hereinbefore mentioned, shall be and constitute full authority to the contractor, his agents or assigns, to collect the said assessments and they shall be free to make demands upon the owners by virtue of the said warrant and to demand and receive payment of the same, and give receipt therefor, and they shall, whenever the owner so demands give a receipt to him, and the street superintendent thereafter shall, upon presentation of such receipt, mark upon the said assessment note of the said payment.

SEC. 3 Section 25 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 25. The warrant shall be returned to the superintendent of streets on or after thirty (30) days after the date of recording same, with the written statement of all payments received upon the assessment, signed by the contractor, or his assigns. Thereupon the superintendent of streets shall file the statement so made with the record of the warrant and assessment by attaching it in the same book and immediately following the record of the assessment. Upon such filing the warrant shall be redelivered to the contractor, or his assigns.

The said superintendent of streets is authorized at any time to receive the amount due upon any assessment and warrant issued by him and give a good and sufficient discharge therefor; *provided*, a bond has not issued to represent said assessment; *provided further*, that when suit shall have been brought to collect the amount due upon any assessment as herein provided, the plaintiff shall file with the superintendent of streets a written notice of the pendency of said action showing the particular assessments affected by said action or actions, and after the filing of said notice the said superintendent of streets shall not receive any money on account of said assessment, and thereafter he shall have no authority to cancel said assessment or give a discharge thereof without the written consent of the owner of said assessment until judgment has been rendered in said action or the same has been dismissed. In case any warrant is lost, upon proof of such loss a duplicate can be issued, upon which collections may be made, with the same effect as on the original. After the filing of the written statement of payments as aforesaid, all amounts remaining due thereon shall draw interest at the rate of one per cent per month until paid, said interest to be computed from the date of the filing of the contractor's statement and if such amount be not paid within six months thereafter, there shall be added thereto a penalty of five per cent of the principal amounts then due thereon.

SEC. 4. Section 27 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 27. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of streets on or before the fourth Monday of September of each year to certify to the city tax collector, or in case the city taxes are collected by the county, to the county tax collector, a list of the properties within said city upon which there is a lien for unpaid assessments, as shown by the records of the street superintendent.

In cases where the county collects city taxes the notice herein provided to be attached to or pasted to or printed or stamped upon the tax bill shall if the county tax collector so requires be prepared by the superintendent of streets and shall be forwarded to the county tax collector on or before the dates herein provided for forwarding said list. Such tax collector shall cause to be pasted or attached to or printed or stamped upon the tax bill or tax receipt, a notice which shall, in substance be as follows:

"Notice of Delinquent Street Assessments."

"Notice is hereby given that there is a delinquent street assessment due and unpaid on property included in this list and that unless same be paid as provided by law, such property will be subject to foreclosure. Information relative thereto may be secured from the street superintendent of the city in which such property is situate."

At any time after the first day of July next succeeding nine months following the date of recording of such assessment, the contractor or his assignee may sue in his own name the owner of the land, lots or portions of lots assessed on the day of the date of the recording of the warrant, assessment and diagram, and recover the amount of any assessment remaining unpaid together with interest and any penalties allowed hereunder; *provided* that if any state, county or municipal taxes or other special assessment or assessments be delinquent on said property then such action may be brought at any time after ninety days after the recording of such assessment.

When suit has been brought in accordance with the provisions of this section, the plaintiff shall be entitled to have and recover fifteen dollars attorney fees on each assessment sued on, in addition to all taxable costs, notwithstanding that the suit may be settled or a tender may be made before a recovery in said action, and he may have judgment therefor, *provided*, that if the court finds an unnecessary number of actions have been brought, where the parties are identical, it may allow the costs of one action only, *and, provided further*, that such attorney's fee in any one action shall not exceed fifteen dollars where said action shall be settled before trial or where judgment shall be taken on default. Suit may be brought in the superior court within whose jurisdiction the city is, in which said work has been done, and in case any of the assessments are made against lots, portions of lots, or lands, the service of process may be had in said action, in such manner as is prescribed in the codes and laws of this state. It shall be competent to bring a single action under any such assessment irrespective of the number of lots assessed where the parties defendant are identical, and where separate actions are brought, the same may be consolidated by order of the court. The said warrant, assessment and diagram, with proof of nonpayment shall be held prima facie evidence of the regularity and correctness of the assessment and of the prior proceedings and acts of the superintendent of streets, and city council upon which said warrant, assessment and diagram are based, and like evidence of the right of the plaintiff to recover in the action. The plaintiff in such action may

recover the cost of any abstract or report of search of title procured in good faith in order to determine ownership, such search to be by a reputable abstractor or title company and such cost not to exceed five dollars per lot, and such abstract or report of search with affidavit of payment to be filed in the action.

In a complaint in any such action it shall be held sufficient to allege briefly that the city council ordered the work, the performance of the work under the contract, the making of the assessment, the issuing of said warrant and the making of said diagram; that an assessment (naming the amount) was levied against that certain lot or parcel of land (describing the same) which, according to the information and belief of the plaintiff, is owned by the defendant; that payment of said assessment has not been made.

In describing said lot or parcel of land in said complaint it shall be sufficient to refer to the same by its number upon said diagram, provided a certified copy of said warrant, assessment and diagram shall have been previously filed in the office of the recorder of the county or city and county in which the same is situated. It shall be the duty of such recorder to so file any such certified copy presented to him upon payment of the filing fee therefor, which fee is hereby fixed at fifty (50) cents.

If the contractor or his agent or any person acting in behalf of the contractor shall, prior to the filing of a complaint for the recovery of any assessment as herein provided or subsequent to the filing of suit and prior to the allowance of attorney fees and costs as herein provided, make any written demand upon or present any bill or notice in writing to such owner, demanding, requesting or notifying such owner to pay or that there is due attorney's fees or court costs in connection with the collection of such assessment, then, the superintendent of streets is authorized, upon written demand of such owner, accompanied by the affidavit of such owner, that such written demand, bill or notice for the payment of attorney's fees and costs, or either thereof, was made upon or presented to such owner prior to the commencement of suit, or subsequent to the filing of suit and prior to the allowance of attorney's fees and costs, together with such written demand, bill or notice to mark said assessment "paid" and such assessment shall thereby be deemed to be paid and the lien thereof released, *provided*, that this clause shall not be held to apply to the service of summons and complaint in a civil action.

Should suit be brought for the recovery of any assessment prior to the time permitted for bringing same as herein provided, then in such action, so brought the plaintiff shall not recover and defendant shall be entitled to have and recover such attorney's fees, as the court may deem reasonable in addition to all taxable costs and he may have judgment therefor.

SEC. 5. Section 61 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 61. When said city council shall determine that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the expenses of any proposed work or improvement under this act, it shall so declare in the resolution of intention to do said work, and shall specify the rate of interest which they shall bear. Also a notice that a bond will issue to represent each assessment of twenty-five dollars or more remaining unpaid for thirty days after the date of the warrant, shall be included in the warrant.

SEC. 6. Section 62 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 62. After the full expiration of thirty days from the date of the warrant, the street superintendent shall make and certify to the city treasurer a complete list of all assessments unpaid which amount to twenty-five dollars or over upon any assessment or diagram number, the principal of said unpaid assessment shall thereafter become due and payable to said treasurer in equal annual payments on the fifteenth day of each November succeeding the filing of said list until fully paid; the number of said annual payments shall correspond to the number of serial payments provided to be made on the principal of the bonds issued to represent said unpaid assessments, the interest on said unpaid assessments shall be payable on each fifteenth day of May and November succeeding the filing of such list of unpaid assessments, the last interest payment coming due forty-five days before the last annual payment of the principal of the bonds issued to represent said unpaid assessments, the first payment of the installment of interest shall be paid as set forth in section 60 hereof; the following shall each be for six months interest. Should any payment of principal of said unpaid assessments or of interest thereon be not paid on the date upon which the coupon or coupons representing it are payable, the city treasurer shall after the close of business on said due date add to the amount of principal or interest so delinquent a penalty of five per cent of the total amount of such delinquency, and at the beginning of business on the first day of each succeeding month until such delinquent payment and all penalties thereon be fully paid he shall add an additional penalty of one per cent of the amount of such delinquency, and said treasurer shall collect such penalties with and as a part of such delinquent payments.

The city treasurer shall at least fifteen days before each respective fifteenth day of May and November, until said assessment be paid in full, mail, postage prepaid, to each owner of property described in said assessment, at his last known address, as appears upon the tax rolls of said city, a postal card notifying him of

the amount due and the date when payment is due from him on said assessment and stating that said payment is subject to penalty if not paid on or prior to the due date of the coupons. Provided, that the failure of the city treasurer to mail said cards or the failure of the property owner to receive the same shall in no wise affect the validity of any penalty or invalidate any act or proceeding

SEC. 7. Section 76 of said act, approved April 7, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 76. In the event of the nonpayment of any installment of the interest or principal and by way of a separate distinct and cumulative remedy, the holder of any bond upon which any payment either upon the principal or of the interest has not, or shall not be made when due may, at any time after six months from the date of any delinquency of principal or interest and prior to the expiration of four years after the due date of the last installment unpaid upon any bond or of the last principal coupon attached thereto, file and maintain a suit to foreclose the lien of the bond and recover the amounts due thereon.

The complaint in such suit shall be sufficient if a true copy of the bond be therein set forth and appropriate allegation be made therein regarding the payments made upon the principal and interest of such bond, and such suit shall be brought in the superior court within whose jurisdiction the city is by which the said bond has been issued and in case the owner of the lot, or parcel of land covered by said bond, can not with due diligence be found, the service of summons in such action may be had in the manner prescribed in the codes and laws of this state. The said bond, together with proof either orally by the said treasurer of the said city or by a certificate signed by him showing the non-payment of any of the principal or interest upon said bond, shall be prima facie evidence of the right of the plaintiff to recover in said action The court in said suit shall have the power to adjudge and decree a lien against the lot or parcel of land covered by said bond and to cause said premises to be sold as in other cases of the sale of real estate by the process of said court to satisfy and discharge such bond and lien, and the amount of interest and penalties due shall be calculated in the same manner herembefore set forth in section 62 and 68 hereof, up to the date of the judgment On appeal, the appellate court shall have the same power to adjudge and decree a lien and order such premises to be sold as is conferred on the court from which an appeal is taken The court having jurisdiction of said cause shall also fix and allow a reasonable attorney's fee for the prosecution of said suit

The plaintiff in the suit may also recover the cost of any abstract or report of search of title procured in good faith, in order to determine ownership, such search to be by a reputable abstractor or title company, and such cost not to exceed five dollars per lot, and such abstract or report of search with affidavit of payment to be filed in the action.

Such premises, if sold, may be redeemed as in other cases. Such action shall be governed and regulated by the provisions hereof, and also when not in conflict herewith, by the codes of this state.

A written notice of the pendency of any action for recovery on a bond shall be filed with the treasurer and after the filing of such notice the treasurer shall not receive any money on account of said bond and he shall have no authority to cancel the entries on said bond in his register or give a discharge of said bond without the written consent of the owner thereof until judgment has been rendered in such action or the same has been dismissed.

Should suit be brought for recovery on any bond prior to the time provided herein, the plaintiff shall not recover in such suit and the defendant in such suit shall be entitled to have and recover such attorney fees as the court may deem reasonable, in addition to all taxable costs.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los

Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period after the figure 1, insert the following:

Section 1 of "An act authorizing the state director of institutions with the approval of the state board of control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles county," approved May 18, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The state director of institutions is hereby authorized to grant to the county of Los Angeles the use of the following described land or so much thereof as may be necessary as a right of way for highway and road purposes: That portion of the one hundred twenty-four and three hundred eighty-nine thousandths acres of land designated as "lands to be conveyed to state reform school" as shown on map recorded in book seven hundred twenty-four, pages two hundred sixty-six and two hundred sixty-seven of deed, records of Los Angeles county, within a strip of land fifty feet wide, lying northerly of and adjacent to King road, as shown on map recorded in book two thousand and sixteen, pages one fifty-five to one hundred fifty-seven of deeds, records of said county.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 339—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "All that portion of the public highway known as Elm avenue in the county of Fresno, commencing at the southern boundary of the city of Fresno where the said boundary is intersected by the line between sections fifteen and sixteen, township fourteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and running thence southerly along the line between said sections fifteen and sixteen, twenty-one and twenty-two, twenty-seven and twenty-eight, thirty-three and thirty-four in said township and range and continuing southerly along the line between sections three and four, nine and ten, fifteen and sixteen, twenty-one and twenty-two, twenty-seven and twenty-eight, thirty-three and thirty-four, in township fifteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and continuing southerly along the line between sections three and four, nine and ten, fifteen and sixteen, twenty-one and twenty-two, twenty-seven and twenty-eight, thirty-three and thirty-four, in township sixteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian; thence westerly along the south boundary of section thirty-three in township sixteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, to the northeast corner of section four, in township seventeen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian; thence southerly along the line between sections three and four, nine and ten, fifteen and sixteen, twenty-one and twenty-two, twenty-seven and twenty-eight, thirty-three and thirty-four in said township seventeen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian; thence westerly along the south boundary of section thirty-three in said township seventeen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, a distance of approximately five-eighths of a mile to the point where the said highway turns south into Kings county and that portion of said public highway in the county of Kings, commencing at a point on the Hanford-Coalinga state highway lateral, being at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three, township eighteen south, range

twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, running thence in a northerly direction through sections thirty-three, twenty-eight, twenty-one, sixteen and nine, all in township eighteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, to the north line of section four, township eighteen south, range twenty east, Mount Diablo base and meridian; thence in an easterly direction along the north line of said section four about three-eights of a mile to the southerly terminal of that portion of the Elm avenue highway located in the county of Fresno, is hereby declared to be a state highway and the same is hereby placed under the management and control of the California highway commission; and it shall be the duty of said commission to locate, survey, construct and reconstruct the same with such variations as may, in the opinion of said commission be advisable.

SEC. 2. The said commission is hereby authorized and directed to take such steps as may be necessary to acquire for the state all rights of way, roads, culverts, bridges, quarries, timber, machinery and appliances necessary for the construction and improvement of said highway; *provided, however*, that no public corporation or political subdivision of the state shall receive any compensation on account of said road."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereof; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved May 23, 1921, relating to objections to work.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 24 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amended" add the following: "and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered twenty-two and one-half and twenty-six and one-half, relating to the full payments of the assessments on specific parts of land within the district by the owner or interested party"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, add the following:

SEC. 2. Section 22½ is hereby added to the above entitled act to read as follows:

Sec 22½. Immediately upon the issuance of bonds provided in section 22, the county treasurer shall thereupon proceed to determine what percentage of said bond issue may properly be assessed against each separate parcel of land (not including improvements, but including any land which is the operative property of any public utility) within the district

SEC. 3. Section 26½ is hereby added to the above entitled act to read as follows

Sec 26½. Provided that at any time before commencement of proceedings for sale, the owner or any person or persons interested in any parcel of land may for the purpose of lessening or removing the lien upon his land of such bond issue deliver to the treasurer of the county his cancellation bonds up to the percentage of the issue which is properly assessed against his parcel of land, as is provided in section 22½; *provided further*, that in lieu of delivery of bonds for cancellation, such owner or interested person or persons may pay to the county treasurer an amount equal to the principal and interest of such percentage of bond issue as is properly assessable against his parcel of land Said county treasurer shall deposit all such funds received to the credit of "road district improvement and sinking fund No. —" to be used in the payment of those bonds of the given issue which may first fall due. Provided that nothing contained in this section shall

be construed to affect the method of the payment of bonds which have heretofore been issued before the enactment of the present section

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 19 of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "corporations," insert the following: "or private corporations,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices, vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first seven lines of the title of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "An act to promote the manufacture and distribution of pure fruit beverages as a means of broadening markets for California fruits; defining the powers and duties of the director of agriculture in relation thereto, including the collection of fees; prescribing penalties for violations hereof, and making provisions for use of necessary funds".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with line 1, strike out all down to and including line 21, and in lieu thereof add the following:

SECTION 1. This act shall be known and for any and all purposes shall be designated and referred to as the "California pure fruit beverages act"

SEC. 2. Recognizing the difficulties facing California producers of fruits this act is passed in order to broaden the markets for California fruits which can be utilized in making of pure fruit beverages.

SEC 3 On and after the passage of this act the state director of agriculture is empowered to investigate any fruit products factory, when requested by the owner, firm, company, organization or corporation running such plant and who desire to take advantage of the provisions of this act, in order to satisfy himself as to the suitability of the plant for the production of pure fruit beverages; and upon the submittal of proof of the operator of such factory is actually producing and plans to

continue, producing pure fruit beverages said state director of agriculture is empowered to provide a suitable certificate or seal carrying the name of the state department of agriculture and to grant the use of such certificate or seal to said bottler of said pure fruit beverages for use on bottles or other receptacles containing such pure fruit beverages; the state department of agriculture certifying by said certificate or seal that the holder thereof is licensed to sell and deal in pure fruit beverages. Subject to the approval of the state department of agriculture said certificate or seal may be made an integral part of the bottlers' existing labels.

SEC. 4. For the purposes of this act the term "pure fruit beverages" shall be construed to cover mixtures of fruit juice, water, and sugar in accordance with the pure food act of the State of California.

SEC. 5. The enforcement of this act is placed with the director of the state department of agriculture who shall be and he is herewith empowered to draft and promulgate rules and regulations as may be necessary to the successful carrying out of provisions of this act, including the making of standards of quality for pure fruit beverages.

SEC. 6. Whenever a license is granted to an individual, firm, company, organization or corporation under the provisions of this act an annual license fee of five dollars shall be charged, the said fee to be deposited in the general fund of the state department of agriculture.

SEC. 7. In the event that the director of the state department of agriculture furnishes certificates or seals, said director of the state department of agriculture is hereby empowered to make and collect a reasonable and suitable charge to cover the cost of such certificates or seals.

SEC. 8. Use of certificates or seals upon containers falsely setting forth that the contents thereof are pure fruit beverages is hereby expressly prohibited and in the event that such use is willfully and wrongfully made, either with or without a license, such wrongful use shall be deemed a violation of this act and punishable as a misdemeanor.

SEC. 9. Failure of licensee to abide by and conform to the rules and regulations of the director of the state department of agriculture shall result in immediate revocation of such license and further use of certificates or seals as herein set forth is prohibited and if persisted in shall be deemed and punishable as a misdemeanor.

SEC. 10. It shall be the duty of the district attorney of the county, or city and county, in which any violation of this act may occur, to prosecute every person, firm, company, organization and/or corporation accused of such violation, and also, at the request of the director of agriculture, or any one of his agents, deputies or assistants to institute and prosecute such actions for condemnation as may be authorized under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 11. The director of the state department of agriculture is herewith empowered to use fees received from licenses as herein provided in the furtherance of and the carrying out of the provisions of this act in addition to such other funds of his department which may be from time to time diverted to such purpose.

SEC. 12. No act which is made unlawful by any provision of an act of the legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a state laboratory for foods, liquors, and drugs, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, or any amendment thereto, shall be deemed lawful by reason of any provision of this act; nor shall this act be construed in any respect to limit the powers of the state board of health.

SEC. 13. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the title of the printed bill, strike out all beginning with the word "and" in the second line, to and including the word "products" in the fifth line, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eighteen, nineteen and twenty-one of the general dairy law of California relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the last line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "therewith" insert a comma, and the following: "and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning in line 1, with the word "an" strike out all to and including the word "amended" in line 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the general dairy law of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, before the word "unless" insert the following: "except cottage cheese,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "part skim or skim".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "pressure" insert a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "variety" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3, line 25 of the printed bill, between the words "evaporated" and "condensed" insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, between the words "evaporated" and "condensed" insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, beginning in line 29, of the printed bill, with the word "shell" strike out all to and including the word "extras" in line 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eggs or egg products".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 3 of the printed bill, line 36, after the word "agriculture" insert the following: "of the State of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, line 38, after the word "sold" insert the following: "by the manufacturer.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill strike out the words "who manufacture ice cream from butter" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "who use butter, eggs, or egg products in the manufacture of ice cream".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "cream" insert the following: "is ice cream."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning in line 12 with the word "cooked," strike out all to and including the word "cream" in line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "French custard ice cream, cooked ice cream,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning in line 15 with the word "ten", strike out all to and including the word "extras" in line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five dozen clean wholesome egg yolks, or one and one-fifth pounds of wholesome dry egg yolk with not to exceed seven per cent of moisture, or three pounds of wholesome frozen egg yolk containing not to exceed fifty-five per cent of moisture, or the equivalent of egg yolk in other form,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 4, lines 21 and 22, of the printed bill, strike out the words "connection therewith" and insert in lieu thereof the words "accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "shell eggs" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "clean wholesome eggs, or egg products.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, between lines 28 and 29, insert the following "pure and harmless".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in any manner" and insert the following: ", 'cream", 'creamy", or any other word or phrase other than those especially designated by this act, in either labeling or advertising, or in any other manner".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, beginning in line 16 with the word "without", strike out the remainder of the sentence and insert the following "and, when sold for human consumption, shall be deemed to be adulterated, if any water is added to said buttermilk".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 5, line 21 of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the word "so".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, change the initial letter in the word "lactobacillus" to a capital L.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 5, lines 30 and 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "a permit to do so" and insert in lieu thereof the words "an acidophilus milk license"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "permit" and insert in lieu thereof the word "license"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 40 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "license shall be issued. Said license shall normally expire".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, beginning in line 45 with the word "upon" strike out all to and including the word "California" in line 49 and insert a period and the following "Modified milk may be sold only upon prescription of a regularly licensed physician"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "permit to do so" and insert in lieu thereof the words "modified milk license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "permit" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 6, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "permit" and insert in lieu thereof the word "license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "permit" and insert the word "license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "butter" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 6, line 45, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "gelatin" strike out all of the remainder of the sentence and insert in lieu thereof the following "ice cream mix within limits designated by said department of agriculture".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 7 of the printed bill, beginning in line 1 with the word "no", strike out all of the remainder of the section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No person, firm, corporaton, or association, shall use the name of any product defined in this act, either orally, printed, or written, in connection with the sale of any product or substance unless said product or substance shall conform to the definitions and standards prescribed by this act. No person, firm, corporation, or association, shall make or cause to be made any statement either oral, written, or printed, nor make or print, or cause to be made or printed, any design, symbol, picture, or illustration in connection with the advertising or sale of any product, article, or compound defined in this act, which statement, design, symbol, picture, or illustration shall be false, deceptive, or misleading in any manner".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 8, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "other".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 8, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and substitute in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 8, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and demonstrated proper efficiency" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the efficiency of such method".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 9, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or corporation" and insert the word "corporation,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 9, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "manufacturing" insert a comma and the word "freezing,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 9, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "processed" insert a comma and the word "frozen,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 9, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the symbol ($10) and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "except that every person, firm, corporation, or association engaged in the business of dealing in, receiving, manufacturing, freezing, or processing ice cream, and all similar frozen products shall be required to pay a minimum factory license fee of twenty-five dollars for the manufacture of fifty thousand gallons or fraction thereof per year, and for each additional ten thousand gallons or fraction thereof manufactured per year, said applicant shall pay an additional license fee of one dollar".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 10, line 16, of the printed bill, after the words "provisions of" insert the words "this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 10, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "for its enforcement promulgated" and insert in lieu thereof the words "promulgated for its enforcement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 11, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sample" and insert in lieu thereof the word "samples".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 11 of the printed bill, beginning in line 31 with the word "responsible", strike out all to and including the word "condition", in line 32, and insert in lieu

thereof the following: "required to hold the same in an unchanged condition until delivered to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO.

On page 12, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" and insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 13, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word 'technologists" and insert in lieu thereof the word "technicians".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR

On page 14, between lines 19 and 20, of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 10 Section 18 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 18 (*a*) Every person, firm, corporation or association, not a common carrier, who receives from a private or common carrier in cans, bottles, vessels or other containers, any milk, cream, ice cream or other product of milk intended for human consumption, which has been transported over any railroad, or boat or freight line or by other common or private carrier, which said cans, bottles, vessels or other containers, are to be returned to the manufacturer, distributor, consignor or shipper, shall cause the said empty cans, bottles, vessels or other containers to be thoroughly cleansed and sterilized by boiling water or superheated steam before return shipment of the same, and every private or common carrier before accepting such cans or containers to be returned to the manufacturer or distributor shall require that each container be plainly marked with the name and address of the person returning same All milk bottles, cans or containers of any kind in which milk or any product of milk is kept, stored, transported or delivered shall be sound, smooth, free from rust, or open seams and at all times kept in a condition which will permit thorough cleansing of all surfaces with which the milk or its products come in contact Bottles, cans, tubs, cabinets, containers or other receptacles commonly used for the reception, storage or delivery of milk, cream, ice cream or other products of milk shall not be used as a receptacle for or storage place of any vegetables, fish, fowls, meats or other foodstuffs or refuse matter, bottles, or filthy or offensive substances or for any other purpose than that for which they were originally intended All empty cans, bottles, vessels or other containers delivered to the producer by the manufacturer, retailer, or distributor for the reception of milk or any product of milk shall be kept by said producer in a clean, sanitary, sterile condition and shall be used for no other purpose whatsoever. All empty cans, bottles, vessels or other containers delivered to the consumer by retailer or distributor shall be thoroughly cleansed before returning the same to the retailer or distributor.

(*b*) Any person, firm, corporation or association engaged in receiving, producing, manufacturing, packing, canning, bottling, handling or selling milk or any product of milk in containers marked or otherwise identified with the name or names of such person, firm, corporation, or association, or with any fictitious or other name or word or words or with any mark or device whatsoever, may file with the department of agriculture of the State of California a description of the name or names, or word or words, or mark or device so used, and an application for registration of the same as a brand, which application shall be accompanied by a fee of five dollars The applicant shall also cause such description to be printed once a week for three successive weeks in one or more newspapers of general circulation published in the locality or localities in which said applicant shall be engaged in business. The department of agriculture of the State of California may refuse to register a brand when it appears that the same or a similar brand has been previously registered by another, and whenever it appears that two or more applicants have applied for the registration of the same or similar brands the director of agriculture may after hearing determine the right of prior ownership in such brand; and when such right of prior ownership is determined, the director of agriculture shall refuse to register or shall cancel the registration of any duplicate or similar brand Any person, firm, corporation or association acquiring any container marked with a brand registered under the provisions of this section, by purchase or by other lawful means, shall so notify the department of agriculture of the State of California, and shall not thereafter be required again to file and publish said description, but may acquire as a part of said purchase all such benefit as the vendor had under this act. It shall be the duty of every person who finds or receives in the regular course of business or in any other manner any container marked with a brand registered under the provisions of this section to make diligent effort to find the owner thereof and to restore or return the same It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, or association, other than the registered owner to use any container marked with a brand registered under the provisions of this section, as a container for milk, or any product of milk or any other purpose whatsoever

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 14, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "10" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "11"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

On page 14, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "containers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 14, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "cream" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-EIGHT.

On page 14, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "afford" and insert in lieu thereof the word "afforded".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-NINE.

On page 15, after the end of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 12. Section 21 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 21. (*a*) It shall be the duty of the department of agriculture of the State of California to enforce the provisions of this act and the director of agriculture shall promulgate such rules and regulations as are incidental to the enforcement of the provisions and accomplishment of the purposes of this act.

(*b*) The director of agriculture, through his agents or employees, is hereby authorized to enter upon and inspect any car, truck, dairy premises, creamery, cheese factory, ice cream factory, or other place where milk, cream, or the products of milk of any kind are being produced, sold, handled, kept, transported, delivered, or used, or where the said director of agriculture, his agents or employees, has reason to believe that oleomargarine or substances designed to be used as a substitute for butter, or imitation butter, or imitation cheese, or imitation milk are being manufactured, sold, kept, delivered, transported or stored in violation of any of the provisions of this act, or where they have reason to believe that containers used in the handling of milk or any product of milk are being used, kept, delivered, transported, or stored, and to take samples of milk or any product of milk, imitation milk, or oleomargarine from such premises, and to impound and hold for evidence or pending an analysis, any milk, or product of milk, or imitation milk, or oleomargarine, or any container used in the handling of milk, or any product of milk, which he has reason to believe may be manufactured, sold, kept, delivered, transported, stored, or handled in violation of any of the provisions of this act. The director of agriculture shall cause posters to be placed in a conspicuous manner on dairies throughout the state indicating in a brief and simple manner the most important requirements for the production of dairy products.

(*c*) No tolerance in weights, measures, percentages of milk fat or moisture, or any other measure or standard shall be permitted under or according to the provisions of this act, except where specific provisions therefor are made in this act.

(*d*) The director of agriculture, through his agents or employees, is authorized to condemn any milk, cream, butter, cheese, or other product of milk which is found to be impure, unclean, unwholesome, or stale, or that is produced, manufactured, handled or kept in an insanitary place, or that is adulterated; and he shall have power to destroy, or to mark for identification with a non-toxic substance, all condemned milk, or any product of milk, *provided*, that no manufactured product of milk or cream may be destroyed without due notice to the owner thereof and a hearing before the director of agriculture of the State of California, or other officer especially designated by him.

(*e*) Upon the representation of any interested party, the director of agriculture may institute proceedings in any court of competent jurisdiction to recover to the owner thereof any container marked with a brand registered under the provisions of section 18 of this act. The expense of such proceedings shall be paid by the owner of such container, or by other interested party on whose representations such proceedings were instituted, and shall be a lien on such container.

(*f*) Containers found to be used in violation of the requirements of paragraph (*a*) of section 18 of this act shall be condemned and marked with the word "condemned" in an appropriate manner, and shall not be used again in connection with the handling of milk or any product of milk for human consumption, until they have been cleaned or repaired in a manner acceptable to an authorized representative of the department of agriculture of the State of California.

(*g*) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association to prevent or to interfere with or to attempt to nullify in any way the work of duly authorized representatives of the department of agriculture of the State of California or an approved milk inspection service maintained under the provisions of the pure milk law of California, or to interfere with or prevent any of said representatives from examining any records or books in the conduct of his official duty, or to prevent or to interfere with any of said authorized representatives in the event they deem it advisable to secure samples of milk or any product of milk, imitation milk, imitation cheese, or oleomargarine, or any substance designed to be used as a substitute for milk, or any product of milk.

(*h*) The licenses issued in accordance with the provisions of section 16 of this act, upon a hearing before the director of agriculture, of which the licensee shall have a written notice of the time and place of said hearing, and the charges made against him, may be suspended or revoked by said director of agriculture if, after

written notice, the licensee fails, after thirty days, to comply with the laws, rules and regulations under which the license was granted; *provided*, that no such thirty days' notice shall be required in cases of manipulation of the measures, weights, samples, or tests for milk fat content of milk, or cream, upon which payment is based, or the records thereof.

(i) No prosecution based on a sample or samples of milk, or any product of milk, shall be had, unless a duplicate of said sample or samples is left with the accused; *provided*, it shall not be required that samples taken in connection with the establishment of proof of fraudulent manipulation of the test for milk fat in milk, or cream, be given to the accused

(j) It shall be the duty of the district attorney of each and every county in this state, upon application of the department of agriculture of the State of California or its authorized representatives, to attend to the prosecution, in the name of the people, of any action brought for the violation of any of the provisions of this act within his county.

SEC. 13. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars to be expended by the department of agriculture of the State of California to carry out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 14. It is hereby expressly provided that this amendment shall become an integral part of the general dairy law of California and that it shall be read and interpreted in connection with the context of said act as a whole, and that it is subject to the same general provisions relating to unlawful sales, enforcement, violations and penalties as are provided by said law.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the words "reassembled from", and insert in lieu thereof the words "assembled with"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "over with any new or used materials or plates, positive or negative" and insert in lieu thereof the word "more" after the word "or" in line 4

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

SEC. 2. On each rebuilt electric storage battery the word "rebuilt" shall be marked in raised letters not less than one-half inch long on one of the connections, and on the other connection shall be marked the name of the rebuilder in letters not less than one-half inch long and also the date of the rebuilding in figures not less than one-eighth inch long.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

SEC. 3. When rubber, rubber substitute, or wood has been used and made a part of a rebuilt electric storage battery which itself is to be used for radios or motor vehicles propelled by internal combustion engines, the rebuilt battery container shall be marked by branding on one side and on one end of each container the word "rebuilt" in letters not less than one-half inch long

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

SEC. 4. When battery containers having manufacturers' names, brands or trademarks thereon, are used in a rebuilt electric storage battery, all such names, brands and trademarks shall be first completely removed from such containers.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

SEC. 5. Each rebuilt electric storage battery shall be marked in a conspicuous place thereon with its maximum discharge capacity in amperes for a continuous ten hour period

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 6 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In line 16 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add new sections, to be numbered 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, to the California Water Storage District Act, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or may become".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "petition" insert the following: "it appears that the lands sought to be excluded will not be benefited by irrigation from water supplied from said district or by reclamation or drainage of the land made necessary by the irrigation of other lands the lands shall be excluded from the district, but if".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 14 to 21, inclusive

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Section 1", strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Any portion of a county in this state, the exterior boundaries of which include a bay, harbor, or inlet of the Pacific ocean, may be formed into a harbor district for the improvement or development of such harbor, upon proceedings being had and taken as provided for in this act.

SEC. 2. The use in this act of the following words are intended to mean, do mean, and shall at all times and places be held and construed to have the meaning herein defined:

The word "harbor" means any bay, harbor, inlet, or other arm of the sea in which the tides of the Pacific ocean ebb and flow.

The words "harbor commission" shall mean any commission, board or officer in which the improvement, development, protection, maintenance, management or control of any harbor or part of any harbor in this state is by law, ordinance, or other legal authority vested or exercised.

SEC. 3. Whenever fifty or more persons in any county of this state, the exterior boundaries of which county include a harbor, desire the formation of a harbor district within the county for the improvement or development of such harbor, they may present to the board of supervisors of such county a petition in writing signed by them, which petition shall state the name of the proposed harbor district, the official name or name by which such harbor is commonly known, and whether the improvement, development, protection, maintenance, management or control of such harbor or any part thereof is vested in or exercised by a harbor commission, and set forth the exterior boundaries of the proposed harbor district, which may include incorporated territory only, or both incorporated and unincorporated territory, but shall include the whole or some part of the harbor proposed to be improved or developed, and shall generally describe the improvement and development work proposed to be done in such harbor which may include the dredging of channels, shipways, ship berths, anchorage places and turning basins, the construction of jetties, breakwaters, bulkheads, sea walls, wharfs, ferry slips and warehouses, and state the estimated cost of making such improvement or development, and of the expenses incidental thereto, and shall ask that the territory included within such boundaries be formed into a harbor district for the purpose of the improvement or development of said harbor.

SEC. 4. Each signer of the petition must be a registered voter, resident, and freeholder within the proposed harbor district.

SEC. 5. The petition must be published for at least two weeks preceding the hearing thereof in some newspaper of general circulation printed in the county, together with a notice signed by not exceeding three of the petitioners setting forth the day, hour and place when and where the petition will be presented to the board of supervisors of the county for hearing, and that all persons interested therein may at said time and place appear and be heard.

SEC. 6. At the time and place specified in the notice the board of supervisors shall consider the petition and may continue the hearing thereof from time to time not exceeding, however, a period of ninety days. At the hearing by the board of supervisors a certificate issued by the assessor of the county and filed in the proceedings, stating that the name of any signer or signers of the petition appear upon the last equalized assessment roll of the county for land assessed to any such signer or signers, and located within the boundaries of the proposed harbor district, shall be prima facie evidence that such signer is a freeholder within the harbor district, and a certificate signed by the county clerk that the name of any signer or signers of the petition is registered and uncancelled as an elector of the county, residing within the boundaries of the proposed harbor district, shall be prima facie evidence that such signer or signers are registered voters within the harbor district.

SEC. 7. The board of supervisors at the hearing shall have the right, power, and authority to change the exterior boundaries of the proposed harbor district, as set forth in the petition, by excluding therefrom such lands as in the judgment of the board of supervisors would not be benefited by the improvement or development of the harbor;

If the owner or owners of over ten per cent of the land to be included within the boundaries of the proposed district shall, at or before the time of such hearing, present to said board their written objections to having their said lands included therein, no further proceedings shall be had hereunder until the board of supervisors shall have amended the boundaries of the proposed district so that the lands described in said written objections shall be excluded from such district.

The board of supervisors shall also have the right, power, and authority to change the exterior boundaries of the proposed harbor district, as set forth in the petition,

by adding to the proposed harbor district and including therein such other contiguous lands as in the judgment of the board of supervisors will be benefited by the improvement or development of the harbor, *provided*, that no land shall be added to or included in the proposed harbor district until notice is served upon the owner or owners of the lands proposed to be added to or included in the harbor district.

The notice may be personally served upon the owner or owners of such lands or be published for the same period of time and in the same paper as the original petition and notice of hearing

The notice shall state the day, hour, and place at which said owner or owners will be heard and shall generally describe the lands proposed to be added to and included in the harbor district.

SEC 8. The board of supervisors shall also investigate and determine whether or not the improvement or development work generally described in the petition is feasible and when completed will result in the improvement or development of the harbor, and whether the estimated cost thereof and the incidental expenses in connection therewith is the reasonable and necessary cost of such improvement or development work and incidental expenses, and for the purpose of such investigation and determination may submit the improvement or development work described in the petition to engineers for examination and report

If it shall appear that the board of supervisors find that it is necessary in order to make sufficient and adequate examination upon which to determine such questions to continue the hearing beyond ninety days, the board of supervisors shall have power for the purposes of such investigation to continue the hearing for such a period of time as the board of supervisors may see fit, not longer, however, than six months from the date of the presentation of the petition; *provided*, that when the improvement, development, protection, maintenance, management or control of any harbor or any part thereof proposed to be improved or developed under this act is vested in or exercised by a harbor commission then the petition shall be submitted to and approved by such harbor commission, before the same is presented to the board of supervisors, and all investigations of the improvement or development work and of the estimated cost thereof ordered or directed to be made by the board of supervisors shall be made by or under and subject to the approval of such harbor commission.

Neither the board of supervisors or the harbor commission, if one exists, shall be bound by the improvement or development work described in the petition, or by the estimated cost thereof set forth, but may find that other, different, or a less amount of improvement or development work should be done, and the estimated cost thereof and of the incidental expenses in connection therewith

SEC. 9. Upon final hearing, if it shall appear to the board of supervisors that the petition and notice of hearing has been duly published, and that the petition is signed by a sufficient number of persons who possess the qualifications in this act required, and that a harbor exists within the county, some portion of which is contained within the exterior boundaries set forth in the petition, and can be improved and developed as generally described in the petition, and at a cost not disproportionate to the benefit to be derived from such improvement, and development, and that such improvement or development has the approval of the harbor commission, if one exists, then the board of supervisors shall cause to be entered upon the minutes of such meeting a finding of all such facts, setting forth the name of the proposed harbor district, as set forth in the petition, the official name or names by which such harbor is commonly known, and describing the exterior boundaries of the territory to be included within the proposed district, as originally set forth in the petition, or as the boundaries thereof may have been changed by the inclusion or exclusion of lands; the improvement or development work to be done and the estimated cost, and of the incidental expenses in connection therewith Said findings shall be conclusive evidence of the existence of every fact so found by the board of supervisors and of the due signing and publication of the petition and of the publication or personal service of all prior notices, and shall vest the board of supervisors with authority to proceed under this act

SEC. 10 The board of supervisors shall thereupon make and cause to be entered in said minutes an order finally determining and establishing the exterior boundaries of the district, the improvement or development work to be done in such harbor, and the estimated cost thereof, and of the incidental expenses in connection therewith, and shall pass a resolution calling an election therein for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters thereof the proposition of the formation of the harbor district and incurring a bonded debt and the issuance and sale of the bonds thereof to pay the cost of the improvement or development work in a sum not greater than the estimated cost thereof, and of the incidental expenses in connection therewith as found by the board of supervisors The board of supervisors shall by said resolution fix the date of the election which shall be not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days after the date of the passage of the resolution, and shall subdivide the district into one or more voting precincts and generally describe the boundaries of each voting precinct, and shall designate a place within such voting precinct at which the polls will be opened for the purpose of the election on the date of the election, and shall also appoint a board of election for each voting precinct, consisting of one inspector, one judge, and one clerk Every member of

a board of election must be a registered elector of and reside within the voting precinct for which he or she is appointed. The resolution shall state the object and purposes for which the indebtedness is proposed to be incurred and the amount of the principal of the indebtedness, and shall recite a maximum rate of interest to be paid on such indebtedness, not exceeding seven per cent per annum, and which shall be paid semiannually, and which rate of interest shall not be exceeded in the bonds issued for such purpose. The resolution shall also prescribe the manner of voting for or against the incurring of the indebtedness and for or against the formation of the harbor district, and in all particulars not recited in the resolution or as otherwise provided for in this act, the election shall be held in accordance with the general election law of the state, so far as the same is applicable, *provided*, that it shall not be necessary to mail or send out sample ballots or precinct polling cards.

SEC. 11. The resolution shall invite the qualified voters residing in the harbor district to vote upon the proposition by stamping a cross (×) on the ballot opposite the proposition of the formation of the harbor district and of the incurring of indebtedness thereby.

The ballot to be used at the election shall be substantially in the following form:

HARBOR DISTRICT.

OFFICIAL BALLOT.

Instructions to voters: To vote in favor of the formation of the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness thereby, stamp a cross (×) in the voting square at the right of the words "For the harbor district."

To vote against the formation of the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness thereby, stamp a cross (×) in the voting square at the right of the words "Against the harbor district."

All erasures and distinguishing marks are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you wrongly stamp, tear, or deface this ballot, return it to the inspector of election and obtain another.

PROPOSITION

"For the harbor district" (here set forth a general statement of the objects and purposes for which the indebtedness is to be incurred, and the amount of the indebtedness).

"Against the harbor district" (here set forth a general statement of the objects and purposes for which the indebtedness is to be incurred and the amount of the indebtedness).

SEC. 12. The resolution calling the election shall be published seven times in a newspaper of general circulation printed, published, and circulated within the harbor district at least six days a week, or if there be no newspaper published therein at least six days a week, then the resolution shall be published twice in a weekly or semiweekly newspaper published within the harbor district. The passage of the resolution and the publication thereof, as provided for in this section, shall be and constitute the notice of election and no other or additional notice thereof need be given.

SEC. 13. On the day of the election the polls at each of the polling places designated by the board of supervisors shall be opened at the hour of six o'clock a.m. and must be kept opened until the hour of seven o'clock p.m. of the same day, when the polls shall be closed, provided, that any elector within the polling place or standing in line thereat, and who has not had an opportunity to vote and desires to vote, shall be permitted to vote after the hour of seven o'clock p.m. of the day of election.

When the polls are closed, the board of election in each precinct shall canvass the votes thereat, make up and certify the returns thereof as near as practicable in accordance with the election laws of the State of California governing general elections and deposit the same with the county clerk of the county in which the election was held.

SEC. 14. The board of supervisors at their first regular meeting after the date of the election shall canvass all of the returns of the election, and shall cause to be entered upon the minutes of said meeting a finding showing the number of votes cast in each voting precinct for the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness, and the number of votes cast against the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness, and the total number of votes cast in all the voting precincts for and against the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness.

If from said canvass it shall appear and the board of supervisors find that a majority of the votes were not cast for the harbor district and the incurring of indebtedness thereby, it shall enter that fact upon its minutes, and no further proceedings shall be taken under said petition; *provided*, that a new petition and notice may be signed, published, and filed and a new proceeding had thereunder pursuant to this act at the expiration of one year from the date of the election.

If from said canvass it shall appear and the board of supervisors find that more than a majority of the votes cast at the election were cast for the harbor district and the incurring of the indebtedness thereby, it shall cause that fact to be entered upon the minutes, together with a description of the boundaries of the harbor

district, the name of the harbor district, and the official name or names by which said harbor district is commonly known, and enter an order of the board of supervisors declaring such harbor district to be duly formed, and to exist in the county in which the proceedings were had, and that an indebtedness of said harbor district is authorized in the principal sum specified, to pay the cost of making th improvement or development of such harbor, as set forth in the resolution

SEC 15. The clerk of the board of supervisors shall thereupon immediately make up and certify a copy of said minutes and order and transmit the same to the secretary of state of the State of California

It is hereby made the official duty of the secretary of state to file said certificate in his office, and within five days thereafter to execute under the great seal of the State of California, and transmit to the clerk of the county in which the proceedings were had, his certificate that a harbor district under the name set forth in the petition has been formed and exists in said county. The clerk of the county shall file such certificate in his office and from the filing of such certificate of the secretary of state in the office of the county clerk, the formation of the harbor district shall be complete, with an authorized indebtedness in the sum specified in the resolution calling the election, and no action or proceeding of any character shall be thereafter maintained or prosecuted in any court whatever to test or to invalidate the formation of the district or the authorized indebtedness thereof unless the same shall be commenced in a court of competent jurisdiction within sixty days after the date of the filing of the certificate of the secretary of state in the office of the county clerk.

SEC. 16 The board of supervisors shall pass a resolution providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to represent the principal of the indebtedness authorized to pay the cost of the improvement or development work in such harbor, and shall prescribe the form of such bonds.

SEC. 17 All bonds issued under this act shall be payable substantially in the following manner a part to be determined by the board of supervisors, which shall be not less than one-fortieth part of the whole amount of such indebtedness, shall be paid each and every year on a day and date, and at a place or places to be fixed by the board of supervisors, and designated in the bonds, together with interest on all sums unpaid at such date.

The bonds shall be issued in such denomination as the board of supervisors of the county may determine, except that no bond shall be of a less denomination than one hundred dollars, nor of a greater denomination than one thousand dollars, and shall be payable on the date and at the place or places fixed in such bond, and with interest at the rate specified in the bond, which shall not exceed the sum of seven per cent per annum and shall be payable semiannually

The bonds shall be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors, and also signed by the treasurer of the county, and shall be countersigned by the auditor thereof. The coupons upon said bonds shall be numbered consecutively and signed by the county treasurer. In case any of such officers whose signature or countersignatures appear on the bonds or coupons shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such bonds to the purchaser, such signature or counter-signature shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if they had remained in office until the delivery of the bonds.

SEC 18 All such bonds may be issued and sold by the board of supervisors of the county as they may determine, but for not less than their par value and the interest accrued thereon at the date of their delivery, and the proceeds of such bonds shall be placed in the treasury of the county to the credit of the proper improvement fund, and shall be applied exclusively to the purposes and objects mentioned in the resolution and for which the same was voted.

SEC 19. Whenever the money for which the indebtedness was incurred shall be in the treasury of the county, the board of supervisors are authorized to employ and pay all necessary engineers and other experts to prepare plans, profiles, specifications, advertisement for bids, and contracts necessary in the doing of said work All work under this act shall be done by contract let the lowest regular responsible bidder or bidders *provided*, that separate portions of said work may be let to different contractors. Notice inviting bids shall be published twice in a daily or weekly newspaper designated by the board of supervisors for that purpose, and the notice may set forth such requirements as the board of supervisors may deem advisable

SEC 20 When any improvement or development work done under the authority of the board of supervisors shall be complete, the maintenance, management and control of the work done shall pass to and be vested in the board of supervisors, and the board of supervisors shall have power to employ and pay all necessary agents, servants and employees to manage, maintain and control the same; *provided, however*, anything in this act to the contrary notwithstanding, if the improvement, development, protection, maintenance, management or control of the whole or a part of any harbor improved or developed under this act, is vested in or exercised by a harbor commission, then all money raised by the sale of bonds as provided for in this act, shall be by the board of supervisors deposited to the credit and control of such harbor commission, and it shall be the duty of the harbor commission to proceed to make the improvement or development under the same authority

and regulations and in the same manner as other improvement or development work is carried on by said harbor commission, and the improvement or development when completed shall be under the control of said harbor commission

All bonds issued under this act shall be the obligation of the harbor district and so long as any of said bonds shall be outstanding and unpaid the board of supervisors of the county shall at the time of fixing the general tax levy and in the manner for such general tax levy provided, levy and collect annually until said bonds are paid, or until there shall be a sum in the treasury of the county set apart for that purpose to meet all sums coming due for principal and interest on such bonds, a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds and also such part of the principal thereof as shall become due before the time for fixing the next general tax levy.

The taxes herein required to be levied shall be levied upon all of the taxable property within the harbor district and therein taxable for county purposes, and shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for county purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other county taxes are collected, and be used for no other purpose than the payment of said bonds and accruing interest.

The board of supervisors shall at the same time and in the same manner have power to levy upon all of the property in the harbor district a tax sufficient to pay the ordinary annual expenses of the harbor district.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "fix" insert the words "and collect".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "charge" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and collect the same".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the last four words and strike out all of lines 11 to 18, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "which may provide, in the case of water for irrigation, that tolls or charges will be payable only in case of the delivery of water in excess of a specified quantity per unit of land."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and

improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the period (.) following the word "therefor" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon (;) and add the following "*provided, however*, that there shall be and there is hereby specifically reserved to the county of Marin, State of California, a right of way over, on, across and through any and all real property selected or acquired as such park, for the purpose of the construction and maintenance of a public highway between Mill Valley and Stinson Beach in said county of Marin. The route of said public highway shall be selected by the board of supervisors of said county of Marin."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3 of the printed bill, after line 30, add the following

SEC 10. In the event of the creation by law, and the appointment by the governor, of a state park commission, with authority to administer, protect and develop all parks outside the limits of incorporated cities, heretofore or hereafter created or acquired by the State of California, such state park commission shall succeed to and possess all the rights, powers and duties of the Tamalpais state park commission, and shall administer and apply the appropriation hereby made, for the purposes specified in this act, and Tamalpais state park commission shall cease to exist, and all of the provisions of the act creating such state park commission, and of all laws supplementary or amendatory thereto or granting rights, powers or duties to said state park commission, or applicable to the state park system, shall be applicable to Tamalpais state park.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "be" and insert in lieu thereof the words "by an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "therefor" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "*provided, however*, that there shall be and there is hereby specifically reserved to the county of Marin, State of California, a right of way over, on, across and through any and all real property selected or acquired as such park, for the purpose of the construction and maintenance of a public highway between Mill Valley and Stinson Beach in said county of Marin. The route of said public highway shall be selected by the board of supervisors of said county of Marin."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3 of the printed bill, after line 13, add the following

SEC 9. In the event of the creation by law, and the appointment by the governor, of a state park commission, with authority to administer, protect and develop all parks, outside the limits of incorporated cities, heretofore or hereafter

created or acquired by the State of California, such state park commission shall succeed to and possess all the rights, powers and duties of the Tamalpais state park commission, and shall administer and apply the appropriation hereby made for the purposes specified in this act, and Tamalpais state park commission shall cease to exist, and all of the provisions of the act creating such state park commission, and of all laws supplementary or amendatory thereto or granting rights, powers or duties to said state park commission, or applicable to the state park system, shall be applicable to Tamalpais state park.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells so as to unduly diminish or render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following, "so as to unduly diminish or" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "in such undue quantities as to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "diminished", strike out the period and insert the following: "by reason of the incursion of salt water into the underlying basin due to the lowering of the said water table".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 14, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. No person, firm or corporation shall pump or cause to be pumped or otherwise extract fresh water from any well or wells in such unreasonable or undue quantities as to unduly and unreasonably diminish the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells so as to render the same unfit for use by reason of the incursion of salt water due to the lowering of the water table or otherwise cause the changing of any fresh water well or wells to salt water well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished by reason of the incursion of salt water into the underlying basin due to the said lowering of the water table.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof of the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in

case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardian, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered *2b*, *2c* and *2d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the title of the printed bill, in lines 15, 16, 17 and 18 of said page of said title, strike out the words, "providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use water; providing for the approval of the state superintendent of banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers, providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the title of the printed bill, in line 29 of said page of the title, strike out the words "section 2" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sections *1a*, 2 and 8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the title of the printed bill, in line 2 of said page of the title, strike out the words "and the selection of officers thereof." and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the words "1*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, lines 15 to 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use water; providing for the approval of the state superintendent of banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfer may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 28 and 29 insert the following:

SEC. 1*a*. All or any part of lands embraced within the boundaries of any irrigation district now or hereafter organized under any law or laws whatsoever of the State of California may be organized into or included in a water district formed under the provisions of this act; *provided*, that eighty per cent of the land within the boundaries of the proposed water district is not, at the time of the formation of the water district, under irrigation from the works of such irrigation district; *provided further*, that no land within an irrigation district which is also within the boundaries of a water district formed under the provisions hereof shall be released from any of the burdens, obligations, liabilities, or control of or under said irrigation district by virtue of the formation of the water district and shall in every respect continue to be a part of said irrigation district despite the formation of said water district; *provided, further*, that such water district may not issue bonds in excess of such an amount as may be authorized and designated by the irrigation district bond

commission created by the act entitled, "An act relating to bonds of irrigation districts, providing under what circumstances such bonds shall be legal investments for funds of banks, insurance companies and trust companies, trust funds, state school funds and any money or funds which may now or hereafter be invested in bonds of cities, cities and counties, counties, school districts or municipalities, and providing under what circumstances the use of bonds of irrigation districts as security for the performance of any act may be authorized," approved June 13, 1913, or such other state commission, department or agency that may supersede said commission or succeed to its functions. The term irrigation as used in this section means and includes any district organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of conserving or supplying water for irrigation.

SEC. 2. Section 2 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, lines 29 to 32, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "may be presented to the board of supervisors of the county in which the lands embraced within such proposed district or the greater portion of said lands are situated at any meeting of said board and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "districts" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "act" insert the following: "and for the selection of a board of directors and an assessor to serve in case said organization shall be effected."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "election" insert the following: "in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county in which the lands within said proposed district are situated or in each county in which any of the lands within said proposed district are situated, if said proposed district includes land in more than one county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "directors" insert the words "and an assessor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, lines 34 to 37, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the words "*provided*, that if so requested in the petition for the organization of the district the board of supervisors may order that the district board shall consist of three directors.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'and an assessor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line 48 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provisions of sections 21, 22 and 23 of this act relating to district elections;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "directors" insert the words "and assessor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3" in said line and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "until" strike out all down to and including the word "until", on page 5, line 31, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "have" add the following: "been elected and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "qualified" begin a new sentence to read as follows:

SEC. 6. Section 8 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8. Between thirty and ninety days after the organization of the district and between said dates annually thereafter, the board of directors must file with

the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county in which said district was organized an estimate of the sum required by the district to discharge the unpaid matured obligations thereof at that date and the obligations thereof that will mature or that it is probable will be incurred and mature during the two years next following, specifying that portion of said estimate which will be required for the payment of bonds and of the interest on bonds.

Between the date on which the district was organized and ninety days thereafter, and between said dates in each succeeding year, the assessor must view the lands of the district and assess each parcel or tract of land contained therein at the cash value of the benefit derived by it from the construction and maintenance or proposed construction and maintenance of irrigation works and said assessor must, within said time, file with the clerk of said board of supervisors, an assessment-book with appropriate headings in which must be listed each parcel or tract of land within the district, specifying, (1) the name, if known, (and if unknown, stating that fact) of the holder of title or evidence of title, including such aforesaid possessory rights, thereto; (2) the description thereof by legal subdivisions, metes and bounds, or other boundaries sufficient to identify the same; and (3) the value assessed thereon. If the district is contained in more than one county then the assessment-book shall be prepared with a separate part in a separate volume for the lands of each county.

Within sixty days after the said estimate and the said assessment list shall have been filed as above provided, the board of supervisors shall fix a time not less than twenty-two days and not more than forty days from the time of the meeting of said board of supervisors at which said date is fixed at which said board of supervisors acting as a board of equalization shall meet and hear any verified written objections, stating the grounds thereof, to the assessment as made, which objections shall, prior to the meeting, be filed with the clerk of said board of supervisors. From the time of calling said meeting and until said meeting is held, and during the office hours of said board of supervisors, the assessment list shall be open to public inspection at the office of said board of supervisors. The clerk of said board of supervisors shall give notice of the time and place of said meeting, which shall be the regular meeting place of said board of supervisors, and of the time and place where said assessment list may be inspected by the public by publication once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county in which the lands of said district are situated, or in each county in which any of the lands within said district are situated, if said district includes land in more than one county. The first publication of said notice shall be at least fifteen days prior to the date fixed for said hearing. The said board of supervisors shall meet at said time and place for said hearing and shall hear all objections which may be presented to it regarding the correctness of said assessment list, and shall hear all relevant testimony presented in support of or in opposition to said objections, and shall continue in session from day to day until all said objections and such evidence have been heard and acted upon. Upon the completion of the hearing of all objections and all evidence as provided herein the said board of supervisors shall add to or deduct from the valuation assessed to any tract or parcel of land such per centum thereof as shall be sufficient to raise it or reduce it to the full cash value of the benefit derived by said tract or parcel of land from the construction or maintenance or proposed construction and maintenance of irrigation works and shall fix the value of any lands contained in said district that shall not have been so assessed. Thereupon, and before said hearing is closed, the assessor shall have the total valuation of all the lands assessed extended into columns, added and a statement thereof made.

When said statement is completed, the board of supervisors must fix such ad valorem rate of taxation upon each hundred dollars in value of the lands so assessed as will raise the sum specified in said estimate. Any changes in or additions to said list shall be entered in said assessment-book in the proper place therefor, and the order therefor shall be indorsed on the margin of the entry and signed by the president and attested by the secretary of said board of supervisors. The order of the board of supervisors approving the assessment, the statement of the assessor showing the total valuation of the property assessed, the order fixing the rate of taxation thereon, and the estimate of the sum required by the board of directors of the district for the expense thereof during the two years next following shall be signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the district and shall be attached to the assessment-book on the last volume thereof, unless the lands of the district are contained in more than one county, in which case a copy thereof shall be signed and attached in a similar manner to each separate part of the assessment-book.

Within ten days after the hearing is completed, the assessor shall compute and charge in the assessment-book in a place provided therefor in the record of each parcel or tract of land assessed the amount of the tax due thereon and shall file each said separate part of the assessment-book with the county tax collector of the county in which the lands therein assessed are located and thereafter the charges therein taxed shall be due and payable to the county tax collector of the county in which the lands on which they are taxed are situated.

The various orders of the board of supervisors made at the hearing shall be final and when indorsed on or attached to the assessment-book shall be conclusive evidence that the assessment was made and the tax levied in accordance with the law; *provided, however*, that any person interested in lands of the district and aggrieved by the decision of the board of supervisors may, in order to have said assessment, or the tax levied thereon, corrected, modified or annulled, institute an action therefor in the superior court of the county in which said district was organized.

No action to determine the validity in any respect of any such assessment, or tax levied thereon, shall be maintained unless the same shall have been commenced within thirty days after the assessment-book, or each separate part thereof, is filed with said county tax collector as above provided, and no objection to the assessment shall be considered by said board of supervisors or allowed in any other action, or proceeding, unless such objection shall have been made in writing, verified and presented to the clerk of the board of supervisors in the manner herein required.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 9—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 530—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers in counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 1, 1927, strike out lines 9 and 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following "hereby allowed one undersheriff and three deputies, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, the undersheriff".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the thirty-eighth class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 336 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 308 of the Civil Code.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 221—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "act" add the following "to amend sections two, seven and eight and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "relating to assessment" and add the following: "relating to the resolution initiating proceedings, to the report of directors, to the purposes of the district and to assessments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. Section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 2. The board of supervisors of any county may initiate proceedings for the creation of a joint highway district to be composed of two or more counties of the state by the adoption of a resolution reciting:

(a) That the public interest requires the construction of a public highway, stating generally the location and course thereof, and naming the county or counties in which such highway will be

(b) The names of the counties interested in and which will be benefited by such highway construction

(c) That it is proposed to create a joint highway district composed of the counties so named

When adopted, certified copies of the same shall be transmitted to the clerks of the boards of supervisors of the counties named in the resolution.

SEC 2 Section 7 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 7 Said board of directors shall tentatively fix the route of the proposed district highway, determine the approximate total cost thereof, and the portion thereof that should be borne by each county respectively. The board shall make and file a copy of said report with the board of supervisors of each of the counties affected Within thirty days of the receipt of such report, each board of supervisors shall adopt or reject the proposal for formation of the joint highway district Failure of a board of supervisors to act within said time shall be deemed a rejection A certified copy of each such resolution shall be forthwith transmitted to the board which initiated the proceedings, whereupon the latter board shall make a finding as to the final approval or disapproval of the formation of the district, and notify the clerks of the several counties as to the result. In case the several boards vote in favor of formation of the district, a certified copy of such notice of finding shall be filed with the secretary of state, whereupon the said joint highway district shall be deemed created and organized, and shall exercise all the powers granted by this act, and shall be a public corporation under the designation of "Joint highway district No. — of the State of California." Districts shall be numbered in the order of their creation.

SEC. 3. Section 8 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 8. The purpose for which the joint districts may be created is to provide the necessary authority and means to construct and maintain the highway described in the initiatory resolution. Said highway may be in all of the counties comprising the district, without regard, however, to the proportion of the same which will be in any given county, or the highway may have both termini within any one or more of the counties which may be embraced within such joint highway district. This act shall be so construed as to facilitate the accomplishment of this purpose.

SEC. 4. A new section is hereby added to the said act to be numbered 43 and to read as follows:

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 15*a*, relating to the payment of the interest due on bonds of the district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add three new sections to said act, to be numbered section 6*a*, 6*b* and 6*c*, respectively, relating to the annexation of territory to said district, and also adding a new section to said act, to be numbered section 6*d*, relating to the control of any existing publicly owned utility in such district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 72—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and disposition of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county or incorporated city or town," approved April 23, 1913, by providing that the surplus funds in the treasury of municipal utility districts may be invested in like manner as those of other municipal corporations mentioned in said act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the word "amend" in line 1 of the title of the engrossed bill, insert the following: "the title and also sections one and two of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out the word "municipal", line 7 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "public".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, after line 22, of the engrossed bill, add the following:

SEC. 3. The title of the above entitled act is hereby amended to read as follows:

An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and dispositions of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county, incorporated city or town, or municipal utility district, or flood control district.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation, defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BERNARD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. McPherson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Miller, James A.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 258 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to court commissioners.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Heisinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Deuel:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f* and 361*g*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board and abolishing said board, and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hawes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 562, relating to the approval of bond required to be filed with sheriff in attachment, garnishment, execution or other actions.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Lindsay Gazette—Ford A. Chatters.
Capitol News Bureau—O. T. Summers

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen

Also Senate Bill No 337—An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911 known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act,

approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to party conventions and nomination papers.

Also: Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend sections 983, 984 and 985 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to add nine new sections to said code to be numbered respectively 986, 987, 988, 988*a*, 988*b*, 988*c*, 988*d*, 988*e*, 988*f*, 988*g*, and 988*h*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Also: Senate Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 241 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 337 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bills Nos. 500 and 155 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 3135 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 843—An act authorizing the Governor of the State to sign, the State Controller to countersign, and the State Treasurer to indorse any and all bonds prepared pursuant to the provisions of section 4 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California which have not been signed by the Governor, countersigned by the State Controller and indorsed by the State Treasurer who were in office on the second day of January, 1927;

Also: Senate Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 626*k* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer;

Also: Senate Bill No. 438—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock dividends and reserve fund of building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1474*a*, relating to the collection of money by heirs;

Also: Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 252 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 843 read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Senate Bill No. 465 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 624 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bills Nos. 438 and 437 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 294 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and to the judges of the superior courts. A resolution is proposed to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "five hundred".

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 19—Relative to the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly for the purpose of making a thorough study into the traffic situation on the highways of California, with particular reference as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial responsibility on the part of those owning or operating motor vehicles using the highways, and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to investigate traffic conditions in the State of California and the question of safety and prevention of accidents in relation thereto; to prepare and make recommendations concerning changes in existing laws, and the enactment and/or enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways, and to prepare and submit with supporting facts, ascertained, a report as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this state and making appropriation to meet the expenses of said committee necessarily incurred in said work.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In the printed resolution, page 1, strike out all of lines 1 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

WHEREAS, There has been a great increase in the number of motor vehicles used and operated upon the highways of the State of California resulting in an abnormal increase in the number of accidents resulting in injury to persons and property; and

WHEREAS, No adequate method seems to have been devised for the enforcement of the safety provision of the existing laws relating to the use and operation of motor vehicles on the highway; and

WHEREAS, Any revision of the laws relating to such use and operation of such vehicles should involve consideration of the advisability of enacting a law requiring owners or operators of such vehicles to give financial security for the satisfaction of judgments arising out of the use and operation of such vehicles; now, therefore, be it

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed resolution, strike out all of lines 9 to 25, inclusive, and on page 2 thereof strike out all of lines 1 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate concurring, That there is hereby created a joint committee of the Assembly and Senate to consist of three members of the Assembly to be appointed by the speaker of the Assembly, one of whom shall be the speaker of the Assembly and three members of the Senate to be appointed by the president of the Senate, one of whom may be the president of the Senate.

It will be the duty of said committee to investigate the adequacy of the facilities for the enforcement of existing laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the highways of this state, and the advisability of establishing some system of enforcement of all laws relating to the safe operation of such vehicles, and to make

recommendations concerning the advisability of amendments to existing laws, if in the discretion of the committee deemed necessary, and, if the committee reports in favor of the adoption of any specific law, it should include in its report or plan recommended the measures which in its judgment should be enacted.

It shall also be the duty of said committee to study the advisability of requiring owners or operators of motor vehicles on the public highways to give some form of security for the payment of judgments, for which said owner or operator may be liable, arising out of the use and operation of such vehicles on the public highways. In making this study the said committee shall carefully consider the laws and systems enacted in other states and countries, and the effect that any such systems would have in the State of California on account of the unusual conditions arising in this state due to many thousands of visitors coming into this state every year by means of motor vehicle transportation. Said committee is to make its report to the Legislature at its next session, and for the purpose of studying the questions involved and the preparation of its report, it shall be given the assistance of the chief of the division of motor vehicles and shall have the right to call for any statistics or available data of said division.

Amendments adopted.

Resolution ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to city officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes:

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 6 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 169 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson,

Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. HARRY F. SEWELL IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Harry F. Sewell, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-eighth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 206 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Jacobson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 206 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers of materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 666 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Patterson, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 5 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 442 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 981 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Little, Assembly Bill No. 42 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Little, Assembly Bill No. 524 was re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 980 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 982 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Bernard—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 983 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett,

Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—Scudder—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 984 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 985 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 986 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Scofield, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 991 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 647 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 505 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 507 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Andersen, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 653*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the publications of ordinances.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 444 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Gant, Jost, and Patterson—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered 752*c*, relating to powers of boards of trustees

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 478 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 9 was made a special order for Tuesday, March 15, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Bernard, Assembly Bill No. 221 was re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—Proposed amendment to article XII of the constitution, relative to regulation of public utilities of the State.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Monday, March 14, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 14, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Hornblower moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Finley was granted leave of absence for the day

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McDonough, Mr Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Charles Henderson, city manager of Long Beach, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr Bruce Mason, city attorney of Long Beach, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Keaton, Mr. Stanley Houghton of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Mr. Harold D. Horton of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Dr Francis P. Cross of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. F. S. Stevenot, former member of Assembly, of Calaveras County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Dillinger, Hon D Fricat, president of the Calaveras County Chamber of Commerce, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wemple, Mr. J. A. Nutting, district attorney of Lassen County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Patterson, Mrs. Markell C. Baer of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr. Henry G. Lehrback of Pasadena was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mr. Alfred E. Adam, manager Retail Merchants' Association of Los Angeles, and wife were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, March 13, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey,
State Assembly, Sacramento, California.

The California Housekeeping Protective Association wishes to extend their gratitude to the Speaker of the House, Assemblyman Hornblower, and membership of Assembly for passage of Bill No. 406, as amended.

MRS. G. A. TUYRELL, Secretary.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, March 9, 1927.

Governor,
President of the Senate,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

Board of Supervisors,
Los Angeles, California

GREETINGS: At a meeting of the City Council held March 9, 1927, the following report of the Legislative Committee was adopted, to wit

"In re File 877 (1927) being a request from the City Council of Pomona asking that the City Council of Los Angeles be requested to cooperate in calling the matter of inefficient orchard heaters being sold in citrus districts, thereby adding to the smudge nuisance, and to bring the matter to the attention of the State Legislature, Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties, your committee recommends that said request be approved, and the City Clerk authorized to notify the Board of Supervisors and the State Legislature to this effect."

Respectfully,

ROBT. DOMINGUEZ, City Clerk.

By the Chief Clerk:

WAR DEPARTMENT.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, SECOND DISTRICT

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, March 11, 1927.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The application of the county of Sacramento, State of California, for permission to construct a highway bridge in or across the Sacramento River, California, about 3000 feet downstream from Freeport, California, and 46.5 miles above the mouth of the Sacramento River, will be considered at a public hearing on the subject, to be held by the undersigned at the city of Sacramento, California, in the board of supervisors' room at the county courthouse at 11:00 a.m., Friday, April 8, 1927.

All interested parties are invited to be present or to be represented at the above time and place, particularly navigation interests and the officials of any county,

city, town, or local association whose interests may be affected by the construction of the proposed work. They will be given an opportunity to express their views upon the suitability of the location and the adequacy of the plans in reference to navigation, and to suggest changes considered desirable in the interest of navigation.

Oral statements will be heard but for accuracy of record all important facts and arguments should be submitted in writing, as the records of the hearing will be forwarded for consideration by the War Department. Written statements may be handed to the undersigned at the hearing or mailed to him beforehand.

The plans submitted by the applicant show the bridge to be a drawbridge of the bascule type, giving a clear width of opening for boats in the draw span of 200 feet. The draw when closed gives a clear height of 3 feet above high water and 30.1 feet above low water.

C. S. RIDLEY,
Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., District Engineer.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, March 11, 1927.

Assembly Post Office,
Sacramento, California.

GENTLEMEN: In Assembly Bill No. 1040, introduced by you, which prohibits any motor car dealer from receiving commission on insurance, wish to state that we, as automobile dealers, feel it would be unjust, as we sell the insurance to these people who buy cars, consequently are entitled to remuneration for our efforts.

We wish to enter our protest to such a bill.

Very truly yours,

BROKAW-BAUER COMPANY.
C. S. BROKAW.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10, 11, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, *Chairman.*

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 198—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 69*b*, providing for the filing of a health certificate before marriage licenses are issued, and making the issuance of false certificates a felony—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section 3493*c*, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value;

Also: Assembly Bill No 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland;

Also Assembly Bill No 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation, and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain a police department, to provide for the formation, government and operation of said police districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes, for such purpose, and to create a Board of Police Commissioners;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant,

Also: Senate Bill No 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector and of delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend section 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to demurrers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to consolidation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*c*, relating to the joinder of parties defendant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*a*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*a*, relating to the joinder of parties to actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand or trademark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture

to enforce the provisions of the act and providing for penalties for the violation of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610½, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, *principals, and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the* certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of copyists appointed by the recorder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California to, the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets, and seines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359b, relating to the governor's council;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing section 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'industrial accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Alvah H. Mitchell against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Highlands Fruit Association, a corporation, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 896—An act recognizing and establishing that the unpaid expenses of the convention which framed the constitution of the State of California, including the unpaid per diem of the delegates to such convention for the full term thereof, are obligations against the State, providing that suits may be brought against the State to determine by judgment the amount and ownership of claims for such unpaid expenses and

per diem—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act appropriating $1,410 to pay the claim of Lyman C. Meek against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 433—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John A. Ingelhart against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

KEATON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

KEATON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read·

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 348—An act to establish standards for field crop products and related agricultural products, providing for the sampling, grading, inspection and certification thereof, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing the California Grain Standardization Act, approved June 3, 1921;

Also Senate Bill No. 435—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the building and loan inspection fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 633 of the Civil Code, relating to building and loan associations

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 348 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No 435 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No 813 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W R. LINDERSMITH Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following

Assembly Joint Resolution No 4—Relative to memorializing congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W R LINDERSMITH Assistant Secretary

The above reported resolution ordered to enrollment

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr Jost:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1927

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr Scofield:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to provide for the formation, management, alterations of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr McPherson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO March 14, 1927

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 626o of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from skull-boats in Fish and Game District No. 2

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Mr. Jacobson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 206 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4263", insert the following

In counties of the thirty-fourth class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and when a new great register of voters is required by law to be made, he shall receive his actual expense *in making said register* and the index thereto, *and ten cents* per name for every name registered. In counties of this class the county clerk may appoint *one deputy county clerk* at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and one typist at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum, which offices are hereby created and said salaries fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this subsection does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent

2. The sheriff four thousand five hundred dollars per annum. In addition to the fees and expenses allowed by law as set forth in section 4300*b* of the Political Code, *the sheriff shall be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in* pursuing criminals and his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the *investigation of crimes committed in the jurisdiction*. In counties of this class the sheriff may appoint one deputy sheriff at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid

3. The recorder, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum.

4. The auditor, two thousand dollars per annum, and in lieu of fees heretofore paid him under the provisions of section 4099*a* of the Political Code he shall receive an additional sum of five hundred dollars per annum as compensation for the extra *duties imposed by said section 4099a*. In counties of this class the auditor may appoint one deputy auditor at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, *which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county* treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum. In counties of this class the treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer at a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid

6. The tax collector, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. In counties of this class, *the tax collector shall be allowed to employ clerical assistance* when needed, at not to exceed six hundred dollars in any one year. In counties of this class *the sheriff may appoint one deputy sheriff at a salary of one thousand five* hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid.

7. The assessor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and his actual and necessary traveling expenses, when engaged in assessing the property of his county; *provided*, such traveling expenses shall not in any one year, exceed the sum of three hundred dollars.

8. The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided, however*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney one clerk which office is hereby created. Said clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand dollars per annum which shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the district attorney is paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of this county. In counties

of this class the secretary of the county board of education shall receive the sum of five hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools. The compensation of the secretary of the county board of education of this county hereby provided is in lieu of the fees heretofore allowed under the provisions of section 1770 of this code. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this section does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent.

In counties of this class the superintendent of schools may appoint one deputy superintendent of schools, at a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools

12 The county surveyor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, he to furnish all necessary instruments; but transportation charges for field work shall be allowed him. He shall not be required to perform county work more than two-thirds of the working days in any month, except on payment of fees now allowed by law

13 Justices of the peace, the following salaries to be paid each month as county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them as such justices of the peace: In townships having a population of five thousand and more, one hundred dollars; in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, sixty-five dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, forty dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred twenty-five dollars; in townships having a population of less than one thousand, ten dollars Each justice must pay into the county treasury, once a month all fees and all fines collected by him In all townships having a population of less than five thousand, if there be more than one justice, the compensation or salary allowed herein shall be equally divided between them so that the sum total of their compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single justice in such township

14 Constables, the following salaries, which shall be paid monthly as salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit: In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more, seventy dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars; in townships having a population of less than one thousand, fifteen dollars. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all the services performed by him in civil actions In all townships having a population of less than two thousand five hundred, if there be more than one constable, the compensation herein allowed shall be equally divided between them, so that the sum total of their monthly compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single constable in each township The board of supervisors shall, during each and every year, ascertain and determine the population of the several townships of the county for the purpose of ascertaining the compensation of township officers regulated by this section, in proportion to their duties.

In addition to the fees and expenses allowed by law as set forth in section 4300 of the Political Code, constables shall be allowed the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by them in the investigation of a felony committed within the township of which they are officers, and the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by them in pursuing criminals charged with the commission of a felony.

15 Each supervisor, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, for all services performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner

16 Grand jurors, and trial jurors in the superior court in civil and criminal cases, shall receive, as compensation for each day's attendance, per day three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled in attendance as such, in going only, per mile twenty-five cents

17. It is hereby found as a fact that the provisions herein made for expenses of the sheriff and constables of counties of the thirty-fourth class do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same apply immediately to the present incumbents

18 It is hereby found and declared that all deputies, assistants, and other subordinate officers provided for herein are additional deputies and assistants necessary and proper to be allowed to the incumbent principals and shall be effective at once during their present terms of office

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and relating to re-assessments.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Assembly Bill No. 386 was re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322*x*52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 8 of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixty".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "nine hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figure "4276" strike out all the remaining portions of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

In counties of the forty-seventh class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, to wit

1 The county clerk one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be one deputy clerk who shall be appointed by the county clerk, whose salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy county clerk to serve in each year, which deputy shall be employed only during that portion of the year requiring extra work, and who shall receive a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day, and not to exceed five hundred dollars in any one calendar year, which salaries shall be paid by said county in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk.

2. The sheriff, five thousand dollars per annum and mileage for services of any and all processes required by law to be served by him, at the rate of ten cents per mile for every mile necessarily traveled in the performance of such duty, and for services of all processes issued from all courts outside of his county; the sheriff to pay all salaries of his deputies, except a chief deputy sheriff who shall receive the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month out of the same fund from which the sheriff is paid.

3. The recorder, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that such recorder shall collect and pay into the county treasury, for the use and benefit of the county, the fees required by law. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy as required for extra work at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day and not to exceed five hundred dollars in any one calendar year, which salaries shall be paid by said county in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county recorder.

4. The auditor, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. The county auditor shall be allowed one deputy county auditor to be appointed by him, whose salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

5 The treasurer, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum

6. The tax collector, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum

7. The assessor, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy assessor to be appointed by him, whose salary shall be one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; and one deputy for three months in each year during the assessing period at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month and his actual necessary traveling expenses, which salary shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county assessor.

8. The district attorney, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and an assistant to the district attorney at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum to be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the district attorney is paid

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law

11. The superintendent of schools, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and all necessary traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county.

12. The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

13 The county librarian, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum

14 Justices of the peace in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or over shall receive fifty dollars per month; and justices of the peace in

townships having a population under two thousand five hundred shall receive twenty-five dollars per month, which said salary shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by said justices of the peace in both civil and criminal cases, and all such fees as are allowed by law in civil cases shall be paid by said justices of the peace into the county treasury, as the fees of county officers are paid in.

15. Constables in counties of this class shall receive such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law; *provided, however,* that in counties of this class each constable shall be allowed the sum of four dollars per day for each day that he is actually required to care for a prisoner in his custody or when in actual attendance during a trial or proceeding in the justices' court of his township, *and provided, further,* that constables in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or over shall receive a salary of fifty dollars per month, and constables in townships having a population of less than two thousand five hundred shall receive a salary of twenty-five dollars per month, which salaries shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

16. Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; thirty cents per mile one way in attending the meetings of the board, and three dollars per day when actually serving as road commissioner, not to exceed three hundred dollars per annum

17. In counties of this class, the official reporter of the superior court shall receive, as full compensation for taking notes in criminal cases in said court, before the grand jury, for preliminary examinations, and for coroners' inquests, a monthly salary of one hundred dollars, payable out of the county treasury at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of the county officers are paid, and shall receive as compensation for taking notes, when required, in civil cases a per diem of ten dollars, to be paid by the litigants as the court may direct; and for transcription of said notes, when required the sum of fifteen cents per folio for the original and five cents per folio for each copy thereof; said compensation for transcription in criminal cases and coroner's inquests to be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county, and paid out of the county treasury; and in civil cases to be paid by the party ordering the same, or when ordered by the judge, by either party, or by both or all parties, as the court may direct. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when reporting outside the county seat.

18. The board of supervisors shall determine the population of each township for the purpose of fixing the salary of the township officers aforesaid.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relative to the general powers of supervisors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That on page 6 of said printed bill, lines 46 to 52, inclusive, be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof:

23. To make and enforce such rules and regulations for the government of their body, the preservation of order, and the transaction of business, as may be necessary and the supervisors may attend annual state meetings of the state supervisors association and shall be allowed their actual expenses in going to, attendance upon and returning from any such state association meetings and their actual and necessary traveling expenses when traveling outside their counties on official business.

24. To adopt a seal for the board, a description and impression of which must be filed in the office of the county clerk and of the secretary of state.

25. To license, in the exercise of their police powers, and for the purpose of regulation, as herein provided, and not otherwise, all and every kind of business not prohibited by law, and transacted and carried on within the limits of their respective jurisdictions, and all shows, exhibitions, and lawful games carried on therein, to fix the rate of license tax upon the same, and to provide for the collection of the same by suit or otherwise provided, that every soldier, sailor or marine of the United States who has received an honorable discharge or a release from active duty under honorable conditions from such service shall have the right to hawk, peddle and vend any goods, wares or merchandise, except spirituous, malt, vinous or other intoxicating liquor, without payment of any license, tax or fee whatsoever, whether municipal, county or state, and the board of supervisors or legislative body shall issue to such soldier, sailor or marine without cost, a license therefor; *provided, however,* no license can be collected, or any penalty for the nonpayment thereof enforced against

any commercial traveler whose business is limited to the goods, wares and merchandise sold or dealt in in this state at wholesale.

26. To provide for the destruction of gophers, squirrels, other wild animals, noxious weeds, and insects injurious to fruit or fruit trees, or vines, or vegetable or plant life

27. To provide for the prevention of injuries to sheep by dogs, and to tax dogs and direct the application of the tax

28. To provide, by ordinances, not in conflict with the general laws of the state, for the protection of fish and game, and may shorten the season for taking or killing of fish and game, within the dates fixed by the general state laws, but shall not lengthen the same

29. To provide for the working of prisoners confined in the county jail, under judgment of conviction of misdemeanors, under the direction of some responsible person to be appointed by the sheriff whose compensation shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, upon the public grounds, roads, streets, alleys, highways, or public buildings, or in such other places as may be deemed advisable, for the benefit of the county

29*a*. To provide for the care and maintenance of the indigent sick or dependent poor of the county, and for such purpose to levy the necessary property or poll taxes, or both.

30. To provide for the burying of the indigent dead

31. To make and enforce, within the limits of their county, all such local police, sanitary and other regulations as are not in conflict with general laws.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" in line 6 and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 11 and 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "said county, or for exhibiting or advertising, for said purposes, the agricultural, horticultural, viticultural, mineral, industrial, commercial, climatic, educational, recreational, artistic, musical, cultural and other resources or advantages of the county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 7, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 21 and 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as authorized under the provisions of section 4056*b* of this code; *and provided, further,*".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of twenty-fifth class

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4254" *add the following*

In counties of the twenty-fifth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and when a new register of voters is required by law to be made, he shall receive in addition, fifteen cents per name for each voter registered, which shall be in full for all services required in registering voters and making the great register, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the county clerk, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said county clerk, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said county clerk who shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, and one additional deputy which office is hereby created, who shall be appointed by said county clerk, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, said salaries of said deputies to be paid by said county monthly

and at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid *provided, further*, that there is hereby allowed to the county clerk such additional deputies to be appointed by said county clerk, as may be necessary to carry on the work of his office for a length of time not to exceed four months in each year for each deputy, and the aggregate compensation to be paid all of said deputies shall not exceed six hundred dollars in any one year, said deputies to be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid

2 The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and also all fees for service in actions arising out of his county; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the sheriff one undersheriff, who shall be appointed by said sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, said salaries to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid

3 The recorder, three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the recorder, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said recorder who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy, who shall be appointed by the recorder, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and two copyists who shall be appointed by said recorder, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, each, said salaries of said deputies and of said copyists to be paid by said county, monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund, as the salary of the recorder is paid He may also appoint such additional copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notices, or documents in his office, who shall receive for their services the sum not to exceed seven cents per folio for typewritten recording of each paper or document so recorded paid out of the fees collected by him, further that said recorder shall file monthly with the county auditor a sworn statement showing in detail the persons and the amounts paid to each for such recording

4. The auditor four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the auditor, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by said auditor, who shall be paid salaries as follows two deputy auditors at a salary of two hundred dollars per month each, and one additional deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; *provided, however*, that the provision for such additional deputy auditor shall become effective only upon the enactment of that certain act known as "An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes", introduced at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and known as Senate Bill No. 298.

5 The treasurer, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said treasurer and who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, said salary of said deputy to be paid by said county, monthly, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid.

6. The tax collector, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the tax collector, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said tax collector, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said tax collector, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, said salaries to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the tax collector a copyist for the period of time embraced between the first day of August and the thirty-first day of December, both dates inclusive, in each year. Said copyist shall be appointed by said tax collector, and shall be paid a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month during the period of time said copyist shall be employed, to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class, the said tax collector be allowed a sum not to exceed one thousand dollars per annum for such additional clerk hire as may be necessary, the same to be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, further*, that said tax collector shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use ten per centum only of all licenses collected by him.

7 The assessor, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and also such fees and commissions as are allowed by law, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said assessor who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of

the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid, *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a deputy who shall be appointed by said assessor, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a copyist, who shall be appointed by said assessor from the first day of January to the thirty-first day of July, inclusive, during each year. Said copyist shall be paid a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor a copyist, who shall be appointed by said assessor from the first day of February to the thirty-first day of August, inclusive, during each year. Said copyist shall be paid a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of said assessor is paid, *provided, further*, that said assessor shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use three per centum only in personal property tax collected by him as authorized by section 3820 of the Political Code of the State of California, *provided, further*, that there is hereby allowed to the assessor such additional deputies to be appointed by said assessor as may be necessary to carry on the work of his office for a length of time not to exceed four months in each year for each deputy, and the aggregate compensation to be paid all of such deputies shall not exceed four thousand five hundred dollars in any one year, said deputies to be paid monthly at the same time out of the same fund and in the same manner as the salary of said assessor is paid.

8 The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class, the district attorney may appoint a deputy which office of deputy district attorney is hereby created, said deputy to be employed at such times and to receive such salary not to exceed the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month as the board of supervisors may fix by resolution, *provided, further*, that said district attorney may appoint a stenographer at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month. Said deputy and said stenographer shall be paid at the same time and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid.

9 The superintendent of schools, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses, while attending to his duties as such superintendent of schools; *provided*, that such traveling expenses shall not in any one year exceed the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said superintendent of schools and who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid; and an assistant supervisor of schools, which office is hereby created, and who shall serve as such during the months of February, March, April, May, and June of each year, and who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools and shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month payable in the same manner and at the same time and out of the same fund as the salary of the said county superintendent of schools is paid.

10 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11 The public administrator such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

12 The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

13 For the purpose of fixing the compensation of justices of the peace and constables according to their duties, townships in counties of this class are hereby classified according to their population as follows: Townships having a population of ten thousand or more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of less than ten thousand and more than five thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of less than five thousand and more than one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class, townships having a population of less than one thousand and more than nine hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class; townships having a population of less than nine hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class. The population of the several townships shall be determined by the board of supervisors upon the enactment of this act and also at the time of the formation of any new township or townships for the purpose of this and the succeeding subdivisions by the federal census taken during the year 1910. Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries:

In townships of the first class the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month, *provided*, that each justice of the peace in townships of this class shall be an attorney at law admitted to practice before the supreme court of this state;

In townships of the second class, the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month;

In townships of the third class, the sum of one hundred dollars per month; *provided*, that in townships of this class the justice of the peace is hereby allowed a clerk, who shall be appointed by said justice of the peace and who shall be paid a salary of fifty dollars per month, the compensation of said clerk to be paid in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same fund, as the salary of the justice of the peace is paid,

In townships of the fourth class the sum of ten dollars per month,

In townships of the fifth class the sum of five dollars per month,

Said salaries shall be paid in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be compensation in full for all services rendered. All fees received by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury every month. Justices of the peace of the first and second classes shall be allowed their necessary office expenses not to exceed the sum of fifteen dollars per month, *provided, further*, that all justices of the peace shall be allowed their civil and criminal dockets and legal blanks at the expense of the county, *provided, further*, that the justices of the peace of the townships of the third class when in the trial of criminal cases it becomes necessary to rent a hall to conduct said trial, the said justices of the peace of said townships of the third class shall be allowed the rental paid therefor, but not to exceed the sum of three dollars for any one day, *and provided, further*, that said rental shall not exceed in any one month the sum of fifteen dollars

14. Constables shall receive the following salaries

In townships of the first class the sum of one hundred dollars per month. Said constables shall be entitled to receive and retain for their own use and benefit all fees collected for the service of civil processes.

In townships of the second class the sum of eighty dollars per month. Said constables shall be entitled to receive and retain for their own use and benefit all fees collected for the service of civil processes.

In townships of the third, fourth and fifth classes such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law and in addition thereto three dollars per day for each day's actual attendance in court during a jury trial therein or preliminary examination for felony; *provided*, that no constable shall receive more than three dollars for any one day's attendance on any court. It is hereby found as a fact that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

15. For the purposes of subdivisions thirteen and fourteen of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors of said county at their regular meeting in the month of December following the election of justices of the peace and constables in said county, by multiplying by three the number of registered voters in said township as shown by the register prepared by the county clerk of said county for the general election next preceding the date of such election. It is hereby found as a fact, that the salaries provided for in subdivisions thirteen and fourteen do not work an increase in the compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

16. Each member of the board of supervisors one hundred dollars per month and ten cents per mile while traveling from his residence to the county seat, and also mileage for his services as road commissioner at the rate of twenty cents per mile one way, for the distance actually traveled in the discharge of his duties as road commissioner; *provided*, that such mileage as road commissioner shall not in any one year exceed the sum of three hundred dollars.

17. Each member of the board of education including the secretary, five dollars per day when the board is in session and ten cents per mile for traveling to and from his or her residence to the county seat at each session, unless otherwise provided by law.

18. In counties of this class, the official phonographic reporter of the superior court shall receive the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month as compensation for the reporting of criminal cases both in the superior court and justice's court in the county, and for the transcription of the shorthand notes of such cases, he shall receive fifteen cents per folio of one hundred words for the original and seven and one-half cents per folio for each copy thereof as compensation for reporting and for the transcription of his shorthand notes. In civil cases he shall receive the fees now or hereafter authorized by law; *provided*, that he shall receive from the county no fees for the county's share of the cost of reporting in any civil cases in which the county is a party. The salary of the reporter shall be paid out of the county treasury in the same manner as other county officers are paid.

19. In counties of this class the sealer of weights and measures shall receive as compensation the sum of two hundred dollars per month, together with his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties as such sealer of weights and measures.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed

to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 31 and 32, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "appointed by the justice of the peace of the township wherein the county seat of the county is located and each of said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 29 to 44, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

19 The official phonographic reporter of the superior court shall receive as compensation for his services the fees and compensation now or hereafter provided by law, and in addition thereto shall receive five dollars per day when not actually engaged in reporting in said court, but when in attendance on court in compliance with and as provided by section 221 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the said per diem of five dollars to be paid in the same manner as provided in criminal cases.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" add the following: "and twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill strike out the first word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deputy" and insert in lieu thereof the word "deputies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" insert the following "and twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" insert the word "each"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "allowed" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "*provided*, also, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed the recorder such additional assistants and deputies as the recorder may require to properly and efficiently care for the work of the office, and whose compensation in the aggregate *shall not exceed three thousand dollars in any one year*"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the first word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the third word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 4, line 8 of the printed bill, strike out the words "pertaining to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "received by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 4, lines 9, 10, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and coming under the supervision of the said treasurer in his official capacity shall be credited to the county The" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county, except that the treasurer, shall be, and is hereby allowed for his services the fees, commissions and compensation allowed to him by the inheritance tax act of California Except as to the salary of the treasurer, the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "provisions" and insert in lieu thereof the word "changes"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the following "of this paragraph relating to deputies and assistants" and insert in lieu thereof the following "effected by this subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "annum" insert the following "one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fourteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 4, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 4, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "such" insert the words "office and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 5, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "deputy" insert the following "to be known as assistant district attorney".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE

On page 5, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "deputies" insert a comma and add the word "all".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "chief deputy" and insert in lieu thereof the word "assistant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY ONE.

On page 5, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stenographer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "secretary"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO

On page 5, line 18, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "annum" insert the following "and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, both to be appointed by the district attorney, and a detective to be appointed by the district attorney, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "to" insert the word "assistant,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "deputies" and insert the following "secretary, detective".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19*x*10 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*x*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*x*25 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1922, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the twenty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "to add a new section to be numbered nine *x* twenty-five to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to amend section nine *a* thirteen of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "a new section to be numbered 9*x*25 is hereby added to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "section 9*a*13 of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word and figures "Sec. 9*x*25" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 9*a*13" and add the following.

In counties of the thirteenth class the salary of the county librarian shall be two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act," and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules, and asses affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911"; and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses,

mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,' " approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first five lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act providing for a commission on pensions of state employees; providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 25, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 and 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A commission is hereby created consisting of five members as follows: One shall be the commissioner of the state department of civil service, ex officio; four members to be appointed by the governor. The commission shall be appointed for the purpose of inquiring into the subject of retirement pensions, allowances and annuities for state officers and employees, especially with reference to the method of establishing and maintaining the fund from which such pensions, allowances and annuities shall be paid. A vacancy occurring in the office of a member of such commission shall be filled by the officer who made the original appointment.

SEC. 2. A member of the commission shall not be disqualified from holding any other office state or municipal nor forfeit the same by reason of his appointment under this act, notwithstanding the provisions of any city charter.

SEC. 3. Such commission shall have power to subpena and compel the attendance of witnesses, including public officers and employees, and to require the production of books, records and papers, to take and hear proofs and testimony and adopt rules for the conduct of its proceedings.

SEC. 4. The commission shall select a chairman and vice chairman from among its own members and may employ a secretary and such other experts and employees as may be needed, in connection with the duties of the commission, and may fix their compensation, in accordance with the provisions of the civil service act. It shall be the duty of all persons subject to the authority of the state in that behalf to aid in all proper ways in carrying into effect the provisions of this act

SEC. 5. The members of such commission shall receive no compenstion for their services, but shall be paid their actual and necessary traveling, hotel and other expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties.

SEC. 6. The commission shall on or before July 1, 1928, report the result of its inquiry to the governor and Legislature, including such proposed legislation as it may deem advisable.

SEC. 7. The sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) or so much thereof as may be needed is hereby appropriated for the purposes of this act, payable by the treasurer on the warrant of the controller on the order of the chairman or vice chairman of such commission.

SEC. 8. The commission shall have the power to receive all voluntary gifts, or contributions, that may be made for carrying out the provisions of this act, and upon the termination of the life of said commission, any surplus funds shall be paid to and become a part of, the reserve fund created by virtue of any pension law enacted as a result of this investigation.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 125—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and

appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 169—An act to add a new section to be numbered 6c to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by transportation companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 170—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to mortgages and liens on property of transportation companies

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 171—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7½ to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, conferring jurisdiction upon the Railroad Commission to award reparation against transportation companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to

the granting of certificates of public convenience and necessity to foreign corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 260 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester; Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects."

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 835 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 858 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 860 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 873 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield Scudder Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 908 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West,

Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROSCOE J. ANDERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Hon. Roscoe J. Anderson, member of the Assembly from the Third Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and reporting of certain election returns.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 242 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—Crawford, Jespersen, Wemple, Williams, and Wright—5.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 165 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-three minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322*x*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 209 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 942 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 939 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such

persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Noyes, Assembly Bill No. 564 was re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Reindollar, Assembly Bill No. 544 was re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Snyder, Assembly Bill No. 928 was re-referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Tuesday, March 15, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 15, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Dillinger was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. Anderson, D. P., was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Viola N. Coe, principal of the Carmichael School, Mr. and Mrs. W C. Clark, and the following pupils of the seventh and eighth grades: Laura Jennison, Anna Hauptmann, Alice Earp, Margaret Barber, Leah Dickson, Ruth Townsend, Nora Owens, Rae McIntosh, Marian Hopkins, Rosa Lord, Frank Barber, La Vern Graves, Howard Graves, Wallace McKeown, George Otoni, Milton Kinsey, Harold Doyle, Ferne Bayne, Erma Bayne, Paul Clark, Grace Davies, Donald Endacott, Alan Endacott, Clarice Ellithorp, Oakley Friendenbloom, Homer Grow, Joseph Gliko, Coline Hahn, Alma Jones, Bill Jennison, Donald Lewis, Jay Mobley, James O'Brien, Marion Rowland, Norma Smith, Jack Wilson, Gary Adkins, Alva Garrett; and Mrs. M. C. Grow were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eddy, Messrs. M. D Kennison and Chas. S. Eddy of Napa, brother of Assemblyman Eddy were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Patterson, Mr. R. R. Patterson, father of Assemblyman Patterson, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Miss Mary Smith of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mrs. B A. Burton of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Principal F. M. Vincent of the Newcastle Grammar School, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. Keister, Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Adams and the following pupils of the Seventh and Eighth grades: Tom Rodgers, La Verne Shaves, Frank Rogers, Olive White, Marion Marsh, Mamie Silva, Leona Wrenn, Gordon Kister, Marion Laminan, James Lang, Alma Peat, Clayton Haller, Evelyn Randolph, Phillis Marshall, Angelina Lopes, Ester Adams, Vincent Anderson, Lena Viura, Taroo Ichekawa, Kathern Ferry, Hubert Reeves, Yola Hines, Florence Drury, Louise Ferry, Henery Suguyama, Janevive Veiga, Rose Bertolozi, Mamie Viega, Blanch Jacobsen, Louise Silva, Marcele Noia, Stanley Rockwell, Ming Wong, Delbert Brown, Frank Sirpa, Takeyo Ichkawa and Yayepa Sigama were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Margaret Strachan, teacher of eighth B History class of the William Land School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Alma Battisliche, Ada Booth, Lillian Lewis, Elizabeth Pendergast, Mary Pendergast, Lida Jane Pierce, Margaret Overdorf, Rose Pierini, Helen Root, Edwina Slater, Dorothy Speer, Charles Abramson, Chester Arthur, George Brown, Edward Chan, Lawrence Cosgrove, Charles Jasper, George Lakey, Pierce Mauzey, Woodrow Menke, James Parodi, Arnold Patterson and Kenneth Toft were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Heisinger, Miss Elizabeth M Carlaw, teacher of eighth A history class from William Land School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Zallenda Azevedo, Dorothy Bellmer, Edna Bellmer, Bernice Bost, Evelyn Boyd, Balbina Gomes, Wanda Hass, Mildred Hopkins, Florazell Jeans, Lena Marchi, Luella Martindale, Ruth Peters, Doris Swilk, Bernice Vaira, Ruth Valine, Eleanor Williams, Seveo Cecchettini, Joe Gomes, George Gunn, Blanchard Hayhurst, James Hicks, George Hornstein and Clifford Richie were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Heisinger, Miss L Augusta Rieff, teacher, of the William Land School of Sacramento, and the following pupils Mary Aitken, Eva Bonomi, Mary Bonomi, Lucretia Carder, Louise Cook, Pauline Evanovich, Angelina Franzoia, Madeline Fratis, Ruth Johnson, Ferne McCulligan, Dorothea Neumann, Esther Rosenberg, Harriett Strawhecker, Betty Walker, George Azevedo, Isadore Brosin, Nello Cecchettini, Weston Graham, Logan Hicks, Andrew Nankervis, Ernest Smith and Harley Smith were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. J. L. Fidler, vice president, Anita Nielsen, teacher in charge, and the following pupils

of the Roseville Union High School: James Callaway, Dorthy F. Karns, Otto Honore, Marjorie Moore, Robert Edgar, Virginia Otten, Margaret Aske, Esther Gilkey, Lila Falltrick, Edna Fallen, Viena Wiskman, Saima Pekuri, Ruby Morford, Hazel Morford, Celia E. Cirby, Norma Gibbs, Jeanette Perry, Floyd Goslen, Kathrine Knapp, Marian Sentu, Roy Faltrick, Mary Hamlin, Eva May Ford, Valda Amick, Roland B. Karns, Bernice K. Alway, Merrill Z Schwestka, Wendell S Davis, Toini T Palo, David L. Banker, Jack McKay, Jr., Jean Bidwell, Kathryn Zannon, Elbe Miller, Fonda Eugena Walker, Isabella Louisa Toms, Margaret Botts, Nellie Evans, Donovan L. Bass, Jr., Albert Pilliard, Robert Rees, Lawrence Sutphen, Stanley Matheny, and Kurt Fredrickson were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Mrs Anna N. Little, mother of Assemblyman Walter Little of Santa Monica, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Scofield, Miss Margot Evans, daughter of Senator H. J Evans of Monrovia, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. John T. Regan, grand secretary of the Native Sons of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Rev. Carl W. Bergquist of Pasadena was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

WHEREAS, The California State Legislature has before it at the present time, Senate Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 17 and 18, and Senate Bill No. 652, which designate the names of certain deceased persons whose statues shall be placed in national statuary hall at Washington, D. C., and provide funds for such statues; and

WHEREAS, There are, in our judgment, others whose names are not mentioned who have given greater service and accomplished more good for California; now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Grand Officers in regular meeting assembled do oppose said Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 17 and 18 and Senate Bill No. 652, and respectfully request the members of the State Legislature to vote against them; be it further

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary be directed to send certified copies of these resolutions, under the seal of the Grand Parlor, N S. G. W., to the members of the State Legislature, the State Board of Control, and His Excellency, C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California

I, John T. Regan, Grand Secretary of the Grand Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing resolutions were duly adopted by the Board of Grand Officers, N. S G. W, at a meeting held in San Francisco, March 5th, 1927

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Grand Parlor N S G W., this twelfth day of March, 1927.

JOHN T. REGAN.
Grand Secretary, Native Sons of the Golden West

Also:

SAN FERNANDO, CALIFORNIA, March 15, 1927.

State Legislature Sacramento, California

Thirty teachers urge adoption of bill 914.

SAN FERNANDO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain a police department, to provide for the formation, government and operation of said police districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes, for such purpose, and to create a board of police commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901 as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims;

Also Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes," approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto, two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4,

Also Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act relating to assessment districts in municipalities and to provide that no person shall be eligible to vote in bond elections for improvements within such districts except property owners living within such districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 205—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 15, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Senate Bill No. 304—An act authorizing municipal corporations to expend money for advertising or publicity purposes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 597—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding proprietors of hotels, inns, restaurants, boarding houses,

Also Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code relating to absence of county officers from the State,

Also. Assembly Bill No 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts,

Also Assembly Bill No 700—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks, and other attaches of such courts their terms of office qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 31, providing for municipal court auditor and for municipal courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class,

Also Assembly Bill No 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606 relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property,

Also: Assembly Bill No 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management of community real property,

Also: Assembly Bill No 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage;

Also: Assembly Bill No 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Senate Bill No. 137—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees,

Also. Senate Bill No 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 953*d*, relating to notices of entry of judgments and orders;

Also: Senate Bill No. 249—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice,

Also: Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend sections 983, 984 and 985 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to add nine new sections to said code to be numbered respectively 986, 987, 988, 988*a*, 988*b*, 988*c*, 988*d*, 988*e*, 988*f*, 988*g*, and 988*h*, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No 3—Relative to the Congressional reapportionment of the United States;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I of the constitution of said State, relating to the rights of private property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*r*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, relating to declaratory relief:

Also: Assembly Bill No 379—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 391, relating to the joinder of parties to actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes and other appliances for conducting water over public highways:

Also: Assembly Bill No 440—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture, providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture, and creating the Upholstered Furniture Inspection fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells in such undue quantities as to render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished by reason of the incursion of salt water into the underlying basin due to the lowering of the said water table;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles county," approved May 18, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SPECIAL ORDER

The hour of eleven o'clock a m having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER NINE.

Senate Bill No. 9—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

Mr Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows·

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "public corporation to be known as "the state bar of California" " and insert in lieu thereof the following: "state bar commission and a state bar of California,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "its" and insert in lieu thereof the word "their".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, lines 3 4 and 5, of the printed bill strike out the following: "constituted public corporation to be known as the state bar of California, herein designated as the state bar" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "created a state bar commission and a state bar of California, which state bar commission, as trustees for and as a board of governors of said state bar,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the work "perpetual" and insert in lieu thereof the words "rights of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "corporation" and insert in lieu thereof the word "act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill strike out the word "corporation" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "state bar commission and said state bar".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 12 of the printed bill, after the period following the word "California" insert the following: "The state bar commission may exercise administrative and executive powers, but neither said commission nor the state bar shall exercise legislative or judicial powers or functions ".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, strike out all of line 13 of the printed bill after the period following the figure "9" and all of lines 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, inclusive and insert in lieu thereof the following:

There is hereby created a board of governors of the state bar of California who shall be fifteen state bar commissioners, appointed and removed at will by the governor of the State of California, one of said state bar commissioners to be appointed from each of the eleven congressional districts of the State of California and the remaining four state bar commissioners to be at large from the lawyers of the State of California All of said state bar commissioners must be attorneys admitted to practice law in the State of California for a period of at least five years previous to the date of appointment

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 34 to 52 inclusive, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 10, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, lines 6, 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "to disbar members or discipline them by reproval, public or private, or by suspension from

practice" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to recommend to the proper court the disbarment of a member or members, or his or their suspension from practice and shall have the power to discipline members by public or private reproval."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 4, of the printed bill, strike out lines 50, 51 and 52, inclusive, and on page 5 strike out lines 1 and 2, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, of the printed bill, strike out lines 20, 21 and 22, inclusive.

Motion lost.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "county" add the following

No member of the board of governors or any officer of said state bar or any active member of any committee of said state bar shall in any way participate in or become a party to any endorsement of any candidate for any elective or appointive office, within this state or in any other place, and no official or unofficial use of the name of this organization shall ever be used in any political or other campaign, and the use of said name or names by the party so using, shall be a misdemeanor. And no individual shall in any way use the name of the organization

Motion lost.

MOTION.

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

Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m., of this day

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Senate Bill No. 9, under consideration at time of recess, was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917; as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, approved May 26, 1923; as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended relating to apple packing and grading—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JOST, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CRITTENDEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend section 2168 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MORRISON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season,

Also: Assembly Bill No 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 244—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 240—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof" approved May 18, 1919, as amended, and to add to said act a section, to be numbered 24b, relating to reassessment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

EASLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend sections 8 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to narcotic drugs—has had the same under consideration, and

respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws

ON CONSERVATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 206, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with this amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

NOYES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1067—An act to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands, to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals, to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March, 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CIVIL SERVICE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March, 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Senate Bill No 8—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment

and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

CRAWFORD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 38, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend section 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive, and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property, to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures, to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board of pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent frauds in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof,

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to investigate traffic conditions in the State of California and the question of safety and prevention of accidents in relation thereto; to prepare and make recommendations concerning changes in existing laws, and the enactment and/or enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways, and to prepare and submit with supporting facts, ascertained, a report as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this state and making appropriation to meet the expenses of said committee necessarily incurred in said work

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the supreme court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said

employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section;

Also Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*r*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to promote the manufacture and distribution of pure fruit beverages as a means of broadening markets for California fruits; defining the powers and duties of the director of agriculture in relation thereto, including the collection of fees; prescribing penalties for violations hereof, and making provisions for use of necessary funds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenue, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property inside of incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts places, easements, rights of way and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundary of such municipality, for the incidental establishment, change or separation of grades thereof, and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of such work; for the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; for the inclusion of the territory of any incorporated city or cities within such assessment district; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 22¾ and 26¼, relating to the full payments of the assessments on specific parts of land within the district by the owner or interested party;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected, repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8 1915." approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages the place where wages shall be paid manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semiannually entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "The People of the State of California," delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit

Also Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911 as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19*a*10 of the "Juvenile court law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure milk law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk; to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service; to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for the examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculous cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure

milk law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act:

Also: Assembly Bill No 398—An act to amend section 2322*x*16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No 399—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k* and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder.

Also: Assembly Bill No 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody.

Also: Assembly Bill No 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

Also: Assembly Bill No 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16¾, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Also: Assembly Bill No 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith" approved May 30, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*k*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Deuel: An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361c, 361f and 361g, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder.

By Mr. Hawes: An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 562, relating to the approval of bond required to be filed with sheriff in attachment, garnishment, execution or other actions.

By Mr. McPherson: An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

By Mr. Miller, James A.: An act to amend section 258 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to court commissioners.

By Mr. Heisinger: An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

(Signed out) JEWETT, Chairman
WEMPLE

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Jost: An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin.

By Mr. McPherson: An act to amend section 626o of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from skull-boats in Fish and Game District No. 2.

By Mr. Scofield: An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance, districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361c, 361f, and 361g, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of

all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 1195—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 562, relating to the approval of bond required to be filed with sheriff in attachment, garnishment, execution or other actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Miller, James A.: Assembly Bill No. 1198—An act to amend section 258 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to court commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Jost: Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from scull-boats in Fish and Game District No. 2.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the statutes of California.

Resolution referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—Relative to the election of justices and judges.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Duval:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Smith (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wright:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Leymel:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Foster:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writ of execution in civil cases.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Patterson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Roland (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating

a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Spalding:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County flood control district.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

MOTION.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the Chief Clerk be instructed to send a message of sympathy to Assemblyman D. P. Anderson on the death of his brother.

Motion unanimously adopted.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER NINE—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 9—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

Mr Patterson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 20, 21 and 22, inclusive.

Motion lost.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs Sewell, Brock, Little, Davis and Byrne demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the final passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 9 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Minter, Nielsen, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Coombs, Deuel, Finley, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Jost, Lenehan, McDonough, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, and Patterson—15

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 9 was this day passed.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

In explanation of my opposition to this self-governing bar bill I desire to say:

On the wall before us is pictured the immortal Lincoln, who fought and struggled through adversity and poverty until he became a lawyer and finally one of the greatest Americans. I have in my mind some young men who are poor but with a purpose in life; they are also struggling, like Lincoln, to learn law; they work in the logging camps in summer and get odd jobs in winter while in school to help give them the necessities of life while they do their own cooking and other work as they attend Hastings School of Law.

It appears to me that this bill has a tendency to make it more difficult to attain their end. Does not this proposed law tend to make it harder for the poor struggling boy who may not be able to pay exorbitant fees and licenses and attain extraordinary educational standards before he can attempt law?

Do not the conditions at present give to this profession extraordinary advantages? Then why this non-American privilege of governing themselves without proper State regulation?

S. L. HEISINGER.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr Jacobson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 206 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, a recess of five minutes was taken for the purpose of having Hon Will Rogers, mayor of Beverly Hills, address the Assembly.

REASSEMBLED.

At four oclock and ten minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, March 16, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 16, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Dillinger was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. Anderson, D. P., was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. David M. Hand, principal; Miss Anna Kirchgater, Miss Joan Jardine and Miss Ione Boyd, teachers of the Elk Grove union school of Elk Grove, California, and the following pupils of the seventh and eighth grades: Bertha Bender, Jack Bitzer, Inez Cadjew, Harold Carlisle, Hilda Carlisle, Marguerite Doty, Benjamin Feickert, Phyllis Fiddyment, Walter Fiddyment, Mary Foulks, George Foulks, Agnes Grenz, Lydia Grenz, June Grover, Donald Hansen, Henrietta Hanson, Lucy Hulett, Marvin Jones, Howard Kerby, Hugh Kiino, Marvin Landon, Carma Latson, Fern Leimbach, Eleanor Markofer, May Mitchell, Patricia McElree, Lawrence Phinney, Roida Pia, Mabel Riggs, Minnie Robards, Lloyd Robbins, Gladys Robbins, Jack Takahashi, Thomas Tanabe, William Tansen, Margaret Taverner, John Ulman, Norman Warren, Louise Waterman, Jack Woerner, and Elizabeth Yudiscak were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. H. K. Smith, assistant chief of Redding fire department, and third vice president of California State Firemen's Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Miss Flora A. Randolph of Berkeley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Miss Margarete Byrne of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mr. Arthur H. Breed, Jr., of Piedmont was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Miss Sue Humbarger of Stockton was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. Le Roy Johnson, city attorney of Stockton, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. A. Canzeani of San Rafael was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. E. Caletti of San Rafael was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Carlo Caletti of San Rafael was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mrs. Fred T. Moore of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mrs. Hattie Ray of Piedmont was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr W. T. Van Voris, principal; Mr. Neil Parsons, teacher of history department, of the Alhambra Union High School of Martinez, California, and the following pupils: John Adams, Eddie Arthur, Carol Beede, John Belshaw, Cortland Blair, Enes Bonavera, Katherine Boyd, Dorothee Bowden, Alice Brackman, Annie Costa, Elmo Crow, Richie Delevati, Mae DiBetta, Helen Dietle, Helen Flemming, Guillo Griffianti, Doris Hittman, Hanna John, Bernice Kapp, Irwin Keefe, Mary Kelly, Elizabeth King, Arthur Kirk, Marion McKenzie, Ross McKenzie, Mary McNamara, Winnie Meese, William Milliff, Mabel Nicholson, Rose Nulty, Virginia Olson, Beryl Parton, Inez Ray, Muriel Reid, Clarinda Rice, Guy Richards, Louise Rock, Meredith Rock, Helen Sweetser, Harry Swift, Frances Tarantino, Jack Thompson, Jains Van Thiel, Mildred Vickers, Francis Molin, Bill Nulty and Reber Miller, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, J. A., Dr. E. A. Laria of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mrs. Leila Butler Hedges, mother of Assemblyman C. Walton Hedges, Jr., was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspaper set opposite their respective names:

Los Angeles Examiner—Joseph Timmons, A. M. Rochlen.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desire to submit the following resolution.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the seventh day of March, 1927:

Roscoe J. Anderson, Jr, Page ----------$2 50

The appointment of the following named person to date from and including the fifteenth day of March, 1927

Edgar Derry, Assistant Engrossment and Enrolling Clerk ------$5.00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

REINDOLLAR, Chairman

Mr Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 9a13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the thirteenth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease, to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911, to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911," and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease, to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911, to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322*x*52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of county auditors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same and to appoint a guardian thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act." approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*

Also: Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Bill No 73—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No 81—An act to amend sections 8 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to narcotic drugs;

Also: Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 2 of "The State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 582—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates;

Also: Senate Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 11 of the State Medical Practice Act relating to subjects of examination for certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing, chiropody and midwifery, approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr Duval An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L E Hollowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California

By Mr. Smith (by request) An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C W. Booth against the State of California

By Mr Wright An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

By Mr. Foster An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writ of execution in civil cases.

By Mr Leymel: An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

By Mr. Roland (by request): An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof

By Mr. Patterson: An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

By Mr. Spalding: An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act", approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license, to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the Port of Eureka—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 36, 45, 48, 56, 58, 59 and 60 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title to the said printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: An act to amend sections five, ten, twenty-six, thirty-one, thirty-six, forty-five, forty-eight, forty-nine, and sixty of the "state housing act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 8, page 5, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and in lieu thereof add: "A private garage is a portion of a building in which not more than six automobiles are or may be kept or stored or which is not used or intended to be used for the sale, painting, repairing or rebuilding of automobiles for a fee or other compensation or for the sale of gasoline or oil."

Garage, Public. The term "public garage" and the term "public automobile repair shop" shall be understood to mean and include any portion of a building used or intended to be used for the housing or storage of more than six automobiles, or used or intended to be used for the sale, painting, repairing or rebuilding of automobiles for a fee or other compensation

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 10, line 18, of the printed bill, after the period insert a new section as follows:

SEC. 4. Section 31 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 31 In every building hereafter erected, every living room, bedroom, guest room, dormitory, kitchen, scullery, pantry (except pantries in apartments) or other room in which food is stored or prepared, dining room, general amusement, entertainment or reception room and room or compartment wherein there is installed a water-closet, shower, bathtub, or toilet or general utility room shall have a window or windows of the area hereinafter required, opening directly onto a street, public alley, or a yard or court of the dimensions specified in this act and located on the same lot.

All such windows shall be located so as to properly light all portions of the room or compartment as the case may be, and shall be made and arranged so at least one-half of the aggregate window area, required in each such room or compartment, may be opened unobstructed.

The windows required by this action in a water-closet or shower compartment, bath, toilet or slop-sink room may open directly into a vent shaft in lieu of a street, yard or court. Such vent shaft shall be not less than the minimum size, and constructed of the materials and in the manner prescribed by section fifty-six of this act

Windows required by this act for rooms and public hallways, in apartment houses and hotels hereafter erected, shall not open through roofed porches more than seven feet in depth, measured at right angles from such windows unless such roofed porches abut a street, yard or court and such roofed porches shall be designed and constructed with one side and one end thereof open and unobstructed, except the usual rails, balustrades and similar necessary structural features and such open and unobstructed portion shall be at least sixty-five per cent open and unobstructed measured between the floors and underside of roofs of such porches where such roofed porches are on the ground or main lower floor of the apartment house or hotel, but where such roofed porches are erected above the first or main lower floor such roofed porches shall be designed and constructed with one side and one end thereof open and unobstructed, except the usual rails, balustrades and similar necessary structural features, and such open and unobstructed portions shall be at least ninety per cent open and unobstructed measured between the floors and the underside of roofs of such porches; *and provided*, that any such roofed porch of seven feet or less in depth shall in the same manner have open and unobstructed on at least one side or end at least fifty per cent on the full side or end measured at right angles from the windows served and every porch shall have a ceiling height of not less than seven feet.

In a hotel, water-closet or shower compartment, bath, toilet, kitchens, sculleries, pantries or other rooms used for cooking, storing or preparing of food, general amusement rooms, reception rooms, public dining rooms and general utility rooms, and in a fireproof apartment house more than four stories in height the water-closet compartments, bath or toilet rooms, general amusement, entertainment or reception rooms, and general utility rooms in lieu of windows may be ventilated by an exhaust system of ventilation installed, constructed and maintained as hereinafter prescribed by section 60 hereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 11, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "5" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 11, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "6" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 12, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "7" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 12, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "8" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 14, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "9" and in lieu thereof insert the figures "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

After the word "brick" in line 36, page 15, of the printed bill, add a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

In line 46, page 14, of the printed bill, strike out everything from the word "Every" to the period in line 51, and insert in lieu thereof as follows:

Every gas water heater, or oven of gas range, installed in a building hereafter erected, and every gas water heater in a building heretofore erected, shall be provided with a vent pipe which may be of sheet metal not less than two and one-half inches internal diameter, and in all cases be connected to a masonry, terra cotta or patent chimney leading to the outer air.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

Strike out all of section 60 on pages 15 and 16, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof

Sec. 60. In every hotel hereafter erected the water-closet compartments, shower compartments, bath, toilet or slop-sink rooms, kitchens, sculleries, pantries or other rooms in which food is stored or prepared, public dining rooms, laundries, general amusement, entertainment or reception rooms, and rooms used for similar purposes and general utility rooms, in lieu of being provided with windows, as in this act prescribed, may be provided with an approved fan exhaust system of ventilation, so designed and operated as to provide a complete change of air in not to exceed fifteen minutes for each room used for the following purposes: Kitchens, pantries or other rooms used for cooking, storing or preparing of foods; laundries, general amusement, entertainment, reception or dining rooms, or rooms used for similar purposes; general utility rooms, and public hallways in fireproof hotels, and the said fan exhaust system of ventilation shall be so designed and operated as to provide a complete change of air in not to exceed five minutes for each room used for the following purposes: Water closets, shower compartment; bath, toilet or slop-sink rooms or sculleries.

In every fireproof apartment house more than four stories in height hereafter erected the water-closet compartments, bath or toilet rooms, general amusement, entertainment or reception rooms, and general utility rooms, in lieu of being provided with windows, as in this act prescribed, may be provided with an approved fan exhaust system of ventilation so designed and operated as to provide a complete change of air in not to exceed fifteen minutes for each room used for the following purposes: General amusement, entertainment and general utility rooms, or rooms used for similar purposes and the said fan exhaust system of ventilation shall be so designed and operated as to provide a complete change of air in not to exceed five minutes for each room used for the following purposes: Water-closet; shower compartments, bath or toilet rooms.

Any person in charge of a building in which a system of fan exhaust ventilation is installed and used as in this section prescribed, who fails, neglects or refuses to operate and maintain the said system of ventilation in good order and repair so that the ventilation (complete change of air) herein specified is provided in each of the

rooms or compartments at all times, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to all of the penalties fixed by this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word and number "section 1" strike out the remaining portions of the bill down to and including the word "therefor" on page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following Section 6 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 6. Such cemetery district shall be governed and managed by three trustees appointed by the board of supervisors of the county, or in case the district is in more than one county, by the supervisors in which the largest portion of the district is located the trustees be appointed from electors within said district The trustees shall hold office for four years and until the appointment and qualifications of their successors, and shall serve without compensation

SEC. 2. Section 9 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 9 The said board of cemetery trustees shall annually, at or before the time fixed by law for the levy of county taxes, estimate and certify to board, or boards of supervisors in the county or counties, in which the said cemetery district is situated (if lying within more than one county), the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation for the maintenance of the cemetery of the district. In case the district is located in more than one county the said board shall apportion the amount to be raised by each county of the district according to the proportion which the acreage embraced within one county of the district bears to the total acreage of the district. The board, or boards, as the case may be, shall each thereupon include in their respective annual tax levies of the county, or counties, a tax upon all property within such cemetery district sufficient to raise the amount so certified by the trustees, but not to exceed two mills on each dollar of assessed valuation within the district.

SEC 3 Section 10 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 10 Said tax shall be collected by the same officers of the county (or of the several counties, if the said cemetery district is situated in more than one county), and in the same manner as other county taxes, and the said tax moneys shall be paid into the treasury of the county, *provided, however*, that in cases where a cemetery district embraces more than one county, the county auditor of those counties having the smaller proportional acreage of their lands embraced within said district shall draw his warrant in a sum equal to the amount so collected in favor of the county having the greatest proportional acreage of their lands embraced within said district Said tax moneys so paid into the treasury of the county shall constitute a separate fund to be expended solely for the purposes of the said cemetery district, upon warrants issued by the county auditor on orders signed by not less than two of said cemetery trustees And it is expressly provided, further, that all funds now on hand, accruing from a previous assessment in the treasury of any unit of the proposed district or district already in existence, or that may hereafter be accumulated through gift, bequest or assessment, shall be paid over to the treasurer of the county having the greater amount of acreage in the district as hereinbefore provided.

SEC. 4. Section 11 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 11. The trustees shall, as soon after the first day of July in each year as practicable, file with the county board, or boards (if the district is situated in more than one county), of supervisors a report, setting forth all their transactions during the fiscal year, and containing an itemized account of all their receipts and disbursements during said fiscal year, together with proper vouchers therefor.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" add the following: "Section ten of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 1 of the printed bill, after the word and figures "Section 1." insert the following: "Section 10 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 10. The municipal court in a city or city and county of the second and one-half class, shall be constituted, and the judges, officers and attaches thereof shall receive compensation as follows:

(*a*) There shall be five judges, each of whom shall receive six thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments;

(*b*) There shall be one clerk who shall also be secretary to the court, to be appointed by the judges thereof, who shall receive three hundred dollars per month;

(*c*) The clerk shall appoint the following:

One chief deputy, who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month; five deputy court clerks, who shall each receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; one cashier-bookkeeper, who shall receive a salary of two hundred thirty-five dollars per month; six deputy clerks, who shall each receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month; one stenographer, male, who shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; one stenographer, female, who shall receive one hundred twenty-five dollars per month;

(*d*) There shall be one marshal to be appointed by the judges of the court who shall receive three hundred twenty-five dollars per month. The marshal shall appoint the following: One chief deputy who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month; two assistant marshals who shall each receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; seven deputies who shall each receive two hundred dollars per month; five deputies to act as bailiffs of the courts who shall each receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month: *provided, further*, that all marshals, assistant marshals or deputy marshals hereinabove named shall be allowed in addition to their salaries, their actual and necessary incidental expenses incurred in the actual performance of their duties, including traveling expenses to be allowed at the rate of ten cents per mile for the operation of automobiles actually used in performance of their business on public duty or to pay for such other mode of transportation as they may adopt."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "executed", insert the following: "and leaves a minor child or minor children".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "widow" strike out the comma, and insert the following: "and minor or minors,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the words "a veteran a farm, the" strike out the word "cost" and insert in lieu thereof the word "value".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the word "cost" and insert in lieu thereof the word "value".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county police protection districts, and annexation thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading

Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes," approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance for any such purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the word "hangars" in line 9, page 1, of the printed bill, add the words "mooring masts,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Insert in lieu of the period at the end of line 11, page 1, of the printed bill, a comma, and add thereafter the following words: "together with signal lights, radio equipment, service shops, conveniences, appliances, works, structures and other air navigation facilities, now known or hereafter invented, of such number and character and in such places as may be necessary or convenient."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

After line 43, page 2, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraph:

SEC. 4 In connection with the erection or maintenance of any such airport or airports, or air navigation facilities, any such city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders charter or otherwise, or town, or any municipal corporation, shall have the power and jurisdiction to regulate the receipt, deposit and removal, the embarkation or debarkation of passengers or property to and from such landing places or moorage as may be provided, to exact and require charges, fees and tolls, together with a lien to enforce their payment, to lease or assign for operation such space or area, appurtenances, appliances or other conveniences necessary or useful in connection therewith, to own and operate municipal aircraft, to employ pilots, to provide rules and regulations covering the use of such airport and facilities and the use of other property or means of transportation within or over the said airport, to perform any duties necessary or convenient for the regulation of air traffic, to enter into contracts or otherwise cooperate with the federal

government or other public or private agencies, and otherwise exercise such powers as may be required or convenient in the promotion of aeronautics and the furtherance of commerce and navigation by air.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out the words "said purposes" in lines 10 and 11, page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "the acquisition, construction and completion of any of the purposes mentioned in section 1 of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Strike out the words "section 4." in line 44, page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "section 5".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act relating to assessment districts in municipalities and to provide that no person shall be eligible to vote in bond elections for improvements within such districts except property owners living within such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to provide for an election between property owners affected to determine whether any street work for any improvement of any nature whatsoever which contemplates the issuance of bonds or the levying of an assessment or other charge shall or shall not be undertaken and to provide procedure for the calling and holding thereof"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Section 1." insert the following: "Wherever in this act the phrase "street work" is used, it means and shall be taken to mean any street work for any improvement of any nature whatsoever proposed to be done under authority of "An act to provide for work upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, and also the act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and designated "improvement act of 1911", and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, and also any and all other acts for the doing of work and making of any street improvements of any nature whatsoever within municipalities whereby the cost of the whole or any portion of such work or improvements is charged and assessed upon the real property of any given district or area benefited by such improvement.

SEC. 2. No act or proceeding or work of any nature whatsoever shall be undertaken by any governing body having jurisdiction to propose or undertake street work for any improvement of any nature whatsoever which contemplates the issuance of any bonds or the levying of any assessment or charge upon the real property of any given district or area to be benefited by such street work, which district or area is required to pay for such work under the acts hereinabove referred to unless and until the same shall have been approved by a majority of the property owners lying with the district or area, at an election as hereinafter provided

SEC. 3. Whenever the governing body having jurisdiction of the initiation of any proceeding or work involving any street work as provided in section 2 shall desire to institute said work contemplating the issuance of any bonds or the levying of any assessment or charge upon the real property of any district or area affected, the said body shall order a special election to be held in some place in the district or area to be designated by said body at which special election there shall be submitted to the owners of the land in said district or area the question whether or not the proposed street work contemplating the issuance of bonds or the levying of an assessment or charge shall or shall not be undertaken. For purposes of voting as provided for

in this section, the equalized assessment roll for the year last preceding, in each county wherein any land of the district or area is situated shall be sufficient evidence of ownership and of value of lands in the district or area. Guardians, executors, administrators and other persons holding land in a trust capacity under appointment of court may sign such petitions or by-laws or may vote without obtaining special authority therefor.

Notice of such special election must be given by the governing body by posting notices thereof in at least three public places in the district or area at least twenty-one days prior thereto, and also by publication for the same length of time in some newspaper of general circulation published in each county in which any portion of said district or area may be situated; and such notice must specify the time and place of holding such election and the names of three landholders of the district to act as a board of election. Affidavits of the publication and posting of such notice must be filed with the county clerk of the county in which said district or the greater part thereof is situated (herein designated as the main county), together with a copy of said order calling the election. Said governing body shall have authority to appoint an election board to consist of not more than three property owners within said district or area, which board shall have the powers and duties hereinafter provided

At such election each owner of lands in the district or area shall be entitled to vote in person or by proxy and shall have the right to cast one vote for each dollars worth of real estate owned by him in the district, such value and ownership thereof to be determined from the next preceding assessment roll of the county or counties in which the lands of said district or area are situate and the said body calling the election shall, prior to the election, cause to be prepared and furnished to the board of election, a true and correct copy of the said next preceding assessment roll of the said county or counties, which said certified roll shall be used by the said board of election in determining the number of votes each voter is entitled to cast. Executors, administrators, special administrators and guardians may cast the votes of the estates represented by them

No person shall vote by proxy at such election unless authority to cast such vote shall be evidenced by an instrument in writing, duly acknowledged and certified in the same manner as grants of real property and filed with the board of election The ballots cast at such election shall contain the name of the person casting the ballot with the number of votes cast by him. A list of the ballots cast shall be made by the board of election, containing the name of each voter, and, if the ballot be cast by proxy, the name of the person casting it, and the number of votes cast by each, and whether the same be cast for or against the undertaking of any street work contemplating the issuance of bonds or the levying of any assessment or charge upon the real property of any district or area to be benefited thereby

If any person appointed as a member of the board of election shall fail to attend at the opening of the polls, the voters then present may appoint in his place any landholder of the district Each member of such board of election must, before entering upon his duties take and subscribe an official oath, which oath may be administered by an officer authorized to administer oaths or by any landholder in the district The polls shall be kept open from 10 o'clock a.m., of the day of election until 4 o'clock p.m At the close of the polls the board of election shall at once proceed to canvass the votes and declare the result and shall forward a certificate showing such result and the number of votes cast for and against the issuing of bonds, to the county clerk of the main county and shall also deliver to the said county clerk of the main county all ballots cast at such election and all documents and papers used at such election Any person interested may contest such election within twenty days after such filing of said certificate with the said county clerk by bringing suit in the superior court of the main county, otherwise the declaration of the result by the board of election shall be final and conclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding proprietors of hotels, inns, restaurants, boarding houses.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to amend chapter 358 of the Municipal Court Act, approved May 23, 1925, by adding a new section to be known as section 31, providing for municipal court auditors for municipal courts in cities and counties of one and a half class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the management of community real property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917," as amended, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, in the first line of the title, strike out the word "and", and after the word "six" insert a comma followed by the words "and thirteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out all of section 1 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The standard apple act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended;" approved June 3, 1921, as amended; approved May 26, 1923, as amended; approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The following standard grades and standard box are hereby established for apples, packed, shipped, delivered for shipment, offered for sale or sold, in the State of California.

(*a*) The "Extra Fancy" grade shall consist of well-grown, properly matured apples of one variety; hand picked, well colored and normally shaped for the locality where produced, uniform in size, well packed, in clean standard boxes, and shall be free from insect pests, visible rot, visible dry rot, visible Baldwin spot, Jonathan spot and other diseases, and from insect bites, bruises, skin punctures, skin broken at stem and other defects, except such bruises as are necessarily caused in the operation of packing, and virtually free from dirt; *provided, however,* that russeting confined within the basin of the stem shall be permitted and that a variation from the said standard as to insect pests, diseases, dry rot, Baldwin spot, insect bites, bruises and other defects shall be allowed not to exceed ten per cent total thereof, in any one package, and not to exceed five per cent of any one thereof, in any one package; *provided, further,* that a variation in the size of the apples contained in one box shall be allowed as follows: in boxes containing one hundred twenty-five apples, or less, a variation of one-half inch when measured through the widest portion of the cross section thereof; in boxes containing one hundred thirty-eight apples, or more, a variation of three-eighths of one inch when so measured.

(*b*) The "Fancy" grade shall consist of well-grown, properly matured apples of one variety, hand picked, normally shaped for the locality where produced, uniform in size, and shall be free from visible rot, visible dry rot, visible Baldwin spot, Jonathan spot, soft scald, internal breakdown, serious internal browning, visible watercore and other diseases, and from insect pests, insect bites, skin punctures, skin broken at stems, bruises and other defects (except such bruises as are necessarily caused in the operation of packing), and virtually free from dirt, and shall be well packed in containers which shall be virtually clean; provided that internal browning which can not be detected by external examination or pressure shall be permitted in this grade; *provided, further,* that smooth caterpillar bites, which on any one apple and in the aggregate shall not exceed one-half of one inch in diameter, slight limb rubs, and not to exceed two healed over case-bearer, codlin moth or aphid stings on each apple, slight sun spots and slight flyspeck fungus, and scab spots which on any one apple and in the aggregate shall not exceed one-fourth of one inch in diameter, russeting which is not excessively rough, and which does not appear on more than twenty-five per cent of the surface of any one apple in the aggregate, except in the case of Newtown Pippins, on which it does not appear on more than thirty-three per cent of the surface of any one apple in the aggregate, shall be permitted in this grade; *provided, further,* that when the apples contained in any box are packed in tiers, and the size thereof is indicated upon the box by the use of tier markings, a variation in the size of the apples in such package shall be allowed not to exceed one-half of one inch when measured as hereinafter provided, but when such tier markings are not used, but in lieu thereof the number of apples contained in the box is given, a variation in the size of the apples in such package shall be allowed as follows: in boxes containing one hundred twenty-five apples, or less, a variation of one-half inch when measured through the widest portion of the cross section thereof; in boxes containing one hundred thirty-eight apples or more, a variation of three-eighths of one inch when so measured; *and provided, further,* that a variation from said standard as to the pests, diseases and defects above mentioned as forbidden shall be permitted not to exceed ten per cent total thereof, not to exceed five per cent of any one thereof, in any one package; *and provided, further,* that apples slightly soiled and/or slightly dirty shall be permitted in this grade.

(*c*) The "Fancy Loose" grade shall conform in all respects to the "Fancy" grade, as hereinabove established, with the following exceptions; the apples in this grade

shall not be packed, and the only requirement as to size shall be that none of the apples of this grade shall be of a size that will pass through a ring two and three-eighth inches in diameter.

(*d*) The "C" grade shall consist of properly matured apples of one variety, hand picked, uniform in size, well packed, free from visible rot, visible dry rot, visible Baldwin spot, Jonathan spot, soft scald, internal breakdown, serious internal browning, visible watercore, and other diseases, and from insect pests, broken skin, sun scald and frost bite more than skin deep; *provided* that internal browning which can not be detected by external examination or pressure shall be permitted in this grade; *provided, further*, that scab spots on any apple not larger than one-half of one inch in diameter in the aggregate, and apples showing blossom end cracks, shall be permitted in this grade; *provided, further*, that a variation from said standard as to such insect pests, dry rot, Baldwin spot, diseases and defects, shall be allowed not to exceed ten per cent total thereof nor to exceed five per cent of any one insect pest, decay or Baldwin spot in any one package; *provided, further*, that when the apples contained in any box are packed in tiers and the size thereof is indicated upon the box by the use of tier markings, a variation in the size of the apples in such package shall be allowed not to exceed one-half of one inch when measured as hereinafter provided, but when such tier markings are not used, but in lieu thereof the number of apples contained in the box is given, a variation in the size of the apples in such package shall be allowed as follows. In boxes containing one hundred twenty-five apples, or less, a variation of one-half inch when measured through the widest portion of the cross-section thereof; in boxes containing one hundred thirty-eight apples or more, a variation of three-eighths of one inch when so measured.

(*e*) The "C Loose" grade shall conform in all respects to the "C" grade, as hereinabove established, with the following exceptions; the apples in this grade shall not be packed, and the only requirement as to size shall be that none of the apples of this grade shall be of a size that will pass through a ring two and three-eighths inches in diameter.

(*f*) The "Unclassified" grade shall consist of apples, packed or unpacked, of one variety, free from insect pests, visible rot, visible dry rot, visible Baldwin spot, Jonathan spot, soft scald, internal breakdown, serious internal browning and other diseases, *provided*, that visible watercore and that scab spots on any one apple not larger than one-half of one inch in diameter, in the aggregate, shall be permitted in this grade; *provided further*, that a variation from the said standard as to such insect pests, dry rot, Baldwin spot, diseases and defects, shall be allowed not to exceed ten per cent total thereof, nor to exceed five per cent of any one insect pest, decay or Baldwin spot in any one package.

(*g*) For the purpose of this section, although the tolerances specified for the various standards necessarily are placed on a package basis, not more than one-fourth of the packages in any lot may be permitted to exceed the tolerance established by not more than one-half of the amount allowed, *provided*, that the entire lot shall average within the tolerance established, *provided, further*, that no container shall have more insect pests or decay than the amount specified in the tolerance established

(*h*) Standard containers for apples shall be boxes of the following dimensions: inside measurements, when measured without distention of parts; depth of end ten and one-half inches; width of end eleven and one-half inches; length of box eighteen inches, having a cubical content of as nearly as possible two thousand one hundred seventy-three and one-half cubic inches, and a box with the same length and width, but with a depth of end five and one-fourth inches; having a cubical content of as nearly as possible one thousand eighty-six and three-fourths cubic inches.

(*i*) All packed apples, when shipped, offered for sale or sold, shall be placed in one of the standard boxes herein described; *provided, however*, that other sized containers may be used (except where the words "Extra Fancy" are used as the grade designation) if conspicuously marked, in letters not less than one-half inch in height "Irregular Container."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out all of section 2 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof substitute the following.

SEC. 2. Section 3 of said act, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 3. Every container of apples, excepting unclassified loose, when stored, loaded, shipped, delivered for shipment, offered for sale or sold, in the State of California shall bear upon the outside thereof, and on the end in plain words or figures and in the English language, the following The grade of the apples therein contained, as herein defined; the designation of grade, when the stamps hereinafter provided for are not used, being stated in letters not smaller than thirty-six-point type, that is, not less than one-half inch in height; the number of apples contained in the package, or the minimum net weight of the apples contained therein, or the cubical contents of the package, the variety of the apples contained in the package, unless the variety be unknown to the packer, in which case the variety shall be stated as unknown, the name and business address of the person, firm, company, organization or corporation, who first packed or caused the same to be packed, and if repacked, the name and business address of the person, firm, company, organization or corporation who repacked the same or caused same to be repacked; the date when such

apples were first packed, or if repacked, the date of repacking, and on each container of apples which have been held in cold storage for more than thirty days after being packed a statement showing the fact that the contents have been held in cold storage; *provided, however*, that a variation of five apples, more or less, than the number stated, shall be allowed; *provided, further*, that any container of loose apples which meet the requirements for unclassified apples, as herein defined, in lieu of such markings shall be marked, in plain words and in the English language, and in letters not less than one-half inch in height, with the words "Unclassified Apples"

(*a*) The term "packed," whenever used in this act, shall be construed to mean the regular, compact arrangement of all or a part of the fruit in any container; the term "well packed," whenever used in this act, shall be construed to mean the regular, compact arrangement of all of the fruit in any container, the fruit being compacted with sufficient solidity so that it will not move in the container when lidded, the top and the bottom of the box, when lidded, having a bulge of not less than one-half inch, and, where wrappers are used, all of the apples in the box being wrapped, with the exception of the bottom layer, which may be "flagged." The term "flagged" shall be construed to mean the incomplete covering of the apples by the use of wrappers which are not closed.

(*b*) The term "three and one-half tier," "four tier," "four and one-half tier" and "five tier," whenever used as the designation of the size of apples sold or offered for sale, shall have the following meanings, respectively, to wit

The term "three and one-half tier" shall mean an apple in size three inches or larger when measured as in this section prescribed; the term "four tier" shall mean an apple larger in size than two and five-eighths inches and not larger than three and one-eighth inches when so measured; the term "four and one-half tier" shall mean an apple not smaller in size than two and one-fourth inches nor larger than two and three-fourths inches, when so measured; the term "five tier" shall mean an apple not smaller in size than one and seven-eighths inches, nor larger than two and one-fourth inches, when so measured.

(*c*) All measurements of apples that may be required or contemplated by the terms of this section shall be made by the use of rings having the specified diameter. If the apple being measured will pass through such ring it shall be deemed to be smaller than the diameter of the ring; if not, it shall be deemed to be larger than such diameter.

(*d*) The term "cross-section," whenever used in this act, shall mean the section of an apple taken at a right angle to a straight line drawn from the stem end to the blossom end thereof

(*e*) When the size of the apples in any container shall be designated by the terms "three and one-half tier," "four tier," "four and one-half tier," or "five tier," at least ninety-five per cent of the apples in each such container shall conform to the definition of the tier marking used, as herein defined, and no apples in the container shall be smaller than the size next smaller, as herein defined.

(*f*) The term "properly matured," as used in this act, shall be deemed to mean that the apples to which it refers, at the time they were taken or fell from the tree, had reached that stage of development necessary to insure the proper completion of the ripening process, *provided, however*, that unclassified apples of any variety shall not be required to be properly matured; *provided, further*, that apples of the varieties Alexander, Red Astrachan, White Astrachan and Beitigheimer shall not be required to be properly matured, as herein defined, in order to meet the requirements of the "Fancy" and "C" grades.

(*g*) The term "insect pests," whenever used in this act, shall include San Jose scale, codlin moth and other insects, or the larvæ, nymphs, or pupæ thereof, and also shall include any apple which has been infested with codlin moth, and bears evidence of such infestation, with the exception of superficial, well healed codlin moth stings.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out all of section 3 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

SEC. 3. Section 4 of said act, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 4. No person, firm, company, organization or corporation shall sell or offer for sale, within the State of California, any apples labeled, designated, invoiced or represented to be, of "Extra Fancy," "Fancy," "Fancy Loose," "C" grade, "C Loose," or "Unclassified," whether contained in closed packages or otherwise, unless the same shall conform to the standard for such grade herein established.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Strike out all of section 4 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

SEC. 4. Section 5 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. No person, firm, company, organization or corporation shall import into this state, or deliver for shipment, store, load, ship, sell, barter, keep on display, offer for sale or have in his possession for sale, apples which do not meet the specifications of "Extra Fancy," "Fancy," "Fancy Loose," "C" grade, "C Loose" or

"Unclassified" apples as herein defined; *provided, however*, that no provision of this act shall prevent a grower of fruits in the State of California from selling the same in bulk, or unpacked and unmarked, to a packer, or prevent a grower or packer from manufacturing the same into any apple by-product, or from selling the same unmarked and unpacked to any person, firm, company, organization or corporation actually engaged in the operation of an apple by-product factory, and for the sole and express purpose of being used in the manufacture of an apple by-product; *provided, further*, that all apples placed or exposed in bulk for sale by any person, firm, company, organization or corporation shall at least meet the requirements of unclassified apples as herein defined; *provided, further*, that such apples shall not require a sign, placard or grade designation stating classification to which the apples belong, *provided, further*, that no statement, figure, design or device appearing in connection with and having reference to any lot of apples so exposed shall be false or misleading in any particular.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

Strike out all of section 5 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

SEC. 5. Section 6 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. No statement, figure, design or device appearing upon any container in which apples are loaded, sold, bartered, or offered for sale, or in which apples are packed for sale, or shipment, or upon the brand or lining of any such container, or upon the wrapper of any apple therein contained, or upon any sign or placard used in connection therewith and having reference to the apples contained, shall be false or misleading, in any particular. The words "Extra Fancy" shall not be used with reference to any apples the grade of which does not conform to the standard for "Extra Fancy" grade as in this act defined; and the word "Fancy" or words "Fancy Loose" shall not be used with reference to any apples the grade of which does not conform to the standard for "Fancy" grade or the "Fancy Loose" grade, as the case may be, as in this act defined; nor shall the letter "C", or words "C Loose", as an indication of grade, or quality, be used with reference to any apples the grade of which does not conform to the standard for "C" grade or "C Loose" grade, as the case may be, as in this act defined, nor shall the words "Unclassified Apples" be used with reference to any apples, the grade of which does not conform to the requirements of unclassified apples as in this act defined.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

SEC. 6. Section 13 of the said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 13. Any person, firm, company, organization or corporation, who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be punishable by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment; *provided, however*, that when any lot of apples has been inspected as herein permitted, has been passed by the inspector as conforming to the requirements of this act, and has thereupon been sold, and placed in cold storage or shipped to a purchaser, the person who was the owner, packer, or shipper of the lot, at the time of such inspection, shall not be prosecuted hereunder by reason of any failure of any of said fruit so to conform discovered upon any subsequent inspection or examination of such lot.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, commencing with line 8, strike out everything to and including line 39 on page 12

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 12, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out "39" and insert in lieu thereof "19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 12, lines 40 and 41, of the printed bill, strike out "thirty-ninth" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 12, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out "40" and insert in lieu thereof "20".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 12, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out "forty-first" and insert in lieu thereof "twenty-first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 12, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out "fortieth" and insert in lieu thereof "twentieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 12, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out "41" and insert in lieu thereof "21".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 13, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out "forty-first" and insert in lieu thereof "twenty-first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 13, between lines 9 and 10, of the printed bill, insert the following:

22. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center line of Market street with the center line of Eleventh street; thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Eleventh street to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Army street, Army street to San Bruno avenue, San Bruno avenue to the boundary line between the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo; thence easterly along said boundary line to the Bay of San Francisco, thence northerly along the shore line of said bay to its intersection with the center line of Market street, thence along the center line of Market street to the point of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-second assembly district.

23. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows. Commencing at the point of intersection of Dolores and Twenty-ninth streets; thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Twenty-ninth to Mission, Mission to Army, Army to San Bruno avenue, San Bruno avenue to the boundary line dividing the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo, thence along said boundary line westerly to the center line of San Jose avenue, thence along the center lines of the following named streets, to wit: San Jose avenue to Dolores street, Dolores street to Twenty-ninth street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-third assembly district.

24. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Twenty-second and Dolores streets, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Dolores to San Jose avenue, San Jose avenue to the boundary line dividing the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo, thence along said boundary line, westerly, to the waters of the Pacific ocean, thence along the shore line of said ocean northerly, to the Sloat boulevard; thence along the center lines of the following named streets, to wit: Sloat boulevard to Corbett avenue, Corbett avenue to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Dixie alley, Dixie alley to Grand View avenue, Grand View avenue to Twenty-second street, Twenty-second street to Dolores, the place of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-fourth assembly district.

25. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows. Commencing at the point of intersection of Eighteenth street and Dolores street, continuing along the center lines of the following named streets, to wit: Dolores to Twenty-ninth, Twenty-ninth to Mission, Mission to Army, Army to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Eighteenth street, Eighteenth to Harrison, Harrison to Eighteenth, Eighteenth to Dolores, the point of commencement, shall constitute the twenty-fifth assembly district.

26. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows. Commencing at the point of intersection of McAllister and Fillmore streets, continuing thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Fillmore street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Church street, Church street to Eighteenth, Eighteenth to Dolores, Dolores to Twenty-second, Twenty-second to Grand View avenue, Grand View avenue to Dixie alley, Dixie alley to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Clarendon avenue, Clarendon avenue to Clayton street, Clayton to Ashbury, Ashbury to Piedmont, Piedmont to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Java street, Java street to Buena Vista avenue, Buena Vista avenue to Central avenue, Central avenue to Oak street, Oak street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to McAllister street, McAllister street to Fillmore street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-sixth assembly district.

27. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Fulton street and Masonic avenue;

thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit Masonic avenue to Oak street, Oak street to Central avenue, Central avenue to Buena Vista avenue, Buena Vista avenue to Java street, Java street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Piedmont street, Piedmont street to Ashbury street, Ashbury street to Clayton street, Clayton street to Clarendon avenue, Clarendon avenue to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Corbett avenue, Corbett avenue to Sloat boulevard, Sloat boulevard to the waters of the Pacific ocean, thence along the shore line of said ocean northerly to Fulton street, Fulton street to Masonic avenue, the place of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-seventh assembly district.

28. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Fulton street and Parker avenue, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Parker avenue to California street, California street to Maple avenue, Maple avenue to the southerly line of the Presidio reservation; thence westerly along the southerly boundary of the Presidio reservation to Lobos creek, thence along the center line of Lobos creek to the waters of the Pacific ocean; thence westerly and southerly along the said shore line to Fulton street, Fulton street to Parker avenue, the point of beginning, together with the islands known as the Farrallon islands, shall constitute the twenty-eighth assembly district.

29. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of McAllister street and Van Ness avenue, thence along the center lines of the following named streets, to wit: Van Ness avenue to Market street, Market street to Eleventh street, Eleventh street to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Eighteenth street, Eighteenth street to Harrison street, Harrison street to Eighteenth street, Eighteenth street to Church street, Church street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Fillmore street, Fillmore street to McAllister street, McAllister street to Van Ness avenue, the place of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-ninth assembly district.

30. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Pine street and Van Ness avenue, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Van Ness avenue to McAllister street, McAllister to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Fulton street, Fulton street to Parker avenue, Parker avenue to California street, California street to Presidio avenue, Presidio avenue to Pine street, Pine street to Van Ness avenue, the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirtieth assembly district.

31. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Pine street and Van Ness avenue, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit, Van Ness avenue to the bay of San Francisco, thence along the short line of said bay to the waters of the Pacific ocean; thence along the shore line of said ocean to Lobos creek; thence along the line of said Lobos creek to the southerly boundary line of Presidio reservation; thence along said boundary line to Maple street, Maple street to California street, California street to Presidio avenue, Presidio avenue to Pine street, Pine street to Van Ness avenue, the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-first assembly district.

32. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Van Ness avenue and Market street, continuing along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Van Ness avenue to the waters of the bay of San Francisco; thence easterly along the shore line of said bay to Jones street, Jones street to Green street, Green street to Mason street, Mason street to Ellis street, Ellis street to Jones street, Jones street to Market street, Market street to Van Ness avenue, the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-second assembly district.

33. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Market street and Jones street, continuing thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Jones to Ellis, Ellis to Mason, Mason to Green, Green to Jones, Jones to the waters of the bay of San Francisco; thence easterly along the shore line of said bay to Market street, Market street to Jones street, the point of beginning and the islands of the bay of San Francisco within the city and county of San Francisco, shall constitute the thirty-third assembly district.

34 All of that portion of the county of Alameda lying southerly and easterly of a line described as follows.

Beginning at a point where the boundary line between Eden and Alameda townships intersects the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence easterly and northerly along the boundary line of Alameda township to the line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships; thence easterly, northeasterly and easterly along the boundary line between Eden and Brooklyn townships to the southwesterly boundary line of the town of San Leandro; thence in a general northerly direction along said boundary line to the center of East Fourteenth street; thence northwesterly following along the center line of East Fourteenth street to the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue to the center line of Flora street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Flora street to the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of

Sixty-eighth avenue to the center line of Foothill boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Foothill boulevard to the center line of Sixty-ninth avenue; thence northerly and northeasterly along the center line of Sixty-ninth avenue to the line known as the Brothers line, being the dividing line between the A. M. Peralta and Ygnacio Peralta portion of the Rancho San Antonio, to the line between Eden and Brooklyn townships on the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland; thence following the northeast boundary line of the city of Oakland in a northwesterly direction, to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the county of Alameda, shall constitute the thirty-fourth assembly district.

35 All of that portion of the county of Alameda lying easterly of a line described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the boundary line between Eden and Alameda townships intersects the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence easterly and northerly along the boundary line of Alameda township to the line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships, thence easterly, northeasterly and easterly along the boundary line between Eden and Brooklyn townships to the southwesterly boundary line of the town of San Leandro; thence northerly and easterly along said boundary line to the center of East Fourteenth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of East Fourteenth street to its intersection with the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to an intersection with the center line of East Twentieth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of East Twentieth street to the intersection with the center line of Park boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Park boulevard to the intersection with the center line of Newton avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Newton avenue and its direct production northerly, to the intersection with the center line of Brooklyn avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Brooklyn avenue and its direct extension to the intersection with a line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships, said point being in Lake Merritt; thence southwesterly along said township line to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of Alameda township; thence westerly following along the said northerly boundary line of Alameda township line to its intersection with the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence southwesterly along said county boundary line to the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-fifth assembly district.

36 All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Thirteenth avenue is intersected by the center line of East Fourteenth street, in the city of Oakland; thence northeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the intersection with the center line of Park boulevard; thence northeasterly along the center line of Park boulevard to the intersection with the direct production southeasterly of the southerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont; thence northwesterly along said production to the southeast corner of the boundary line of the city of Piedmont; thence following the southeasterly and northeasterly boundary lines of the city of Piedmont to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence northeasterly along said dividing line and the center line of Thorn road between Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland; thence in a general southeasterly direction, following said boundary line of the city of Oakland to a point where the same would be intersected by the dividing line between the A. M. Peralta and Ygnacio Peralta portion of the Rancho San Antonio, also known as the Brothers line; thence southwesterly along said Rancho and Brothers line to the center line of Sixty-ninth avenue; thence continuing in a southwesterly and southerly direction along the center line of Sixty-ninth avenue to the center line of Foothill boulevard; thence westerly along the center line of Foothill boulevard to the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue to the center line of Flora street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Flora street to the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Sixty-eighth avenue to the center line of East Fourteenth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of East Fourteenth street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-sixth assembly district.

37. All that portion of Alameda county described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway is intersected by the center line of Twentieth street, in the city of Oakland; thence southeasterly along the center line of Twentieth street and the direct extension southeasterly thereof to the center of the west arm of lake Merritt, thence southeasterly along the center of the west arm of lake Merritt to its junction with the center of the east arm of lake Merritt on the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence northeasterly along the said dividing line and passing through the east arm of lake Merritt to a point in a direct production northwesterly of the center line of Brooklyn avenue; thence southeasterly along said production and along said center line of Brooklyn avenue to its intersection with the direct production northerly of the center line of Newton avenue; thence southeasterly along said production and along the center line of Newton avenue to the center line of Park boulevard, formerly known as

Fourth avenue, thence southwesterly along the center line of Park boulevard to the center line of East Twentieth street; thence southeasterly along the center line of East Twentieth street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the intersection with the center line of Park boulevard, thence northeasterly along the center line of Park boulevard to its intersection with the direct production southeasterly of the southerly boundary of the city of Piedmont, thence westerly along said production to the southeast corner of the boundary line of the city of Piedmont, thence following the southeasterly, northeasterly and northerly boundary lines of the city of Piedmont to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of the city of Oakland as it existed prior to December 8, 1909; thence in a general northwesterly direction along said northerly boundary line to the center line of Clifton street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Clifton street to the center line of Broadway; thence southwesterly along the center line of Broadway to its intersection with the center line of College avenue, thence northerly along the center line of College avenue to its intersection with the center line of Clifton street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Clifton street to the center line of Claremont avenue, thence southwesterly along the center line of Claremont avenue to the center line of Fifty-sixth street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Fifty-sixth street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twentieth street, thence southeasterly along the center line of Twentieth street to the center line of Broadway and the point beginning, shall constitute the thirty-seventh assembly district

38. All of that portion of the county of Alameda, described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Adeline street is intersected by the center line of Twenty-first street in the city of Oakland, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-first street to the center line of Market street; thence southerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twentieth street, thence southeasterly along the center line of Twentieth street and its direct extension southeasterly to the center of the west arm of lake Merritt; thence southeasterly along said line to the center of the east arm of lake Merritt and the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence southwesterly along the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships; thence westerly along said line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships to its intersection with the direct extension southerly of the center line of Adeline street, thence northerly along the direct extension of the center line of Adeline street and the center line of Adeline street to its intersection with the center line of Twenty-first street and the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-eighth assembly district

39. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit

Beginning at a point where the center line of Adeline street is intersected by the center line of Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-first street to the center line of Market street; thence southerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twentieth street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Twentieth street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Fifty-fifth street, thence southwesterly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to the center line of Adeline street, thence northeasterly along the center line of Adeline street to the center line of Fifty-fifth street; thence southwesterly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to the center line of San Pablo avenue, thence northerly along the center line of San Pablo avenue, thence westerly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with the easterly boundary line of the town of Emeryville, thence northwesterly and following the eastern boundary line of the town of Emeryville to the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley; thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley and the direct extension of the same, to its intersection with the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of Alameda county to its intersection with the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships, thence easterly along said line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships to a point where the direct extension of the center line of Adeline street would intersect the same, thence northerly along said direct extension and the center line of Adeline street to the center line of Twenty-first street and the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-ninth assembly district.

40. All that portion of Alameda county described as follows, to wit

Beginning at a point where the east boundary line of the city of Berkeley intersects the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda; thence northwesterly and southeasterly along the northern and western boundary line of the county of Alameda to a point where said boundary line would intersect the direct extension westerly of the center line of Dwight Way; thence easterly along said extension and along the center line of Dwight Way and its direct extension easterly, to the eastern boundary line of the city of Berkeley, thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the city of Berkeley to the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda, and the point of beginning, shall constitute the fortieth assembly district

41. All that portion of Alameda county described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point where the easterly boundary line of the city of Berkeley intersects the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda, thence in a general southeasterly direction along the northeasterly boundary line of Alameda county to its intersection with the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence southwesterly along the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Piedmont thence northwesterly and southwesterly along the northerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont to the northern boundary of the city of Oakland as it existed prior to December 8, 1909, thence northwesterly along said northern boundary line to the center line of Broadway, thence southwesterly to the center line of Clifton street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Clifton street to its intersection with the center line of Claremont avenue, thence southwesterly along the center line of Claremont avenue to its intersection with the center line of Fifty-sixth street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Fifty-sixth street to its intersection with the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to its intersection with the center line of Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with the center line of Adeline street, thence northeasterly along the center line of Adeline street to its intersection with the center line of Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with the center line of San Pablo avenue thence northerly along the center line of San Pablo avenue to the intersection with the center line of Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly along the center line of Fifty-fifth street to the easterly boundary line of the town of Emeryville, thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the town of Emeryville to the northerly boundary line of the town of Emeryville and the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley, thence westerly along said dividing line between Berkeley and Emeryville and its direct extension westerly to the west boundary line of the county of Alameda, thence northwesterly along the western boundary line of the county of Alameda to a point where said boundary line would intersect the direct extension westerly of the center line of Dwight Way, thence easterly along said extension and along the center line of Dwight Way and its direct extension easterly to the easterly boundary line of the city of Berkeley, thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the city of Berkeley to the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda and the point of beginning, shall constitute the forty-first assembly district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 14, of the printed bill, commencing with line 25, strike out everything to and including line 20, on page 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

51. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the county of Los Angeles; thence easterly along the boundary of said county and following the same in all its various courses to the township line between townships three and four north, thence westerly along township lines to the northeasterly corner of section three, township three north, range thirteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence southerly along section lines to the northerly boundary of the city of Glendale as the same existed on March 1, 1927; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the northerly line of section fourteen, township one north, range thirteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along section lines to the westerly boundary of the city of Pasadena as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city, and following the same in all its various courses to the southwesterly corner of the city of Burbank as the same existed on said date; thence westerly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the northeasterly line of tract number seven thousand three hundred fifty-four as shown on map recorded in book eighty-nine, pages seventy-six to eighty-one, of maps, records of Los Angeles county, thence southeasterly along the northeasterly line of said last mentioned tract to the center line of Hillock drive; thence southwesterly along the center line of Hillock drive to the center line of Craig drive; thence southeasterly along the center line of Craig drive to the center line of Hollywood way; thence southwesterly along the center line of Hollywood way to the southerly boundary of the Providencia addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the Rancho Ex Mission de San Fernando; thence westerly along said last mentioned southerly boundary to the northwesterly line of the Rancho San Vicente y Santa Monica; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned northwesterly line to the southeast corner of fractional section eighteen, township one south, range sixteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence westerly along section lines to the southwest corner of section eighteen, township one south, range seventeen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence westerly along the summit of the Santa Monica mountains to the northwesterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence northeasterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-first assembly district.

52. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries

Beginning at the northeast corner of section three, township three north, range thirteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along section lines to the northeasterly corner of section five, township three north, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian; thence southerly along section lines to the southerly line of fractional section five, township one north, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian; thence westerly along said southerly line to the center line of Lincoln avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Lincoln avenue to the northerly boundary of the city of Pasadena, as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the northerly line of section thirteen, township one north, range thirteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence westerly along section lines to the easterly boundary of the city of Glendale as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northeasterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly prolongation of the westerly line of section twenty-three, township two north, range thirteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence northerly along said last mentioned prolongation and section lines to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-second assembly district.

53. All that part of Los Angeles county, within the following described boundary lines:

Beginning at the northeast corner of section five, township three north, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian, thence easterly along township lines to the northeast corner of section three, township three north, range ten west, San Bernardino meridian, thence southerly along section lines to the center line of the Old San Gabriel river; thence southwesterly along the center line of the Old San Gabriel river to the southeasterly boundary of the city of Montebello, as the same existed on March 1, 1927; thence northeasterly along the boundary of said city, and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Monterey Park, as the same existed on said date; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city, and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Alhambra, as the same existed on the aforesaid date; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city, and following the same in all its various courses, to the southerly boundary of the city of South Pasadena, as the same existed on the aforesaid date; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city, and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Pasadena, as the same existed on aforesaid date; thence easterly along the boundary of said last mentioned city, and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Lincoln avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Lincoln avenue to the southerly line of fractional section five, township one north, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along said last mentioned southerly line to the southeasterly corner of said last mentioned fractional section; thence northerly along section lines to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-third assembly district.

54. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of the Pacific Electric Railway company's right of way (in Glendale boulevard) with the southwesterly boundary of the city of Glendale as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the westerly boundary of the city of Pasadena as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the northwest corner of the city of South Pasadena as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the southwest corner of said city of South Pasadena; being a point on the east and west quarter section line of section seven, township one south, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian; thence westerly along said quarter section line to the range line between ranges twelve and thirteen west, thence southerly along range line to the easterly prolongation of the northerly patent boundary of the city of Los Angeles; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and northerly boundary to the center line of Union Pacific railroad company's right of way (in Midland street); thence southwesterly along the center line of said right of way to the center line of Avenue Forty-four; thence northwesterly along the center line of Avenue Forty-four to the center line of Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company's right of way; thence southwesterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the southeasterly prolongation of the center line of Avenue Thirty-seven; thence northwesterly along said last mentioned prolongation and center line of Avenue Thirty-seven to the center line of Dayton avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Dayton avenue to the center line of Amabel street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Amabel street to the center line of Isabel street; thence southwesterly and northwesterly along the center line of Isabel street to the center line of Granada street; thence southwesterly along the

center line of Granada street to the center line of Cypress avenue; thence southeasterly along the center line of Cypress avenue to the center line of Granada street (from the southwest); thence southwesterly along the center line of Granada street to the center line of the Southern Pacific railroad company's right of way (Valley line); thence northwesterly along the center line of said right of way to the north patent boundary of the city of Los Angeles; thence westerly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Glendale boulevard; thence northerly and northwesterly along the center line of Glendale boulevard to the center line of Riverside drive; thence southeasterly along the center line of Riverside drive to the center line of Pacific Electric railway company's right of way (in Glendale boulevard), thence northerly and northeasterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-fourth assembly district.

55. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the northwesterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927, with the northeasterly line of tract number seven thousand three hundred fifty-four as shown on map recorded in book eighty-nine, pages seventy-six to eighty-one of maps, records of Los Angeles county; thence southwesterly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of the Pacific Electric Railway company's right of way (in Glendale boulevard); thence southwesterly and southerly along the center line of said right of way to the center line of Riverside drive, thence northwesterly along the center line of Riverside drive to the center line of Glendale boulevard, thence southeasterly and southerly along the center line of Glendale boulevard to the north patent boundary of the city of Los Angeles, thence easterly along the said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Echo Park avenue thence southwesterly along the center line of Echo Park avenue to the center line of Sunset boulevard thence northwesterly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Santa Monica boulevard, thence westerly along the center line of Santa Monica boulevard to the center line of Vermont avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Vermont avenue to the center line of Melrose avenue thence westerly along the center line of Melrose avenue to the center line of Wilcox avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Wilcox avenue to the center line of Santa Monica boulevard, thence westerly along the center line of Santa Monica boulevard to the easterly boundary of the LaBrea addition to the city of Los Angeles thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Romaine street thence westerly along the center line of Romaine street to the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date thence northerly and westerly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Poinsettia place, thence northerly along the center line of Poinsettia place to the center line of Sunset boulevard, thence westerly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Fuller avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Fuller avenue to the southerly boundary of the Laurel Canyon addition to the city of Los Angeles, thence easterly along the boundary of said last mentioned addition and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly line of the Rancho Ex Mission de San Fernando, thence easterly along said last mentioned southerly line to the southwesterly boundary of the Providencia addition to the city of Los Angeles thence northwesterly along the boundary of said last mentioned addition and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Hollywood way, thence northeasterly along the center line of Hollywood way to the center line of Craig drive, thence northwesterly along the center line of Craig drive to the center line of Hillock drive thence northeasterly along the center line of Hillock drive to the northeasterly line of tract number seven thousand three hundred fifty-four as shown on map recorded in book eighty-nine, pages seventy-six to eighty-one of maps, records of Los Angeles county; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of said last mentioned tract to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-fifth assembly district

56. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the summit of the Santa Monica mountains with the northwesterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927, thence easterly along the summit of said Santa Monica mountains to the southwest corner of section eighteen township one south, range seventeen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along section lines to the northwesterly line of the Rancho San Vicente y Santa Monica; thence northeasterly along said last mentioned rancho line to the southerly boundary of the Rancho Ex Mission de San Fernando; thence easterly along said last mentioned southerly boundary to the easterly boundary of the Laurel Canyon addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Fuller avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Fuller avenue to the center line of Sunset boulevard, thence easterly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Poinsettia place; thence southerly along the center line of Poinsettia place to the northerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the

same existed on above mentioned date; thence easterly and southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the southwesterly corner of the city of Beverly Hills; thence westerly along the westerly prolongation of the most southerly boundary of said last mentioned city to the center line of Heath avenue; thence southeasterly along the center line of Heath avenue to the center line of Pico boulevard, thence southwesterly along the center line of Pico boulevard to the northeasterly boundary of the city of Santa Monica as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southeasterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the most southerly corner of said last mentioned city, being a point in the boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence northwesterly along the boundary of said county and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-sixth assembly district

57. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the most southerly corner of the city of Santa Monica as the same existed March 1, 1927, being a point in the southwesterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence northeasterly along the boundary of said city of Santa Monica and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Pico boulevard, thence northeasterly along the center line of Pico boulevard to the center line of Heath avenue; thence northwesterly along the center of Heath avenue to the westerly prolongation of the most southerly boundary of the city of Beverly Hills as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence easterly along said last mentioned prolongation to the southwesterly boundary of said last mentioned city; being also a point in the boundary of said city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Romaine street, thence easterly along the center line of Romaine street to the easterly boundary of the La Brea addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Santa Monica boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Santa Monica boulevard to the center line of Wilcox avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Wilcox avenue to the center line of Melrose avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Melrose avenue to the northerly prolongation of the center line of Wilcox avenue (lying southerly of Melrose avenue), thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and center line of Wilcox avenue and southerly prolongation thereof to the center line of Third street; thence easterly along the center line of Third street to the center line of Rimpau boulevard; thence southerly along the center line of Rimpau boulevard to the easterly boundary of the Palms addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Buckingham road; thence southwesterly along the center line of Buckingham road to the center line of Washington street; thence westerly along the center line of Washington street to the center line of Buckingham road from the southwest; thence southwesterly along the center line of Buckingham road to the center line of Adams street; thence easterly along the center line of Adams street to the center line of Angeles Mesa drive; thence southerly along the center line of Angeles Mesa drive to the southerly boundary of the aforesaid Palms addition to the city of Los Angeles, thence westerly along said last mentioned boundary to the easterly boundary of the city of Culver City, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary to the first angle point therein, being a point in the westerly boundary of the Rancho Cienega o'Paso de la Tijera, thence southerly and southeasterly along the boundary of said last mentioned rancho to the north and south quarter section line in section seventeen, township two south, range fourteen west, San Bernardino meridian, thence southerly along said last mentioned quarter section line to the southerly line of said last mentioned section; thence westerly along section lines to the southeasterly line of the Rancho La Ballona; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned rancho line to the northerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the easterly boundary of the Venice consolidation to the city of Los Angeles (at Mesmer avenue); thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned consolidation and following the same in all its various courses to the southwesterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence northwesterly along said last mentioned southwesterly boundary to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-seventh assembly district.

58. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Melrose avenue and the northerly prolongation of the center line of Wilcox avenue, (lying southerly of Melrose avenue); thence easterly along the center line of Melrose avenue to the center line of Vermont avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Vermont avenue to the center line Seventh street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh street to the center line of Westmoreland avenue, thence southerly long the center line of Westmoreland avenue to the center line of Tenth street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth street to the center line of Westmoreland avenue, from the south; thence southerly along the center line of Westmoreland avenue to the center

line of Pico boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Pico boulevard to the center line of Orchard avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Orchard avenue to the center line of Washington street; thence westerly along the center line of Washington street to the center line of Buckingham road, from the northeast; thence northeasterly along the center line of Buckingham road to the northeasterly boundary of the Palms addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence northwesterly along the boundary of said last mentioned addition and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Rimpau boulevard; thence northeasterly along the center line of Rimpau boulevard to the center line of Third street; thence westerly along the center line of Third street to the southerly prolongation of the center line of Wilcox avenue (lying southerly of Melrose avenue); thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and center line of Wilcox avenue and northerly prolongation thereof to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-eighth assembly district.

59. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Santa Monica boulevard with the center line of Vermont avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Santa Monica boulevard to the center line of Sunset boulevard; thence southeasterly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Glendale boulevard; thence southerly along the center line of Glendale boulevard to the center line of Temple street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of East Edgeware road; thence southwesterly along the center line of East Edgeware road to the center line of Temple street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of Hill street; thence southwesterly along the center line of Hill street to the center line of Seventh street; thence northwesterly and westerly along the center line of Seventh street to the center line of Vermont avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Vermont avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-ninth assembly district.

60 All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Echo Park avenue with the north patent boundary of the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said boundary to the center line of the Southern Pacific railroad company's right of way (valley line); thence southeasterly along the center line of said right of way to the southwesterly prolongation of the center line of Granada street; thence northeasterly along the center line of Granada street to the center line of Cypress avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Cypress avenue to the center line of Granada street, from the northeast; thence northeasterly along the center line of Granada street to the center line of Isabel street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Isabel street to the center line of Pepper avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Pepper avenue to the center line of Cypress avenue; thence southeasterly along the center line of Cypress avenue to the center line of Dayton avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Dayton avenue to the center line of Loreto street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Loreto street to the center line of Arroyo Seco avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Arroyo Seco avenue to the center line of Union Pacific railroad company's right of way (Glendale branch); thence southeasterly along the center line of said right of way to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company's right of way (main line); thence northeasterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the center line of avenue Thirty-four; thence easterly along the center line of avenue Thirty-four to the center line of Pasadena avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Pasadena avenue to the center line of avenue Thirty-three, from the east; thence easterly along the center line of avenue Thirty-three to the center line of Griffin avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Griffin avenue to the center line of avenue Twenty-eight; thence westerly along the center line of avenue Twenty-eight to the center line of Pasadena avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Pasadena avenue to the center line of Daly street; thence southerly along the center line of Daly street to the center line of North Broadway; thence easterly along the center line of North Broadway to the center line of Mission road; thence southwesterly along the center line of Mission road to the center line of Griffin avenue, from the southeast; thence southeasterly along the center line of Griffin avenue to the center line of State street; thence southwesterly along the center line of State street to the center line of Marengo street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Marengo street to the center line of State street, from the southwest; thence southwesterly along the center line of State street to the center line of First street; thence southeasterly along the center line of First street to the center line of Soto street; thence southwesterly and southerly along the center line of Soto street to the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on March 1, 1927; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its courses to the center line of Alameda street; thence northerly along the center line of Alameda street to the center line of Ninth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Ninth street to the center line of Hill street; thence northeasterly along the center line of

Hill street to the center line of Temple street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of East Edgeware road; thence northeasterly along the center line of East Edgeware road to the center line of Temple street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of Glendale boulevard; thence northerly along the center line of Glendale boulevard to the center line of Sunset boulevard; thence southwesterly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Echo Park avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Echo Park avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixtieth assembly district.

61. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Isabel street with the center line of Pepper avenue; thence southeasterly along the center line of Isabel street to the center line of Amabel street, thence southeasterly along the center line of Amabel street to the center line of Dayton avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Dayton avenue to the center line of avenue Thirty-seven, thence southeasterly along the center line of avenue Thirty-seven to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company's right of way (in Marmion Way); thence northeasterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the center line of avenue Forty-four; thence southeasterly along the center line of avenue Forty-four to the center line of the Union Pacific Railroad company's right of way (in Midland street); thence northeasterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the north patent boundary of the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said northerly boundary and easterly prolongation thereof to the range line between ranges twelve and thirteen west, thence northerly along range line to the east and west quarter section line of section 7, township one south, range twelve west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along said quarter section line to the southwest corner of the city of South Pasadena as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence easterly along the southerly boundary of said last mentioned city to the westerly boundary of the city of Alhambra as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned and following the same in all its various courses to the westerly boundary of the city of Monterey Park as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence easterly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the northwesterly corner of the city of Montebello, as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company's right of way (San Diego line), thence northwesterly along the center line of said right of way to the easterly boundary of the city of Vernon as the same existed on the above mentioned date, thence northerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Soto street, thence northerly and northeasterly along the center line of Soto street to the center line of First street, thence northwesterly along the center line of First street to the center line of State street, thence northeasterly along the center line of State street to the center line of Marengo street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Marengo street to the center line of State street from the northeast, thence northeasterly along the center line of State street to the center line of Griffin avenue, thence northwesterly along the center line of Griffin avenue to the center line of Mission road, thence northeasterly along the center line of Mission road to the center line of North Broadway, thence westerly along the center line of North Broadway to the center line of Daly street, thence northerly along the center line of Daly street to the center line of Pasadena avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Pasadena avenue to the center line of avenue Twenty-eight, thence easterly along the center line of avenue Twenty-eight to the center line of Griffin avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Griffin avenue to the center line of avenue Thirty-three, thence westerly along the center line of avenue Thirty-three to the center line of Pasadena avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Pasadena avenue to the center line of avenue Thirty-four, thence northwesterly along the center line of avenue Thirty-four to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company's right of way (main line), thence southwesterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the center line of the Union Pacific Railroad company's right of way (Glendale branch), thence northwesterly along the center line of said last mentioned right of way to the center line of Arroyo Seco avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Arroyo Seco avenue to the center line of Loreto street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Loreto street to the center line of Dayton avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Dayton avenue to the center line of Cypress avenue, thence northwesterly along the center line of Cypress avenue to the center line of Pepper avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Pepper avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-first assembly district.

62. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Ninth street and Maple avenue; thence southeasterly along the center line of Ninth street to the center line of Alameda street; thence southerly along the center line of Alameda street to the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence westerly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Slauson avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Slauson avenue to the center line of Main street; thence northerly along the center line of Main street to the center line of Santa Barbara avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Santa Barbara avenue to the center line of Woodlawn avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Woodlawn avenue to the center line of Maple avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Maple avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-second assembly district.

63. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Seventh street and Westmoreland avenue; thence easterly and southeasterly along the center line of Seventh street to the center line of Hill street; thence southwesterly along the center line of Hill street to the center line of Ninth street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Ninth street to the center line of Maple avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Maple avenue to the center line of Jefferson street, thence northwesterly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Exposition boulevard; thence westerly along the center line of Exposition boulevard to the center line of Figueroa street; thence northeasterly along the center line of Figueroa street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Hoover street; thence northeasterly and northerly along the center line of Hoover street to the center line of Washington street, thence westerly along the center line of Washington street to the center line of Orchard avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Orchard avenue to the center line of Pico street; thence westerly along the center line of Pico street to the center line of Westmoreland avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Westmoreland avenue to the center line of Tenth street; thence easterly along the center line of Tenth street to the center line of Westmoreland avenue from the north; thence northerly along the center line of Westmoreland avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-third assembly district

64. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Washington street and Buckingham road, from the southwest; thence easterly along the center line of Washington street to the center line of Hoover street; thence southerly along the center line of Hoover street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Figueroa street, thence southwesterly and southerly along the center line of Figueroa street to the center line of Santa Barbara avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Santa Barbara avenue and the westerly prolongation thereof to the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence northerly along said boundary to the southerly boundary of the Palms addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Angeles Mesa drive; thence northerly along the center line of Angeles Mesa drive to the center line of Adams street; thence westerly along the center line of Adams street to the center line of Buckingham road; thence northeasterly along the center line of Buckingham road to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-fourth assembly district.

65 All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927, with the westerly line of the Rancho Cienega o'Paso de la Tiera; thence easterly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Forty-eighth street; thence easterly along the center line of Forty-eighth street to the westerly boundary of the Shoestring addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence southerly along said last mentioned westerly boundary to the northeasterly corner of the city of Inglewood as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of said last mentioned city to the northwesterly corner of the Wagner addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence southerly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Ballona avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Ballona avenue to the easterly boundary of Hawthorne City as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Prairie avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Prairie avenue to the township line between townships three and four south; thence westerly along said township line to the northerly prolongation of the easterly line of tract number three thousand four hundred fifty-eight as shown on map recorded in book thirty-seven, page ninety-five of

maps, records of Los Angeles county; thence southerly along said prolongation and the easterly line of said tract and the southerly prolongation thereof to the center line of State street, thence westerly along the center line of State street to the northerly prolongation of the easerly line of the Meadow Park tract as shown on map recorded in book fifteen, page sixty of miscellaneous records of Los Angeles county; thence southerly along said prolongation and easterly line and southerly prolongation thereof to the northeasterly line of lot H of the Rancho Los Palos Verdes; thence northwesterly and westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned lot to the westerly boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the Venice consolidation to the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence easterly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the southeasterly line of the Rancho La Ballona; thence northeasterly along said line to the southerly line of fractional section eighteen, township two south, range fourteen west, San Bernardino meridian; thence easterly along section lines to the north and south quarter section line in fractional section seventeen, said township and range; thence northerly along said last mentioned quarter section line to the southwesterly line of the Rancho Cienega O'Paso de la Tijera; thence northeasterly and northerly along the boundary of said last mentioned rancho to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-fifth assembly district.

66. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the center line of Santa Barbara avenue with the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and center line of Santa Barbara avenue to the center line of Figueroa street; thence northerly and northeasterly along the center line of Figueroa street to the center line of Exposition boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Exposition boulevard to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Maple avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Maple avenue to the center line of Woodlawn avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Woodlawn avenue to the center line of Santa Barbara avenue, thence westerly along the center line of Santa Barbara avenue to the center line of Main street, thence southerly along the center line of Main street to the center line of Slauson avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Slauson avenue to the westerly boundary of the Shoestring addition to the City of Los Angeles, thence northerly along said boundary to the center line of Forty-eighth street, thence westerly along the center line of Forty-eighth street to the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-sixth assembly district.

67. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Slauson avenue with the westerly boundary of the Shoestring addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along the center line of Slauson avenue to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on March 1, 1927, thence northerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the easterly boundary of the city of Vernon, as the same existed on March 1, 1927, thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the northwest corner of the city of Huntington Park, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Florence avenue, thence westerly along the center line of Florence avenue to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Manchester avenue, thence westerly along the center line of Manchester avenue to the westerly boundary of the aforesaid Shoestring addition to the city of Los Angeles, thence northerly along said last mentioned westerly boundary to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-seventh assembly district.

68. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the city of Vernon, as the same existed March 1, 1927, thence easterly along the boundary of said city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company's right of way (San Diego line); thence southeasterly along the center line of said right of way to the northwesterly boundary of the city of Montebello as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northeasterly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of the Old San Gabriel river, thence easterly along the center line of the Old San Gabriel river to the center line of the

New San Gabriel river, thence southwesterly along the center line of the New San Gabriel river to the northerly prolongation of the center line of Newton and Washburn road; thence southerly along said last mentioned prolongation and center line to the center line of Zinn road, thence westerly along the center line of Zinn road to the center line of Woodruff avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Woodruff avenue; to the southeasterly line of the Rancho Santa Gertrudes; thence southwesterly and northwesterly along said rancho line to the center line of the Old San Gabriel river, thence northeasterly along the center line of the Old San Gabriel river to the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of Downey and Hellman tract as shown on map recorded in book three page thirty-one of miscellaneous records of Los Angeles county, thence westerly along said prolongation and northerly line and along the center line of Tweedy and Abbott road to the center line of the Southern Pacific railroad company's right of way in Alameda street, thence northerly along the center line of said right of way to the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of the Watts Park tract as shown on map recorded in book eight, page seventy of maps, records of Los Angeles county, thence westerly along said last mentioned prolongation and northerly line to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Florence avenue, thence easterly along the center line of Florence avenue to the westerly boundary of the city of Huntington Park, as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence northerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Vernon, as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence westerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-eighth assembly district.

69. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of section two, township three north range ten west, San Bernardino meridian, thence easterly along township lines to the west line of section six, township three north, range seven west, San Bernardino meridian, thence northerly and easterly along the westerly and northerly lines of said last mentioned section to the easterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles, thence southerly along the boundary of the county of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the southeast corner of section thirteen, township three south range eleven west, thence west along section lines to the southwest corner of section fourteen, said last mentioned township and range, thence north along section line to the northwest corner of said section fourteen; thence west on section line to the southwest corner of section nine, said last mentioned township and range; thence north along section line to the northwest corner of said last mentioned section, thence west along section lines to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company's right of way (main line to San Diego); thence northerly along said last mentioned center line to the center line of Anaheim Telegraph road, thence westerly and northwesterly along said last mentioned center line to the center line of the New San Gabriel river; thence in a general northeasterly direction along the center line of said New San Gabriel river to the west line of section twenty-three, township one north, range ten west, thence northerly along section lines to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-ninth assembly district.

70. All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of the Old San Gabriel river with the southwesterly line of the Rancho Santa Gertrudes; thence southeasterly and northeasterly along said rancho line to the center line of Woodruff avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Woodruff avenue to the center line of Zinn road, thence easterly along the center line of Zinn road to the center line of Newton and Washburn road, thence northerly along said last mentioned center line and northerly prolongation thereof to the center line of New San Gabriel river, thence northeasterly along the center line of said river and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Anaheim Telegraph road; thence southeasterly and easterly along the center line of Anaheim Telegraph road to the center line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company's right of way (main line to San Diego), thence southerly along the center line of said right of way to the northerly line of section eight, township three south, range eleven west, San Bernardino meridian, thence easterly along the northerly line of said last mentioned section to the northwesterly corner of section nine, said township and range; thence southerly along the westerly line of said last mentioned section to the southwesterly corner of said last mentioned section; thence easterly along section lines to the northwesterly corner of section fourteen said township and range; thence southerly along the westerly line of said last mentioned section to the southwesterly corner thereof, thence easterly along section lines to the easterly boundary of the county of Los Angeles, thence southerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southeasterly boundary of the city of Long

Beach, as the same existed on March 1, 1927; thence southwesterly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly prolongation of the center line of Sixteenth place, thence northerly along said prolongation and center line of Sixteenth place to the center line of Ocean boulevard, thence northwesterly along the center line of Ocean boulevard to the center line of Cherry avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Cherry avenue to the center line of Fourth street; thence westerly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Alamitos avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Alamitos avenue to the center line of California avenue; thence northerly along the center line of California avenue to a point one hundred sixty feet northerly of the north line of Anaheim street; thence easterly parallel with the northerly line of Anaheim street to the easterly boundary of that certain territory annexed to the city of Long Beach, January 10, 1910; thence northerly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Lime avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Lime avenue to the center line of Wardlow road, thence westerly along the center line of Wardlow road to the center line of American avenue; thence northerly along the center line of American avenue to the center line of Long Beach boulevard; thence northwesterly along the center line of Long Beach boulevard to the northwesterly boundary of the city of Long Beach, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northeasterly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of the Old San Gabriel river; thence northeasterly along the center line of the Old San Gabriel river and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the seventieth assembly district

71 All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on March 1, 1927, with the northerly line of the Watts Park tract, as shown on map recorded in book eight, page seventy of maps, records of Los Angeles county; thence easterly along said northerly line of the Watts Park tract and easterly prolongation thereof to the center line of the Southern Pacific railroad company's right of way in Alameda street; thence southerly along the center line of said right of way to the center line of Tweedy and Abbott road; thence easterly along the center line of Tweedy and Abbott road and along the northerly line of the Downey and Hellman tract, as shown on map recorded in book three, page thirty-one of miscellaneous records of Los Angeles county and the easterly prolongation thereof to the center line of the Old San Gabriel river; thence southerly along the center line of the Old San Gabriel river to the westerly boundary of the city of Long Beach, as the same existed March 1, 1927, at or near Fifty-sixth street, thence southwesterly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Long Beach boulevard; thence southeasterly along the center line of Long Beach boulevard to the center line of American avenue; thence southerly along the center line of American avenue to the center line of Wardlow road; thence easterly along the center line of Wardlow road to the center line of Lime avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Lime avenue to the southerly boundary of that certain territory annexed to the city of Long Beach January 10, 1910 (near Wardlow road); thence westerly along said last mentioned boundary and following the same in all its various courses to a point one hundred sixty feet northerly of the north line of Anaheim street, thence westerly parallel with the center line of Anaheim street to the center line of California avenue; thence southerly along the center line of California avenue to the center line of Alamitos avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Alamitos avenue to the center line of Fourth street; thence easterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Cherry avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Cherry avenue to the center line of Ocean boulevard; thence easterly along the center line of Ocean boulevard to the center line of Sixteenth place, thence southerly along the center of Sixteenth place and southerly prolongation thereof to the southerly boundary of the city of Long Beach, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence westerly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Wilmington and Los Angeles road, thence northwesterly along the center line of Wilmington and Los Angeles road, the center line of Avalon boulevard, and the center line of Los Angeles and Redondo road to the center line of Rosecrans avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Rosecrans avenue to the center line of Avalon boulevard, thence northerly along the center line of Avalon boulevard to the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence easterly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the seventy-first assembly district.

72 All that part of the county of Los Angeles within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Manchester avenue with the easterly boundary of the city of Inglewood, as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence easterly along the center line of Manchester avenue to the easterly boundary

of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence southerly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Avalon boulevard; thence southerly along the center line of Avalon boulevard to the center line of Rosecrans avenue, thence westerly along the center line of Rosecrans avenue to the center line of Wilmington and Los Angeles road; thence southeasterly along the center line of Wilmington and Los Angeles road, the center line of Avalon boulevard and the center line of Wilmington and Los Angeles road to the northerly boundary of the city of Long Beach, as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence westerly along said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence easterly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the southerly boundary of the county of Los Angeles; thence westerly along the boundary of said county and following the same in all its various courses to the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of lot H of the Rancho Los Palos Verdes, thence easterly and southeasterly along the boundary of said last mentioned lot to the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of the Meadow Park tract as shown on map recorded in book fifteen, page sixty of miscellaneous records of Los Angeles county; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and easterly line and northerly prolongation thereof to the center line of State street; thence easterly along the center line of State street to the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of tract number three thousand four hundred fifty-eight as shown on map recorded in book thirty-seven, page ninety-five of maps, records of Los Angeles county; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and easterly line and northerly prolongation thereof to the township line between townships three and four south; thence easterly along said township line to the center line of Prairie avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Prairie avenue to the southerly boundary of the city of Hawthorne as the same existed on above mentioned date, thence easterly along the boundary of said last mentioned city and following the same in all its various courses to the center line of Ballona avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Ballona avenue to the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, as the same existed on the above mentioned date; thence northerly along the boundary of said city of Los Angeles and following the same in all its various courses to the easterly boundary of the city of Inglewood as the same existed on above mentioned date; thence northerly along the said boundary and following the same in all its various courses to the point of beginning, shall constitute the seventy-second assembly district.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 682—An act to amend section 2168 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "eight", insert the following "and two thousand one hundred seventy-one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 16, page 3, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "a", and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 18 to 24, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as will give reasonable opportunity for the production and examination of witnesses. Said order must be entered at length in the minute book of the court or must be signed by the judge and filed and a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

In line 29, page 3, of the printed bill, after the word "proper", add a new paragraph to read as follows:

SEC 2. Section 2171 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2171. Judgment, commitment, form of. The judge, after such examination and certificate made, if he believes the person so far disordered in his mind as to endanger

health, person, or property, must adjudge him insane, and make and sign an order that he be confined in a hospital for the care and treatment of the insane, designated in such order, and the order must be accompanied by a written statement of the judge as to the financial condition of the insane person and of the persons legally liable for his maintenance, as far as can be ascertained. Such order and statement shall be in substantially the following form and shall be filed with the clerk.

JUDGMENT OF INSANITY AND ORDER OF COMMITMENT OF INSANE PERSONS.

In the Superior Court of the_____ County of_____, State of California.

In the Matter of }
_____ }
an alleged insane person }

On this_____ day of_____, A.D. 19__, _____, a person alleged to be insane, was brought before me in open court, for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity, on the affidavit of_____, charging h____ with insanity, made before, and on a warrant of arrest issued thereon by_____, a magistrate of said_____ county of_____, and upon the order of this court, fixing time and place for the hearing and examination of said charge, made in open court, and it appearing to the court that said alleged insane person, when said order was made, was then and there personally present in open court, and was then and there informed by the court that __he was charged with being insane, and of h____ rights to make a defense to such charge, and of his right to be represented by counsel, and to produce witnesses on h____ behalf, and to have subpenas issued to compel the attendance of witnesses, and was further informed that, if at such hearing and examination, __he should be ordered committed, that __he might, within five days after the making of such order of commitment, demand that the question of h____ insanity be tried by a jury before said superior court.

And it further appearing to the court, that the original order fixing time and place for said hearing and examination, was entered in the minutes of the court by the clerk thereof, and a duly certified copy of said order was duly served on said alleged insane person, and upon_____, relatives of said alleged insane person, residing in said_____ county of_____, as were deemed by the court necessary or proper persons to be served with notice of the arrest of said alleged insane person, and of the hearing on said charge of insanity.

At said hearing and examination, said alleged insane person was represented by_____, an attorney of this court (appointed by the court for that purpose).

The court thereupon, in open court, proceeded with the hearing and examination of said alleged insane person, and_____ were sworn and examined as witnesses in regard to the mental condition of said alleged insane person, h____ financial condition, and that the persons liable for h____ care, support, and maintenance.

At said hearing and examination, there were in attendance, _____ and _____, two regularly appointed and qualified medical examiners of said _____ county, who then and there heard the testimony of all the witnesses, and each of whom made a personal examination of said alleged insane person, and testified before the court as to the results of such examinations, and other pertinent facts within their knowledge.

Said medical examiners, after making the examination and hearing the testimony of the witnesses, and testifying as aforesaid, did make a certificate showing all the facts required by section 2170 of the Political Code, which certificate is hereto attached and made a part hereof.

_____
_____
_____
_____

Now, therefore, after such examination and certificate made as aforesaid, the court being satisfied from the testimony of said witnesses, and of the truth of the matters set forth in said certificate, that said _____ is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property, and that it is dangerous for life, health, person, and property, for such person to be at large, and that h_____ condition is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital for the care and treatment of the insane.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged, and decreed that said _____ is insane, and that ____he be committed to and confined in the _____ State hospital at _____, California.

It is further ordered and directed, that _____, sheriff of the _____ county of _____, take, convey, and deliver said _____ to the proper authorities of said hospital, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

The sum of _____ dollars having been found on the person of said person at the time of h____ arrest, the said sheriff is ordered to take possession of the same and deliver it to the medical superintendent of said institution with said insane person.

Done in open court this _____ day of _____, 19__. _____, Judge of the Superior Court, _____ County of _____, State of California.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ABILITY.

As to the ability of said _____ to pay for h____ care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said _____ is possessed of real estate of the estimated value of _____ situated in _____ and of the following description: _____ also the following described personal property. _____ that the income from said property is as follows: _____ that said _____ is able to pay the sum of _____ per month _____ for h____ care and support at the _____ Name and address of guardian: _____ residing at _____

Or _____

That said _____ has relatives as follows: _____ residing at _____ residing at _____ _____ residing _____ That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said _____, at the hospital, the sum of _____ per month

Dated _____, 19__.

_____

Judge of the Superior Court. _____

County of _____, State of California.

The county clerk shall keep an index, alphabetically arranged, which shall show the name and age of each person examined as to his or her sanity, the date of the order of commitment and the name of the hospital to which the person was committed.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four and one-half" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four and three-fourths".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 20*b*, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water,

declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with the amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the word "the", in line 4, page 1, of the printed bill, insert the word "unappropriated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

After the word "of", in line 8, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "said waters", and insert in lieu thereof the words "the total waters so originating, as and when the same originate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

After line 20, page 2, of the printed bill, add the following paragraph:

The provisions of this section shall not apply to or affect any water or water rights which have heretofore become vested in any manner or permit heretofore granted or apply to any applications to appropriate water which may be pending on the date of the approval hereof, or to the diversion or right to divert or to any applications hereafter made to divert or conduct out of any county any water or water rights which have heretofore become or are now vested in any manner.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 240—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," and to add to said act a section to be numbered 24*b*, relating to reassessments

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That line 1 of the title of said printed bill be amended by striking out the words "sections six, eleven, and sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof "the title and

to amend sections one, two, three, five, six, nine, eleven, sixteen, twenty-three *a* and twenty-four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

That lines 1 to 7, inclusive, on page 1, of said printed bill, be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. The title of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows: "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp, and overflowed lands or lands otherwise needing surface or underground drainage or protection from storm water overflow, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof."

SEC 2. Section 1 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Whenever twenty or more property owners or the owners of a majority of the land within a district proposed to be organized under this act, which district contains wet, swamp or overflowed lands, or lands otherwise needing surface or underground drainage or protection from storm water overflow, susceptible of drainage or protection from overflow by ditches, drains, conduits, pipe lines, or systems of ditches, drains, conduits or pipe lines, or a combination thereof, and which said district is to be benefited by the construction of any improvements contemplated by this act, shall file with the board of supervisors of the county in which said lands are situated a petition for the establishment of such ditches, drains, conduits, pipe lines, or systems of ditches drains, conduits, pipe lines, or a combination thereof, as may be necessary to drain or protect said lands, defining in a general way only, by naming the roads, rivers property lines, section lines or other general description, the boundary of the district proposed to be benefited, said board shall within 60 days after the filing of said petition, and as provided in section 3 of this act, grant or deny the same If said petition is granted the board of supervisors shall instruct the county surveyor to prepare plans and specifications for the improvement. The plans for the improvement shall contain a map or plat of the district on which shall be clearly shown in full detail the exterior boundaries of the district. The boundaries of the district shall include all the land which in the opinion of the county surveyor will be benefited by the improvement contemplated Said boundaries may be changed by the board of supervisors as provided in section 6 of this act to exclude lands which in its judgment will not be benefited by the improvement.

The plans shall contain one or more sheets on which are shown clearly the location, size and type (open earth ditch, pipe, conduit or other type) of improvement to be constructed and shall have indicated thereon (but may not have the exact location shown) all manholes, catch basins, special structures and appurtenances.

SEC 3 Section 2 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 2. Whenever a portion of the lands in the district proposed to be formed hereunder, and to be benefited thereby, lie within the boundaries of more than one county, the petition shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county within which lie the greatest portion of lands of the proposed district, signed by at least ten property owners, or the owners of a majority of the land of the district within each of the counties to be affected, which petition shall describe in a general way only, the proposed boundaries of such district, and all other matters required by section 1 hereof.

Said board of supervisors of the county within which lie the greatest portion of the lands of the proposed district shall have jurisdiction to proceed as in the manner herein provided, and the officers of said county having jurisdiction, shall, as provided in this act, be the officers of said district and shall have the powers and duties herein provided. The several notices in this act provided to be given or published shall, whenever possible, be respectively given or published in the manner prescribed, within the boundaries of the several counties respectively.

Upon filing with the recorder and tax collector of said counties of the certified copy of the plat and report of the engineer of construction and the order of said board levying the special assessments as hereinafter provided, said county or counties other than the county having jurisdiction shall each year collect and pay over to the county having jurisdiction, the total amount of the assessments levied for said year upon the lands within their respective boundaries as levied in said report of the engineer of construction and adopted by the order of the board of supervisors of the county having jurisdiction. Thereafter all costs of every nature which may be incurred or made necessary in the maintenance of, changes in, additions to or extensions of the work or improvement done under the provisions of this section, shall be borne by the county or counties affected by such work or improvement.

Whenever a portion of any ditch, drain, conduit or pipe line, or system of ditches, drains, conduits or pipe lines or a combination thereof for the drainage or protection of any such wet, swamp, or overflowed lands or lands otherwise needing surface or underground drainage, or protection from storm water overflow, will cross or run

along the boundary line of any municipal corporation, or when said board of supervisors find that adjacent territory within a municipality will be benefited by such work or improvement, such adjacent territory may be included within the boundaries of such proposed district. Any such territory included within a district formed under this act shall be subject to its provisions. Any work or any improvement herein contemplated to be done may be done either within or without the boundaries of the district organized therefor as may be necessary properly to drain or protect the lands within said district.

SEC. 4. Section 3 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. The board of supervisors shall, in its discretion by resolution to be entered upon its minutes, grant or deny said petition. Said petition shall not be granted unless the public health, safety, convenience or welfare will be promoted by the organization of such district. If said petition is granted the resolution granting the same shall so state. If the petition includes any portion of an incorporated municipality, as provided in section 2 of this act, the board of supervisors shall by resolution find that said portion of said incorporated municipality will be benefited thereby.

SEC. 5. Section 5 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 5. Before the passing of any resolution of intention under this act, plans and specifications for the work shall be prepared by the engineer of construction and filed with the board of supervisors. If the work to be constructed is of such a nature and in such location as to be within the jurisdiction of the state reclamation board, the approval of that said board shall be obtained before the plans are adopted.

Said specifications shall include an estimate of the aggregate amount of the cost and incidental expenses of the work and the cost of the proceedings and shall be signed by the engineer of construction and be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors.

SEC. 6. Section 6 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

That lines 21 and 22, on page 3, of said printed bill, be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 7. Section 9 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 9. The board of supervisors shall in conclusion of the aforementioned hearing and as a sufficient determination of all questions arising thereat, by resolution or resolutions to be entered upon its minutes, declare its finding, determining, in its discretion, either that the work shall be ordered or that all proceedings shall be abandoned. If said board determines that said work shall be ordered it shall further determine the boundaries of the district and finally approve the plans and specifications. If no changes be made in the boundaries of the district as set forth in the resolution of intention it shall be sufficient to state that the boundaries of the district are those shown on the map or plat thereof and set forth in the resolution of intention; if any change of such boundaries is made, the engineer of construction shall file with the clerk of the board of supervisors a new map or plat on which are shown the boundaries of the district as finally determined. If no change be made in the plans and specifications, it shall be sufficient to state that such plans and specifications are approved. If any change of such plans and specifications be made they shall be approved as changed.

In either case, the boundaries of the district as finally determined shall be the boundaries of the district for all purposes of the proceeding and until any bonds to be issued for the cost of the work shall have been fully paid and discharged; the plans and specifications as finally approved shall be the plans and specifications of the district for all purposes of the proceeding. The boundaries of the district as shown on the map or plat thereof required by section 1 of this act and as set forth in the resolution of intention, shall not be so changed as to include within the district any territory not within the boundaries as shown on the map or plat thereof and set forth in said resolution as published and posted.

In like manner, by resolution or resolutions the board of supervisors may order the work to be done, and if it so does it shall fix a time for receiving proposals or bids for doing the work, and shall direct the clerk to give notice, inviting sealed proposals or bids. Such notice shall include a statement that the work is to be done under the provisions of the drainage district improvement act of 1919 and according to the plans and specifications on file, except in so far as such plans and specifications were changed by the board of supervisors in conclusion of the hearing on the resolution of intention in said act provided, to which said act, to the resolution of intention and all proceedings had thereunder the attention of bidders is hereby directed, and which are by this reference made part of said notice.

SEC. 8. Section 11 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

That in line 26, page 4, of said printed bill, the words "Sec. 3." be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the words "Sec. 9."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

That in line 7, page 6, of said printed bill, following word "thereon" there be inserted the following: "not to exceed seven per cent per annum,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

That in line 19, page 6, of said printed bill, the word "hundred" be stricken out and there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

That lines 38 and 39 of page 6 of the printed bill be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the following.

SEC. 10. Section 23*a* of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 23*a*. The board of supervisors shall each year, at the time of making the levy of taxes for county purposes, levy an ad valorem tax upon the taxable property in each drainage improvement district in its county organized under this act in an amount sufficient to raise the revenue which will be needed for the current year for maintaining and repairing, making changes in, additions to or extensions of the works and improvements of said district. Said tax, when levied, shall be entered upon the assessment roll and collected in the same manner as state and county taxes. When collected it shall be placed in the treasury of the county in a fund to be designated "drainage district improvement number _____ maintenance fund," (the number being that of the district), and shall be used only for the purpose for which it was raised. If said district includes land within more than one county as above provided in section 2, the ad valorem tax herein provided to be levied, shall, by each of said counties be collected from that portion of the district lying within its boundaries; and said counties shall pay said tax so collected over to the county having jurisdiction of said district.

SEC. 11. Section 24 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 24 The engineer of construction shall, subject to the approval of the board of supervisors, do all things necessary for the proper maintenance of the improvement and shall make such changes in, additions to or extensions of the improvement as may be found necessary to more completely drain or protect the lands within the district and accomplish the entire purpose for which the improvement was constructed. The compensation of any assistants or employees or the cost of any material necessary shall be payable out of the maintenance fund. If, for any reason whatsoever, there be insufficient money in the maintenance fund to pay the compensation of any such assistants or employees or the cost of any material, the county shall advance the remainder necessary to pay the compensation of said assistants or employees or the cost of said materials, and shall reimburse itself from moneys paid into said maintenance fund

The provisions of this section shall apply to all drainage district improvements constructed under the act of 1903 (being the act referred to in section 27 of this act), existing at the time this amendment takes effect

SEC 12. A new section to be numbered 24*b* is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 205—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 15, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 304—An act authorizing municipal corporations to expend money for advertising or publicity purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 953*d*, relating to notices of entry of judgments and orders.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 249—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend sections 983, 984 and 985 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to add nine new sections to said code to be numbered, respectively, 986, 987, 988, 988*a*, 988*b*, 988*c*, 988*d*, 988*e*, 988*f*, 988*g* and 988*h*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 8—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1101—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies" approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

ROLAND Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes—has had same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

ROLAND, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following: Senate Bill No 228—An act to amend section 4143 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the coroner.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 228 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information;

Also: Senate Bill No. 361—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No 364—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail;

Also: Senate Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 1049 of the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 385—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1044, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 388 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No 361 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 364 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No 384 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 385 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 162—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto;

Also: Senate Bill No. 172—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant;

Also: Senate Bill No. 533—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter CXLV of California statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*;

Also: Senate Bill No. 534—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*;

Also: Senate Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 162 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 172 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 533 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No 534 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 581 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

HON. WILLIAM B. HORNBLOWER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon. William B Hornblower, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 462—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the vocation of dealing in fish and in wild game and animals by wholesale for profit and to provide therefrom revenue for the propagation and restoration of fish and game in the State of California," approved April 14, 1911, as amended; and adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 11½, relating to domestically raised fish.

Also Senate Bill No 352—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code, relating to powers of the State Highway Commission.

Also Senate Bill No. 34—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3236, relating to preference on public contracts and furnishing supplies;

Also Senate Bill No 720—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, relating to deposit of moneys in banks.

Also Senate Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 637 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations

Also Senate Bill No 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled 'An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919.

Also: Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 462 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

Senate Bill No 352 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 34 read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures

Senate Bill No. 720 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking

Senate Bill No. 338 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No 341 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 151 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 360—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 32, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands; by adding a new section to be known as 19*b*, relating to the reassessment of land after a five-year period; by adding a new section, to be 23½ and relating to the allocation of the net returns from the generation of electric power; by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title;

Also: Senate Bill No. 515—An act to amend sections 18 and 35 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 612—An act regulating the importation into the State of California of live wild birds, mammals and reptiles; defining certain importations of same to be a public nuisance and providing for a penalty for violations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of fish and game

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of State.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 360 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 515 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 612 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 106 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 4;

Also: Senate Bill No. 682—An act to repeal section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale of real property, and granting of easements by religious corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 685—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Senate Bill No. 686—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Senate Bill No. 321—An act empowering the State Board of Health, the State Department of Education and the State Department of Public Welfare to carry on their respective functions for the benefit of the Indians of California to the extent that the cost of such services shall be provided for by the Congress of the United States through federal appropriations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 141—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2261 and 2262, relating to establishment of kindergarten service for the blind and for vocational training in schools for the blind.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 601 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 682 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 685 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 686 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 321 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 141 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 3—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section, to be numbered 14½, to article XIII of said constitution, relating to the taxation of foreign insurance corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 3 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Duval, Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Smith (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr Wright: Assembly Bill No 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No 1205—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writ of execution in civil cases.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Leymel: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No 1207—An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr Keaton:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of incorporated and/or unincorporated territory to municipal corporations and for the incorporation and consolidation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Murphy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the townsite of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Walters:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation for the construction and equipment of buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Woolwine:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act relating to the holding of the tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes,

creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Miss Miller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12½ and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 21½ to an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, *and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of* medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," as amended, June 14, 1923, relating to issuing certificates to practice orthodontia and midwifery; defining orthodontia; providing educational requirements and examination of applicants to practice orthodontia.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Ball:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the court of claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Clowdsley, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 20 was re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—49.

NOES—Bernard, Clowdsley, Deuel, Gant, Snyder, and Williams—6.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a bureau or department of publicity.

WHEREAS, The subject of "see America first" and the establishment of a department of publicity for the purpose of properly advertising the United States and "selling America to Americans" is an important matter in these days of extensive advertising directing the attention of Americans to Europe and points outside of the United States; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby petitions the President of the United States and Congress to enact legislation, and to use their utmost endeavors for the immediate passage of laws for the

1. Establishment of a bureau of publicity under the direction of the Department of the Interior for our forty-eight states and territories to encourage travel in America and to educate people to travel in America, by carrying on and conducting a publicity campaign by advertising in this and other countries the scenic wonders, climate, highways, resources, lakes, rivers, inland waterways, places of historic interest, national parks, national forests, national monuments, ice caves, overland and other cross country trails and Indian mounds.

2. Establishment of numerous automobile highways from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Gulf to the Great Lakes and also paved highways from national parks to national parks, with government appropriation for the development of these highways; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby directed to send copies of this resolution to the President of the United States and to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to congressional reapportionment of the United States.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Baum moved that the Speaker appoint a select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, capitalize the letter "i" in "it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "at this" at the end of the line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Session".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Baum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jacobson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 206 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Little, Assembly Bill No. 206 was re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Hornblower waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 9 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly for the purpose of making a thorough study into the traffic situation on the highways of California, with particular reference as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial responsibility on the part of those owning or operating motor vehicles using the highways, and making an appropriation therefor.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Deuel, Nielsen, Noyes, West, Woodbridge, and Wright—6.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 19

Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to investigate traffic conditions in the State of California and the question of safety and prevention of accidents in relation thereto; to prepare and make recommendations concerning changes in existing laws, and the enactment and/or enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways, and to prepare and submit with supporting facts, ascertained, a report as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this State and making appropriation to meet the expenses of said committee necessarily incurred in said work.

WHEREAS, There has been a great increase in the number of motor vehicles used and operated upon the highways of the State of California resulting in an abnormal increase in the number of accidents resulting in injury to persons and property; and

WHEREAS, No adequate method seems to have been devised for the enforcement of the safety provisions of the existing laws relating to the use and operation of motor vehicles on the highway; and

WHEREAS, Any revision of the laws relating to such use and operation of such vehicles should involve consideration of the advisability of enacting a law requiring owners or operators of such vehicles to give financial security for the satisfaction of judgments arising out of the use and operation of such vehicles. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate concurring, That there is hereby created a joint committee of the Assembly and Senate to consist of three members of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, one of whom shall be the Speaker of the Assembly, and three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, one of whom may be the President of the Senate.

It will be the duty of said committee to investigate the adequacy of the facilities for the enforcement of existing laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the highways of this State, and the advisability of establishing some system of enforcement of all laws relating to the safe operation of such vehicles, and to make recommendations concerning the advisability of amendments to existing laws, if in the discretion of the committee deemed necessary, and, if the committee reports in favor of the adoption of any specific law, it should include in its report or plan recommended the measures which in its judgment should be enacted.

It shall also be the duty of said committee to study the advisability of requiring owners or operators of motor vehicles on the public highways to give some form of security for the payment of judgments, for which said owner or operator may be liable, arising out of the use and operation of such vehicles on the public highways. In making this study the said committee shall carefully consider the laws and systems enacted in other states and countries, and the effect that any such systems would have in the State of California on account of the unusual conditions arising in this State due to many thousands of visitors coming into this State every year by means of motor vehicle transportation. Said committee is to make its report to the Legislature at its next session, and for the purpose of studying the questions involved and the preparation of its report, it shall be given the assistance of the Chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles and shall have the right to call for any statistics or available data of said division.

The members of said committee shall receive no compensation for such services other than their official salaries, but shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses necessarily incurred hereunder not exceeding the amount hereinafter specified. Such committee is hereby authorized to employ competent clerical or other help to assist in the preparation and compiling of all data ascertained, including the making of the final report. The said committee may also employ an executive secretary, whose duties shall be to work under the direction and control of said committee, and to that end the said committee may send said executive secretary to any state of the union to make a first-hand investigation of conditions there. The said committee shall be provided with quarters in the State Building at San Francisco, if such quarters are available, but if said quarters are not available, said committee may procure quarters in the city of San Francisco for its headquarters.

The expense of such clerical and other help and of the executive secretary and of such quarters, and for other necessary expenses of the committee, shall be passed upon and fixed by the committee subject, however, that the total of said expenses and costs shall not exceed the amount hereinafter specified.

The expenses thus incurred by said committee under the authority hereof shall be payable out of the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated for the contingent expenses for the Senate and Assembly at this session of the Legislature, payable one-half from the contingent fund of the Senate and one-half from the contingent fund of the Assembly, but not exceeding the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars in all, which sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, so composed, is hereby set apart, reserved and appropriated out of said respective contingent funds for the purposes aforesaid to be disbursed from time to time by Controller's warrants to be drawn against said contingent funds upon the written orders of the chairman of said joint committee. And be it further

Resolved, That the said committee be instructed to have prepared its report not later than the first day of December, A. D. 1928, and that a copy of said report be not later than said date transmitted to the Governor of the State in order that he may make such comment thereon as he may deem appropriate to the Legislature at its next ensuing session.

Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 261 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Ball moved that Assembly Bill No. 595 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jespersen moved that Assembly Bill No. 1125 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector and delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Williams moved that Assembly Bill No. 137 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter 3 of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing section 654 to ____, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Feigenbaum moved that Assembly Bill No. 1113 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another to sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand or trademark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act and providing for penalties for the violation of same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 684 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Assembly Bill No. 621 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 130 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No 889 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No. 1096 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets and seines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No. 1097 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section_____, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. West moved that Assembly Bill No. 713 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices, vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jost moved that Assembly Bill No. 78 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Reindollar moved that Assembly Bill No. 677 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Reindollar moved that Assembly Bill No. 678 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No. 870 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Scofield moved that Assembly Bill No. 393 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 399—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Jewett moved that Assembly Bill No. 399 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Sewell moved that Assembly Bill No 751 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State

of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hawes moved that Senate Bill No. 215 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, etc., and to rent temporary buildings, etc.,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764c of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*o*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, maintain, and operate cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a* and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the Superintendent of Schools and his assistants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend sections 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3732, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758, and 3759 of the Political Code of California, relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon;

Also: Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 6½;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, as amended

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. Woolwine: An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the sixteenth day of March, 1927, at 11.45 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON MINES AND MINING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

CLOUDMAN, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Woolwine: Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad Bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented

By Mr Scudder.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life

and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Burns:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 320—An act providing for the distribution of any money appropriated by the State of California for the encouragement of county and district fairs

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 320 finally passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 242—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act relative to estrays and providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, excepting certain counties from the provisions thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 242 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 97—An act defining credit unions. Providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 97 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

HON. ELBERT G. ADAMS IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-nine minutes p.m., Hon. Elbert G. Adams, member of the Assembly from the Forty-ninth Assembly District, in the chair

Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers in counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 530 finally passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, and Wright—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibitions of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act, including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 219 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 219 was this day passed.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levy, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 442 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the thirty-eighth class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 494 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. E. WALTON HEDGES, JR., IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. E. Walton Hedges, Jr., member of the Assembly from the Forty-eighth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 131 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Wemple gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 131 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 336 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 564 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 308 of the Civil Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 292 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding,

Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 221 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 65—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 15*a*, relating to the payment of the interest due on bonds of the district

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 65 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded

indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, and to add three new sections to said act, to be numbered section 6*a*, 6*b* and 6*c*, respectively, relating to the annexation of territory to said district, and also adding a new section to said act, to be numbered section 6*d*, relating to the control of any existing publicly owned utility in such district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 68 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Senate Bill No. 72—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and disposition of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county or incorporated city or town," approved April 23, 1913, by providing that the surplus funds in the treasury of municipal utility districts may be invested in like manner as those of other municipal corporations mentioned in said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 72 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 169—An act to add a new section to be numbered 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by transportation companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 169 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Crittenden gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 169 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to mortgages and liens on property of transportation companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 170 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION

Mr. Crittenden gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 170 was this day passed.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public

schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 832 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Bryne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610¼, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 834 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Gant, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Patterson, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—19.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 201 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder,

Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1130 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'Industrial Accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1134 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—64
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 239 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Scudder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Commitee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "bluestone," add the word "copperas.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word and semicolon "labels;" strike out all down to and including the word "pounds", on page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided*, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to prevent the sale of Epsom salts properly and plainly labeled "For live stock only and not for medicinal use" in letters of not less than one-half inch in height and in original packages of not less than ten pounds".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Scudder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 407, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SCUDDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 728, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Finley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, lines 4 and 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one thousand nine hundred twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand one hundred".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Finley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 96, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FINLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McDonough moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 9, of the title of the printed bill, strike out word "conclusive" and insert in lieu thereof the words "prima facie".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McDonough as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 15, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McDONOUGH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 557 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roland moved that Assembly Bill No. 1036 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 523 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, March 17, 1927.

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IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 17, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Dillinger was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. Rochester was granted leave of absence for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California

MY DEAR REPRESENTATIVE LEVEY: We realize that in your position as Speaker of the Assembly you are appealed to from all sources for assistance in connection with legislation coming before the Legislature, and will make our appeal to you as short as possible, but hope that it will be sufficient to have you feel that you should be justified in supporting the measure which we will refer to.

Senate Bill No. 670, introduced by Senator Hurley, and referred to the Committee of Education, deals with the creation of adjustment schools for the care of minors

The Associated Boys' Council of San Francisco is an organization which is interested in, and sponsoring all types of boys' activities, and is composed of representatives from the various men's service clubs, many commercial organizations, city officials, and a large number of prominent individual citizens. They have given much study to the matter covered in Senate Bill No. 670 and hope that this legislation will be enacted.

Knowing from the study of the juvenile and his needs, to make him a worthy citizen, who will be able to face the world and make his own way with credit to himself and the community in which he lives, we believe that the State of California could not make a greater contribution along this line, than to have a legislation of this kind in force and effect

Volumes could be written giving valuable information and facts as to why such legislation as this should be passed, but we feel that one of our citizens who has reached the high position you have in our legislative body, does not need this organization to go into detail in order to secure your cooperation for the passage of this bill.

The Associated Boys' Council of San Francisco has unanimously indorsed the object for which this bill was drafted, and we assure you that if we can receive your support and assistance in this matter, it will be greatly appreciated by our organization.

Thanking you in advance for any assistance which you feel you will be able to render with regard to this matter, and with kindest regards and best wishes, we r main,

Sincerely yours,

J. HARRY RUSSELL,
President, Associated Boys' Council.

WILLIAM UNMACK, Secretary

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By the Chief Clerk:

WOODLAND, March 16, 1927.

Arthur A Ohnimus, Chief Clerk.

DEAR SIR: I wish to thank you, and, through you, the honorable members of the Legislature of the State of California for the beautiful memorial and tribute to my beloved son, A. C. Murray.

I shall cherish this beautiful emblem of esteem and give it to his only surviving child, William Ward Murray, when he is old enough to realize the esteem in which his father was held by his fellow men.

With many, many thanks from family and friends May God bless you all.

Sincerely yours,

J. A. MURRAY.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mrs. A. P. Reese, principal, Mr. Carl Lund, Mr Harold De Vinny and Mrs Claude Van Gelder, teachers of the Houston School of San Joaquin County, and the following pupils of the seventh and eighth grades: Marie Beisel, Ted Matsumoto, Robert Johnson, John Reese, Delmar Woodson, Clyde Woodson, Blanche Knupfer, Francis Culbertson, Dorothy Frey, Ruth Matsumoto, Louise Houck, Emly Schlag, Eva Bond, Elizabeth De Vinny, Marie Lind, Dora Luza, Frieda Rapalee, Eleanor Smithson, Josephine Rankin, Loretta Westfall, John Lerza, Verna Wardrobe, Dorothy Van Gelder, Tetsu Kimura, Imanuel Pokert, Wesley Schufferly, Howard Weyand, Terrell Howery, Clifford Berryman, Bruce De Vinny, Arnold Minor, Ezra Ehrhardt, Ira Burnett, Ralph Hawley, Clifford Smithson, Reuben Gentner and Lydia Beisel were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. A. J. Giovannette of Fairfax was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Miss Lillian Herzog of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr Miller, J. A , Mr. Harry A. Encell of San Francisco, attorney State Highway Commission, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Jack Friedlander of Los Angeles, Corporation Commissioner, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mixter, Mr. Harry E. Martin of Tulare County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Gant, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Alson of Turlock, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. G. H. Wasserburger of Lynwood, California, superintendent State Belt Railroad, San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Parkman. Mr. T. C. McGovern, sheriff of San Mateo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. E. W. Hedges, Mr. H. E. Dayton, former member of Legislature, of Salinas, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Hon. William E. Evans, Congressman from Ninth Congressional District of Greendale, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Mr. Don Stewart of San Diego was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Miss Helen Stratton of San Jose was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Miss Mercy C. Farnsworth, teacher of the David Lubin School, and the following pupils of the low sixth grade, Sarah Jane Thompson, Cecelia Mazzanares, Elaine Whealon, Gladys Neuman, Alice Santos, Enid Le Doux, Gertrude Arcega, Marie Eubanks, Grace Allen, Alice Claire Koch, Dora Hobbs, Elizabeth Fortune, Robert Young, Breuner Wulff, Charles Jones, Anabelle Ruckh, Esther Kilborn, Amy Woods, George Artz, John George Beach, Walter Criswell, Kazuo Kawai, Billy Lewis, George Kambara, John Kerrigan, Newton McCready, Samuel Thompson, Louis Laughlin, Willard Wymore, Guy Patterson, Dix Stillman, Noel Hinkle, and Edward Peterson were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Messrs. J. Bray and E H. Francis, teachers of the Stanford Junior High School, and the following pupils: Pearl Hickok, Dorothy McGary, Ruth Boydstun, Marian Curtis, Dorothy Spink, Manuela Miranda, Elsie Schoefer, Alice Rader, Esther Luethy, Lois Ford, Marion Galloup, Minnie Smith, Verna Dennis, Marian Gray, Arden Lane, Wallace Reid, Paul Graham, Frank Arino, Jr, Alton Egersdorff, James McCulloch, Perry Briggs, Kenneth Chick, Joe Gomes, Rodney Weckworth, Sam Saunders, and Charles Martin were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, and 16*e* to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto five new sections, to be numbered 4½, 5½, 17½, 19½ and 23½, relating to the annexation by county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, the operation and maintenance of lateral and collecting sewers, the construction by such districts of sewers under the "Improvement Act of 1911," and the dissolution of such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to state educational offices—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 639—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the conduct of research and investigation of sewage and industrial wastes to determine upon proper methods for treatment and disposal, and providing for an advisory council—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means, without recommendation.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*r*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 400—An act to amend section 2322*r*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No 133—An act to amend section 2322*r*21 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class,

Also Assembly Bill No 230—An act to amend section 2322*r*19 of the Political Code, relating to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the juvenile court law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one

years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the juvenile court law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 177—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax;

Also: Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors,

Also: Senate Bill No. 130—An act to amend section 19*x*56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915 as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the fifty-sixth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4235*m* to the Political Code, relating to the sheriff's special fund;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 4268*a*, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 793—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*i*, embracing sections 372 to 372*g*, relative to a Department of Public Health—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 794—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, relating to a Department of Social Welfare—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State employees; providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes," approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management of community real property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code;

Also Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding proprietors of hotels, inns, restaurants, boarding houses;

Also Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season;

Also Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 31, providing for municipal court auditor and for municipal courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same.

Also Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917.

Also Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add eighteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, to the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed, providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby, providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received

in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another, and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments:

Also Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish:

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 8 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits;

Also Senate Bill No. 71—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security for the deposit of public funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California

into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to boundary lines of fish and game districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 166—An act to amend section 653*p* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative agricultural, viticultural and horticultural associations;

Also, Senate Bill No 102—An act granting to the city of Eureka tide and submerged lands of the State of California including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Eureka and regulating the management, use and control thereof;

Also, Senate Bill No. 259—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group life insurance;

Also Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 128 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No 166 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No 102 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 259 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 124 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 389—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictments and informations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant;

Also: Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information;

Also: Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations, and complaints;

Also: Senate Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 397—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 389 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 390 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 392 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 398 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 403 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 395 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 393 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 396 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 397 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 29 of the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915;

Also Senate Bill No. 845—An act providing for the use of the labor of inmates of any State prison or of the Preston School of Industry upon public roads and defining the powers and duties of public officials in relation thereto;

Also: Senate Bill No 258—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 63½, to the Public Utilities Act, approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to increase in rates;

Also: Senate Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials.

Also Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, and amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915.

Also. Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend sections 7 and 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 703—An act to amend section 453*bb* of the Civil Code, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 453*hh*, relating to mortgage insurance.

Also Senate Bill No. 405—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 210 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 845 read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

Senate Bill No. 258 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities

Senate Bill No. 415 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 719 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No 297 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 703 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Senate Bill No 405 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the Law Library.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented·

By Mr. Hornblower:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mixter.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "copy", strike out the remainder of the line, all of line 23, and line 24 up to and including the numeral "1901", and insert in lieu thereof the following "Such certificate must have been issued to such applicant within a period of ten years immediately preceding the filing of the application herein at the office of the board in the city of Sacramento, State of California."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "however," strike out the remainder of the line and all of lines 41 to 52, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "that the board may in its discretion accept an application based on a written examination and certificate to practice any system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted issued in the District of Columbia or any state or territory of the United States within ten years of application to the board of medical examiners of California if it is made to appear, and the board shall so find that such extra state board maintained and required a standard in no particular or degree less than that required for a similar examination and certificate in the State of California on the date of such examination and certificate."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "August 1901."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "necessary", strike out the remainder of line 15, all of lines 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "if it is determined that such applicant is so qualified to practice as a physician and surgeon in the State of California and that his reputation and standing in the community in which he has previously practiced is good, the said applicant shall be entitled to receive a 'physicians and surgeons certificate.' The board of medical examiners shall require an oral examination of an applicant when ten or more years have intervened between the date of the filing of his application with the California board and the date of the certificate issued by a medical examining board or any other board or officer authorized by law to issue a certificate entitling such applicant to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted either in the District of Columbia or in any state or territory of the United States and used as the basis of said application to the California board. Said applicant must have".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, line 50, after the comma following the word "*provided*," strike out the remainder of the line and all of lines 51 and 52 and insert in lieu thereof the following, "that any person who has been granted a reciprocity certificate to practice osteopathy under the laws of California prior to the date this amended act is in effect, may in the discretion of the board, thereafter be granted an oral, practical, or clinical examination for a physicians and surgeons certificate, after said applicant has filed an application based on a certificate issued by a board of examiners of either the District of Columbia or any state or territory of the United States, duly authorized to issue such certificate; *provided, further*, that the requirements of the board which was legally authorized to issue such certificate permitting such applicant to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted shall not have been at the time such certificate was issued, in any degree or particular less than those which were required for the issuance of a similar certificate to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted in the State of California at the date of the issuance of such certificate. If after such oral, practical, or clinical examination it is determined by the said board of osteopathic examiners, by a majority vote thereof, that such applicant is qualified to practice as a physician and surgeon in the State of California and that his reputation and standing in the community in which he has practiced is good, the said applicant shall be granted a 'physicians and surgeons certificate'. The fee for filing such application shall be twenty-five dollars, fifteen dollars to be returned to the applicant in the event a certificate is not issued under the provisions hereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses, and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 8, line 6, of the printed bill, before the word "for" insert "Section 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8, line 32, of the printed bill, omit the period after the word "organization" and add the following: "(*b*) Any person, firm, exchange, association, or corporation buying vegetable and/or horticultural farm products for the purpose of reselling the same in dried, canned or other preserved form".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 10, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the misspelled word "subpenas" and insert in lieu thereof "subpoenas".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 10, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the misspelled word "subpenas" and insert in lieu thereof "subpoenas".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "products" insert the following: "except milk and milk products".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1162—An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the port of Eureka.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof." approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 16 to 30, both lines inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 10. The board of harbor commissioners shall have authority to hire engineers or other persons for the collection of data desired and the presentation thereof to governing bodies, their assistants or employees and may also employ such secretarial help and procure such necessary office quarters as shall in the judgment of said board be proper and necessary. Each member of the harbor commission shall receive a per diem of five dollars for each day actually and necessarily spent in the discharge of his or her duties under this act, together with his or her necessary traveling expenses. Such expenses to be incurred shall be subject to the approval of the board of supervisors and allowed by them upon verified demands presented by the chairman of the board of harbor commissioners in regular form at monthly meetings of the board of supervisors and shall be drawn on a fund that shall be created at budget time upon recommendation of the harbor commissioners as in the judgment of the board of supervisors may be proper and necessary, *provided, however*, that the entire expenditure in any one year of the harbor commissioners shall not exceed a sum equal to a levy of ten per cent on each one hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of the county.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 7 to 9, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 3, 1927, strike out all of said lines 7 to 9, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ing shall be declared elected; *provided*, that there are not less than twenty members present in person or by proxy, which number is hereby fixed as a quorum for such annual meeting."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance and the reserves required in certain classes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 44 to 49, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

11. Boiler and machinery insurance, including within its meaning insurance against loss of or damage to persons or property from explosion of or other accident to, boilers, tanks, pipes and other pressure vessels, engines, wheels and electrical machinery and apparatus connected therewith or operated thereby.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, etc., and to rent temporary buildings, etc.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764c of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*o*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, maintain, and operate cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 4 and 5, of the printed bill, after the word "establish" strike out " , maintain and operate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "housing" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "equipping" strike out " , operating and maintaining".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, following the word "that" strike out the remaining material on page 1, and strike out lines 1, 2, and 3 on page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the governing board of the school district may require satisfactory evidence of such condition to be furnished; *and provided, further*, that said governing board may itself, exclude from attendance on regular school classes any child whose physical or mental".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a* and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "at" strike out all of the remaining matter in line 21, strike out lines 22, 23, and 24, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "may if they so desire purchase standard school supplies and equipment as hereinbefore provided for the purchase of such supplies and equipment for elementary school districts governed by school trustees".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, following the comma insert the following: "except classes maintained in English and citizenship for foreigners and classes in elementary subjects,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the Superintendent of Schools and his assistants.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, following the word "supervision" insert the following "as provided in section 1543, eighteenth, of this code"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county general" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "unapportioned county school fund".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "The" and ending on line 40 with the word "thereto", strike out the following words "The tenure of any person or employee where certification qualifications are required shall apply as a basic principle to the position of a class room teacher or to any position equivalent thereto", and insert in lieu thereof the following "The permanent tenure of any person or employee in an administrative or supervisory position where certification qualifications are required, shall be that of a classroom teacher only".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out all of the material lines 3 to 26, page 1, of the printed bill, lines 1 to 52, page 2, lines 1 to 52, page 3, lines 1 to 23, page 4, all inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

1775. (a) Each county or city and county board of education may, without examination, grant certificates (1) to the holders of credentials issued by the state board of education, (2) to the holders of credentials or recommendations approved by the state board of education, (3) to the holders of valid school certificates issued in accordance with law by any county, or city and county, board of education in this

state Said certificates will authorize the same kind of service in the same grades, classes, or types of schools as that authorized in the credential, recommendation, or certificate upon which any such certificate is issued

(*b*) No teacher shall be employed to teach in any way in any school if the certificate held by the teacher is of a grade below that of the school or class to be taught, nor shall a teacher holding a special certificate be employed to teach any subject not authorized in such certificate, *provided*, that the holders of existing primary certificates, or of the same when hereafter renewed, shall be eligible to teach in any grades of the day or evening elementary schools below the sixth year, and not including the kindergarten grades

(*c*) No person shall be eligible to hold a position as city superintendent, district superintendent, deputy superintendent, or assistant superintendent of schools unless he is the holder of both a valid school administration certificate and a valid teacher's certificate, *provided*, that any person employed as a deputy or assistant superintendent in a purely clerical capacity shall not be required to hold an administration certificate. No person shall be employed as principal of a school of more than five teachers unless he is the holder of a valid teacher's certificate and a valid school administration certificate of the same grade as the school to be administered; *provided*, that a substitute principal holding a valid teacher's certificate of the same grade as the school to be administered, may be employed without an administration certificate to meet an emergency for not more than five months of any school year No one shall be employed to supervise the work of teachers for more than half time during any school week unless he is the holder of a valid teacher's certificate authorizing him to teach in the schools and classes in which he is to supervise instruction and a valid supervision certificate, *provided*, that the holder of a valid school administration certificate may supervise general instruction in all subjects.

(*d*) No librarian shall be employed for more than two hours a day in any high school, unless such librarian holds a valid high school certificate or a special teacher's certificate in library craft of secondary grade, granted in accordance with the provisions of this code. Such librarians shall rank as teachers, and shall be subject to the burdens and entitled to the benefits of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund law on the same basis as other teachers.

(*e*) All certificates and diplomas now valid in California shall continue in force and effect for the full term for which they were granted. County boards of education may renew any certificate legally issued by them prior to the adoption of this law, and now in force, *provided*, that no certificate granted upon a credential issued by the state board of education for a limited period, or upon an approved recommendation issued for a limited period, shall be renewed or extended unless the credential or the recommendation upon which such certificate was issued has been renewed or extended, and then only for the period of such renewal or extension of the credential or the recommendation *and provided, further*, that no certificate shall be renewed after the same has expired. Except as otherwise provided, renewed certificates shall be valid for a period of six years

(*f*) When the holder of any certificate shall have taught successfully in the same county, or city and county, for five years, the board of education of said county, or city and county, may, in addition to or in the place of the renewal of such certificate, grant a permanent certificate of the kind and grade of the certificate on which said applicant has been teaching, valid in the county, or city and county, in which issued during the life of the holder or until revoked for any of the causes set forth in section 1771 of this code, *provided*, that no certificate granted upon a credential issued by the state board of education for a limited period, or upon an approved recommendation issued for a limited period, shall be made permanent. Permanent certificates shall be issued without fee

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "submit" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "be accompanied by".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend section 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3732, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758 and 3759 of the Political Code of California, relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That on page 2, at line 10, of the printed bill, the word "seventeenth" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "twentieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

That in line 18, page 2, of said printed bill, the words "sixth day in August" be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "twenty-fourth day of July".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 110—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets, or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the first word "act" insert the following: "to add a new section to be numbered 4a to and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "one" and add the following: "eight and nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "licenses" and add the following: "and reports."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "reducing" insert the following: "refining,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "specimens" add the following: "Every person, firm, association, or corporation engaged in such business shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars per annum to the State of California."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, after line 7, add the following:

SEC. 2. A new section to be numbered *4a* is hereby added to said act, approved April 15, 1925, and to read as follows.

4a. The state mineralogist shall prescribe the form and contents of all reports in order to comply with section 4 of this act and it shall be the duty of every person, firm, association or corporation to file monthly with the state mineralogist a report of all purchases made under the provisions of this act. Any licensee who shall fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 3. Section 8 of said act, approved April 15, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8 *Any violation of sections 1, 4, 4a and 5 of this act shall be punishable* by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars and not more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment The state mineralogist shall notify the district attorney of the county in which the offense occurs of such violation, and the said district attorney shall institute criminal proceedings for the enforcement of this act before any court of competent jurisdiction.

SEC 4 Section 9 of said act, approved April 15, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. The expenses of the state mineralogist arising out of this act shall be defrayed out the moneys paid in from time to time for licenses issued hereunder. Any balance remaining in the hands of said state mineralogist on the thirty-first day of December of each year, derived through this act, shall be turned over to the general fund of the state."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Crittenden waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 169 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 169 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED

Mr Crittenden waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 170 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 170 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Wemple moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 131 was passed be reconsidered

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith Snyder, Wemple West, Wherrell Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and fifty-four minutes a.m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names.

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A. Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nave, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—69.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Keaton. An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of incorporated and/or unincorporated territory to municipal corporations and for the incorporation and consolidation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof.

By Mr. Murphy: An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

By Mr. Walters. An act making an appropriation for the construction and equipment of buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College.

By Miss Miller: An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12½ and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 21½ to an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," as amended June 14, 1923, relating to issuing certificates to practice orthodontia and midwifery, defining orthodontia; providing educational requirements and examination of applicants to practice orthodontia.

By Mr. Ball (by request) · An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same.

By Mr. Scudder An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled, "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration.

By Mr Burns · An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health", approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
WEMPLE.
FOSTER.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jost moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 27, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "or unfair".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 40, of the amended printed bill, after the word "and" insert the word, "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jost as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read·

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 826, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof of the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power." approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 1027 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1027 to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells so as to unduly diminish or render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jost moved that Assembly Bill No. 636 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 636 to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of incorporated and/or unincorporated territory to municipal corporations and for the incorporation and consolidation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1213—An act making an appropriation for the construction and equipment of buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

By Miss Miller. Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12½ and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 21½ to an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act." as amended, June 14, 1923, relating to issuing certificates to practice orthodontia and midwifery; defining orthodontia; providing educational requirements and examination of applicants to practice orthodontia.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Ball (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved

April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Burns: Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," approved March 20, 1889, relative to record of exclusion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to reassessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the

State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed, providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located, providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use water, providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers, providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators, providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another, and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c*, 2*d* relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712 relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Bernard.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 was adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Adams, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Finley, Heisinger, Jones, McPherson, Melville, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, and West—14.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 20.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article IV thereof, relating to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh session, commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend section 3 of article IV of the constitution to read as follows

Sec 3 Members of the Assembly shall be elected in the year 1928 at the same time and in the manner now provided by law; thereafter members of the Assembly shall be chosen for the term of four years; and each election shall be on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, unless otherwise ordered by the Legislature.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relative to permanent road divisions;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1069—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54 24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HAWES, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to amend section 2651 of the Political Code, relating

to the purposes for which the general road fund of a county may be used—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Also: Senate Bill No 352—An act to amend section 365*o* of the Political Code, relating to powers of the State Highway Commission;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

HAWES, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 46 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, relating to the entry of the record of assessment sales and the addition of penalties to assessments upon redemption,

Also: Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 322—An act to amend an act known as "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 323—An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of California by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 642*b*, relating to the investment of moneys with building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No 338—An act to amend section 637 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No 340—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section to be known as section 563*c* thereto, relating to offenses against or concerning building and loan associations, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act;

Also, Senate Bill No 432—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 647 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No 435—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the building and loan inspection fund;

Also Senate Bill No 436—An act making full paid investment certificates issued by any building and loan association licensed by, and under the direct supervision of the Building and Loan Commissioner of the State of California in accordance with the provisions of title XVI, part IV, division I of the Civil Code, legal investments for certain purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to the collection of money by heirs;

Also: Senate Bill No 438—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock dividends and reserve fund of building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 633 of the Civil Code, relating to building and loan associations;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act; and providing limitations on the granting of such use;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 25, 27, 61, 62 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, authorizing a reclamation district that may have sold or transferred any of its levees or property to Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, Sutter-Butte By-Pass Project No. 6, or any other unit or project, and received warrants issued by said Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District or Sutter-Butte By-Pass Project No. 6, or any other project thereof, in exchange or payment therefor, or may have received or may receive compensation for any property included in any plan now or that may hereafter be adopted for controlling the flood waters of Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, or their tributaries, to exchange said warrants for outstanding warrants issued by such reclamation district and also providing that in any new, additional or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon tracts of land the benefits accrued from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district exchanged or paid for by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and also the amount that should have been apportioned of warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and providing that if the amount that would have been assessed against each tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled on distribution of warrants, such excess shall be assessed to each tract of land and if the amount be less, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by such reclamation district;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented.

By Mr Eddy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½, to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of

sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Little:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 81—An act to amend sections 8 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to narcotic drugs.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 2 of "The State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 582—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 11 of the State Medical Practice Act relating to subjects of examination for certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing, chiropody and midwifery, approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out entire section 2, of said bill, on page 4 thereof.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, subcessions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 6½.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill, by striking out in line 1 thereof "section twenty" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Sections twenty and subdivision three (3) of section eight"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Amend the title of the printed bill, by striking out the last two lines thereof and insert in lieu of the same the following: "and adding two sections to be numbered section six and one-half and section two and three-quarters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page "3" of the printed bill, after line "4" thereof, insert the following:

SEC 3 A new section is hereby added to said inheritance tax act to be numbered 2¾ and to read as follows:

Sec. 2¾. (1) Where the tax imposed by this act is of a lesser amount than the maximum credit of eighty per cent of the federal estate tax allowed by the federal estate tax act because of said tax herein imposed, then the tax provided for by this act shall be increased so that the amount of tax due this state shall be the maximum amount of the credit allowed under said federal estate tax act. Said additional tax shall be paid out of the same funds as any other ordinary charge against the estate

(2) Where no tax is imposed by this act because of the exemptions herein and a tax is due the United States under the federal estate tax act then a tax shall be due this state equal to the maximum amount of the credit allowed under said federal estate tax act

(3) Should the amount of tax in this act increased by this section be afterwards found to be more than the maximum credit allowed under the federal estate tax act, then any excess over and above the said maximum credit shall be refunded as is provided in section 11 of this act.

(4) If this section, or any subsection, phrase or clause thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion or portions of this act in force at the time of the enactment of this section, nor shall such decision affect the validity of the remaining portion or portions of this section.

SEC 4 Section 8, subdivision three (3), is hereby amended to read as follows:

(3) When property is transferred in trust or otherwise, and the rights, interest or estates of the transferees are dependent upon contingencies or conditions whereby they may be wholly or in part created defeated, extended, or abridged, a tax shall be imposed upon said transfer at the highest rate which, on the happening of any of the said contingencies or conditions, would be possible under the provisions of this act, and such tax so imposed shall be due and payable forthwith by the executors or trustees out of the property transferred; *provided, however, that on the happening*

of any contingency whereby the said property, or any part thereof, is transferred to a person or corporation exempt from taxation under the provisions of this act, or to any person taxable at a rate less than the rate imposed and paid, such person or corporation shall be entitled to a return of so much of the tax imposed and paid as the difference between the amount paid and the amount which said person or corporation should pay under the provisions of this act; such return of overpayment shall be made in the manner provided by section eleven of this act, upon order of the court having jurisdiction; *provided*, that the person or persons or body politic or corporate beneficially interested in the property chargeable with said tax or the trustees thereof may elect not to pay the same until such person or persons, or body politic or corporate beneficially interested in such property shall come into the actual possession or enjoyment thereof, and in that case such person or persons or body politic or corporate or trustees shall execute a bond to the people of the State of California in a penalty of the amount of said tax plus interest thereon for five years at the rate of seven per cent per annum with such sureties as the said superior court may approve, conditioned for the payment of said tax and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum commencing at the expiration of eighteen months from the death of the decedent at such time or period as they or their representatives may come into the actual possession or enjoyment of such property, and conditioned further, that if said bond be not renewed and the returns made as herein provided, the amount of said tax and interest thereon shall immediately become due and payable. Said bond shall be filed in the office of the county clerk of the proper county and a certified copy thereof shall be immediately transmitted to the state controller; *provided, further*, that such person or persons or body politic or corporate, or trustees, shall enter into such security within a period of ninety days after the entry of the order or decree fixing the inheritance tax charged against such transfer, or within such period thereafter as the court may in its discretion permit, and shall make a full and verified return of such property to said court and file the same in the office of the county clerk within one year from the date of such order or decree fixing tax, and at such times thereafter as the court on the application of the state controller may require, and renew such security every five years after the date of the approval thereof. Upon the approval of said bond as herein provided, said tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property so transferred. If such security shall not be renewed before the expiration of each five year period, said bond shall immediately become due and payable and if the same be not paid forthwith, the attorney general shall file an action in the name of the people of the state on the relation of the controller, to recover the same and the penalties thereunder and no demand for payment shall be necessary before the institution of such suit. Whenever it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the court that any surety on such bond or undertaking has for any reason become insufficient, the court may on motion of the state controller, after such notice to such person or persons, body politic or corporate, or trustees as the court may require, order the giving of a new undertaking with sufficient sureties in lieu of such insufficient undertaking. In case such new undertaking so required shall not be given within the time required by such order, or in case the sureties thereon fail to justify thereon when required, all rights obtained by the filing of such original undertaking, or subsequent undertaking, shall cease and the amount of said tax and interest thereon shall immediately become due and payable.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jespersen moved that Assembly Bill No. 809 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 809 to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 457 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 292 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Jacobson Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—45

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and fifty-two minutes p m., Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden, member of the Assembly from the Nineteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 229 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr Speaker—45

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Hueneme Harbor District, to provide for the improvement, development and protection at Hueneme Bay of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government control, operation and maintenance of said district and harbor and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness for said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds to pay the cost thereof; and to provide for the levy of assessments and taxes by said district and the collection thereof

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 486 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*j*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1176 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Crowter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Badham, Cloudman, Crawford, Kelsey, and Smith—5.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Little gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1176 was this day passed.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and two minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Hornblower moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 219 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 219 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibitions of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act, including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Fisher moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, lines 49 and 50, of the printed bill, as amended March 2, 1927, strike out the words "and the carcasses" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "except that in any chartered or incorporated city or city and county that maintains a regular meat inspection service by persons who have passed the civil service meat and/or market inspectors' examination the slaughtering of said animals under the provisions of this act shall be under the supervision of such an inspector or inspectors of such chartered or incorporated city or city and county. The carcasses shall be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 7, lines 3 to 9, of the printed bill, as amended March 2, 1927, strike out all of said lines 3 to 9, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Fisher as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 219, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FISHER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359*a*, relating to the Governor's Council.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1112 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Cloudman, Kelsey, and Walters—3.

Title read and approved

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1112 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to care of funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1019 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. M. J. M'DONOUGH IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., Hon. M. J. McDonough, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-ninth Assembly District, in the chair

Assembly Bill No 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of copyists appointed by the recorder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 888 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—62

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1941 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 566 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 442 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson,

Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors, and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 159 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman Patterson Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 88 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 1158 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1158 to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 403 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. J. CROTER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. J. Croter, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-eighth Assembly District, in the chair

Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend section 1461 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to disposition of fines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 257 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 665 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and two minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION TO RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, a recess of five minutes was taken for the purpose of being addressed by Hon. William E. Evans, Congressman from the Ninth Congressional District.

REASSEMBLED.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing

for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 504 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1052 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, water ways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 114 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act providing for topographic surveys and investigation of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor, approved April 22, 1909.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1077 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 34 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—50.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Davis, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Little, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, and Sewell—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof, and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 180 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages.' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semimonthly entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "the people of the State of California," delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 216 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk, butter, ice cream and other milk products; to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service; to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculin cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 306 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*x*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 513 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield,

Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 430 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 899 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 757 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—62
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 398—An act to amend section 2322*x*16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 398 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 467 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 28 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 385 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 753 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Clowdsley, Deuel, Smith—4

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Heisinger gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 753 was this day passed.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Snyder:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to be numbered 791*a* to the Political Code, relating to notaries public.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Bernard:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County", approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 4, 1927, strike out the words "authorization of" and insert in place thereof the words "of authorization,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 828, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, March 18, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 18, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crotер, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher,

Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Millet, Eleanor, Millet, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Sewell moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. West was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. Rochester was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Gant was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. Wemple was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, the following members of the Order of Eastern Star from Contra Costa County, having their monthly luncheon at Sacramento, and also visiting the Legislature, from Antioch California—Mrs Stamm, Mrs. Harter, Miss Stamm, Mrs. Keeney, Mrs Sheddrick, Mrs Preston, Miss Gunn, Miss Putcamp, Mrs Mehaffey, Mrs. McCoy, Mrs Watson, Mrs. Turner, Mr George W Harter; from Brentwood, California—Mrs Schaeffer; from Benicia, Solano County, California—Mrs Johnston; from Martinez, California—Mrs Sweetzer, Mrs Reid, Mrs. Beede; from Pittsburg, California—Mrs Spurgeon, Mrs Kramer, Mrs. Roelling, Mrs McAvoy, Mrs Graham, Mrs Scott, Mrs Reinhart; from Crockett, California—Mrs Kirkhouse, Mrs Jones, Mrs Duff, Mrs Johnson, Mrs Arnold, Mrs Sweet, Mrs Edwards, Mrs Newton; from Walnut Creek, California—Mrs Hook, from Concord, California—Mrs. Bucholz, Mrs Hawkes, Mrs Newhall, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Eddy, Mrs. O. Smith, Mrs. Herath, Mrs. Jones and Miss B. Johnson were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr West, Mr. Peter J Kramer, principal of the Franklin Union School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Hazel Willyard, Ted Kammerer, Agnes Kunsting, Thelma Johanson, Harold Schultz, Henry Kloss, Maggie Balliet, Lester Koster, Leila Ross, Doris Johnson, Edwin Lippert, Harry Kneppel, Milton Schmidt, Harold Mohr, Maggie Rau, Barbara Kammerer, Mary Sims Reinhold Derheim, George King, Edith Tegen, Cecil Hack, Raymond Engel, Lorraine Schaeffer, Leonard Hasty, Takeyoshi Hamitani, Harold Miller, Horace Pyeatt, Marion Dannuls, Ernest Brinkerhoff, Herbert Forsch, Ben Schuch, Lillian Frey and Kiyohiko Hamitani were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Mrs. E. T. Eheleben of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Mrs Paul Scharrenberg of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Miss Helen Eheleben of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Miss Helen Scharrenberg of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Baum:

The following resolution was endorsed and adopted at the regular monthly meeting on February 3, 1927, of the Los Angeles County Council of the United Veterans of the Republic, with the recommendation that the Legislature of California, now in session at Sacramento, further amend and add to the Political and Penal Codes the following further provisions to the existing laws covering the United States flag:

1. That June 14th, Flag Day, shall be set aside by proclamation of the Governor recommending that Flag Day be observed by people generally by the display of the flag of the United States and in such other ways as will be in general harmony with the general character of the day.

2. That the flag of the United States shall be displayed (weather permitting) on the main administration building of every public institution throughout the proper hours of the day on all business days and holidays

3. That the flag of the United States shall be displayed at every polling place, and that such flag and proper fixture shall be made a part of the paraphernalia of such polling places, so that such flag may be properly cared for and preserved and properly displayed during voting hours.

4 That the use of the flag of the United States shall not be used as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying or delivering anything whatsoever.

5. That it shall be unlawful to permit disrespect to be shown in all cases hereinafter to the flag of the United States To display the flag with the union down except as a signal of distress, to place any other flag or pennant above, or on the same level to the right of, to place any object or emblem on or above, to use as drapery in any form; to fasten in such manner as will permit it to be torn, to drape over hood, top, sides or back of a vehicle, railway train or boat, providing that a staff shall always be used; to display on a float or in parade except from a staff; to use as a covering for a ceiling, to carry flat or horizontally, but always aloft and free, as a portion of a costume or an athletic uniform, or embroidered upon cushions, handkerchiefs, etc., nor printed upon paper napkins, boxes, etc.; to use, display or store in such manner as will permit it to be easily soiled or damaged; or to be flown in a battered, torn or bedraggled condition

I therefore move that the County Council of Los Angeles County, United Veterans of the Republic, hereby approves this resolution with the recommendation that steps be taken to have these various recommendations enacted into law at the present

session of the California Legislature, affixing proper and suitable penalties for violation of such laws when they shall be enacted by said Legislature.

RUSSELL M. MacLENNAN, Chairman.

Accepted: DAILEY STAFFORD, Commander.

Forwarded approved: WILLIAM R. ELAM, Adjutant,
Los Angeles County Council United Veterans of the Republic

February 3, 1927.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Building

DEAR SPEAKER LEVEY: Bills are now beginning to come in at such a rate that I should like to make a suggestion as to information concerning them which will be of value to this office. In the first place, I want to congratulate you and the members of the Assembly on the excellent progress you are all making in your work, on the spirit of earnestness which prevails, and on the record of business-like efficiency you are setting for this session of the Legislature. I particularly want to commend the general agreement you seem to have reached that only bills of real importance shall receive final enactment.

Although I propose to review each bill very carefully, I need not say that I shall welcome all the light upon each measure which your members can give me. I should prefer that this be not done orally, partly for lack of time, but more especially because one matter inevitably so crowds out another that what I am told about any particular measure may largely be erased by subsequent information concerning others. Accordingly, I should appreciate a written statement on the bills from all members of the Assembly who care to give them. I would, if I may, make the following definite suggestions:

(1) An explanation of each bill should in all cases come from its author. This may be supplemented when desired by statements from others not in the Legislature, who are particularly interested in the bill.

(2) I should appreciate from committee chairmen and committee members statements regarding bills which have gone through their committees, and which have attracted their attention as being particularly desirable, or particularly undesirable.

(3) Finally, I should appreciate hearing from members regarding any bills in which they have become especially interested, either for or against.

I wish to make it clear that I am merely seeking information respecting these measures—what lies behind each which makes it worthy to become a law, what is to be accomplished for the good of the State, and how. Although we want to pass every necessary piece of legislation, I am sure we all want to reduce to a minimum all proposed legislation which is unnecessary.

I would suggest that those members who care to submit the written recommendations I have suggested, do so as fast as the bills pass the Assembly, and while they are fresh in mind. Each communication will be filed away, for careful consideration, provided the bill finally passes the other house.

Please understand that in all the above, I am not trying to impose any burden upon any member which he may not care to assume. I am simply suggesting a method of procedure for those who wish to consult with me concerning bills.

Yours very sincerely,

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to amend the Political Code of the State of California by adding thereto certain new sections to be known as and numbered sections 2331*a*, 2331*b*, 2331*c*, 2331*d*, 2331*e*, 2331*f*, 2331*g*, 2332*a*, and 2347, relating to the care and rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons under the age of twenty-one years, by the State of California under

the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Welfare; and appropriating funds therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

FINLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which referred Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his payroll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Also Assembly Bill No 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

HORNBLOWER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed;

Also: Assembly Bill No 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts,

Also Assembly Bill No 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels;

Also Assembly Bill No 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon application of the owner of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation

Also Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections, to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons

who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction of said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relating to bridge and highway districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653e of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days prima facie proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section;

Also Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of air ports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes, providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose

Also: Assembly Bill No. 240—An act to amend the title and to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 9, 11, 16, 23a and 24 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie, providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended, and to add to said act a section, to be numbered 24b, relating to reassessment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered

20b, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with this amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the general dairy law of California relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the state board of control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings

Also: Assembly Bill No 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764c of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans;

Also Assembly Bill No 1162—An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the port of Eureka;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 72—An act to amend the title and also sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the investment and reinvestment and disposition of any surplus moneys in the treasury of any county, city and county or incorporated city or town," approved April 23, 1913, by providing that the surplus funds in the treasury of municipal utility districts and flood control districts may be invested in like manner as those of other public corporations mentioned in said act

Also Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers in counties of the forty-second class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 658—An act to amend section 19x44 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 383—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089, and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 411—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or informations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 416—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 383 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 411 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 416 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 615 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—Relative to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr Kelsey: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by amending section 2 of article IV of the constitution of California.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Baum:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

Appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Ball:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths, the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act, to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same, to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Williams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. L. and Louis Price against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fisher:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to branch banks.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 171—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7½ to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, conferring jurisdiction upon the Railroad Commission to award reparation against transportation companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and thirty-two minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections, to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d* and 16*e*, to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "are hereby constituted" and on line 13, page 2, the words "Agents of the state board of health and".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto five new sections to be numbered 4½, 5½,

17½, 19½ and 23½, relating to the annexation of county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, the operation and maintenance of lateral and collecting sewers, the construction by such districts of sewers under the "Improvement Act of 1911," and the dissolution of such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 6 and 7 of the title to the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three new sections to be numbered four and one-half, and five and one-half,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 8 of the title to the printed bill, strike out the first word in said line, viz, "half"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out lines 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the title to the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the compensation of directors of such districts, and the dissolution of such districts,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out lines 9, 10 and 11, on page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such districts and the powers thereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

Strike out lines 18, 19 and 20, on page 3, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by the county, cities, or other governmental agencies or districts which may by law be authorized to construct such lateral and connecting lines and provide for the payment thereof. The determination by the board of"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

Strike out lines 24 to 51, inclusive, on page 4, of the printed bill, and lines 1 to 49, inclusive, on page 5 of the printed bill

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 50, on page 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In line 36, on page 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "equalified" and insert in lieu thereof the word "equalized"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*x*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 400—An act to amend section 2322*x*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors, and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 133—An act to amend section 2322*x*21 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relative to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith"

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after words "two thousand" strike out word "four" and insert in lieu thereof word "one".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, add "The provisions of this paragraph shall apply to the incumbents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 11, of the printed bill, after "salary of" strike out "one thousand eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "two thousand four hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, after the words "two thousand" strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, after "salary of" strike out "one thousand eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "two thousand four hundred".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," relative to record of exclusion.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 49, 50, 51 and 52, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 1 and all down to and including the word "deposits", in line 27 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "United States, or of this state or of any county, city, town, municipal utility district, flood control district, school district or irrigation district within this state, which bonds shall be approved by the treasurer and attorney of the county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision. The market value of the bonds furnished shall be at least ten per cent in excess of the amount of the deposit secured thereby, but the amount of the deposit shall in no case exceed the face value of the bonds furnished as security therefor For the security of active deposits, there shall be deposited with such treasurer, treasury notes or bonds of the United States or of this state, or of any county, city, town, municipal utility district, flood control district, school district, or irrigation district within this state, or the surety bond or bonds of any corporation or corporations qualified to act as sole surety on bonds or undertakings required by the laws of this state; *provided*, that the furnishing of surety bonds shall be optional with the treasurer; *provided, however*, that when there is no qualified bank within the county owning the money, or the county within which the municipality owning the money is situated requesting such active deposit, and offering any of the classes of securities, including surety bonds, herein provided for such deposits, then no such surety bond or notes or bonds shall be accepted as security for active deposit in banks outside of such county while any notes or bonds of the United States, or of this state, or of any county, city, town, municipal utility district, flood control district, school district, or irrigation district within the state shall be offered as security for active deposits by any bank in the state qualified to accept such deposits."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "act", in line 6 thereof, strike out all of the balance of line 6 and down to and including all of line 18 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following "but such treasurer shall be chargeable with the safe keeping, management and disbursement of the bonds and certificates of deposit deposited with him as security for deposits of such moneys, and with the interest thereon, and the proceeds of any sale under the provisions of this act, and the respective city, county, city and county, town, municipality or other political subdivision shall be responsible for the custody and safe return of any securities so deposited."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments

for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and relating to reassessments

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" at the end of said line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

After the words "such suits", on page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, add the following:

Fourth—Whenever any contractor or assignee of a contractor shall have done or performed any work or improvements pursuant to proceedings had and taken in attempted compliance with the provisions of this act, and whenever prior to the issuance of any assessment, any court of competent jurisdiction in any suit to invalidate the contract or any of such proceedings shall for any reason declare said contract or other proceedings to be invalid, then such court shall in and by its decree direct the making of a reassessment for the reasonable value of the work and improvement actually done and performed in good faith by the contractor, or such portion thereof as was of a kind that could lawfully have been ordered under the provisions of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 5 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(c) In the event of nonpayment of any assessment or reassessment or installment thereof, or of any interest thereon together with any penalties and other charges accruing under the taxation ordinance of the city and not later than four years after the due date of the last installment of principal, as a cumulative remedy, the same when due and delinquent may by order of the council be collected by suit brought in the superior court to foreclose the lien thereof. The costs shall be fixed and allowed by the court and shall include a reasonable attorney's fee, interest, penalties and other charges and advances as herein provided and when so fixed and allowed by the court shall be included in the judgment. The court shall have the power to adjudge and decree a lien against the lot or parcel of land covered by the assessment or reassessment for the amount of the judgment and to order said premises to be sold on execution as in other cases of the sale of real estate by the process of said court, with the same rights of redemption. On appeal, the appellate courts shall have the same power to adjudge and decree a lien and order such premises to be sold on execution as is herein provided for the superior court. The foreclosure suit shall be governed and regulated by the provisions hereof, and also where not in conflict herewith by the codes of this state. The city shall have the right to advance and pay county or other taxes wherever necessary to protect its interest in property against which there is a delinquent assessment. It may also at its discretion temporarily transfer moneys into the redemption fund from other funds in which such moneys are not immediately needed, the moneys so transferred

to be used to pay sums due from such redemption fund and to be retransferred therefrom out of the first available receipts. Upon the ordering of any such foreclosure suits the tax collector shall be credited upon the assessment roll then in his hands with the amount charged against him on account of such assessments or reassessments, ordered to suit and be relieved of further duty in regard thereto.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter CCLXXXVII of the statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494 providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3495 providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3496 providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend title of the printed bill, to include section 3466 of the Political Code.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend lines 3 to 16, page 2, of the printed bill, to read as follows:

3465 The lists must remain in the office of the county treasurer for thirty days and during said time said assessment shall not bear interest except as otherwise provided by section 3480 of this code, and as long as bonds have not been authorized and sold on the basis of said assessment any land owner may pay in gold coin of the United States or approved warrants of the district the whole or any part, both principal and interest, of said assessment on any tract of land If any bonds shall have been authorized before payment on said assessment but shall not have been sold the amount to be sold shall be reduced by the amount paid on the principal of said assessment The reduction shall be only in the latest maturities; and such changes and cancellation shall be made by the proper officials in the unsold bonds as shall be necessary to accomplish said reduction

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 10, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "taxes" insert "and any taxes or assessments of irrigation, conservation or water storage districts"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Strike out from line 25, page 17, to line 7, page 19, of the printed bill, and substitute the following

Thereafter and on or before February 1 or August 1 of any year (as the case may be) prior to the date of maturity of the outstanding bonds of the district next maturing and to be so refunded, either in whole or in part, the board of trustees of the said district may declare by resolution that that portion of the said refunding bonds applicable to the refunding of the said outstanding bonds so next maturing shall be sold as herein provided.

Said resolution shall direct the treasurer of the county to sell said refunding bonds on a date which shall not be less than five days nor more than ten days, prior to April 1 or October 1 of such year, as the case may be. Said resolution also shall declare whether or not, in the judgment of the board of trustees, said refunding bonds can be sold for not less than the par value thereof, plus accrued interest, and also whether or not, in the judgment of said board, it is necessary or advisable that provision be made for payment of interest upon said refunding bonds to the date of maturity of the bonds to be refunded, and whether or not a supplemental assessment should be levied for either or both of said purposes; and if said resolution shall

declare either that said refunding bonds cannot be sold for as much as the par value thereof, plus accrued interest, or that it is necessary or advisable that provision be made for payment of interest upon said refunding bonds to the date of maturity of the bonds to be refunded and that a sufficient assessment should be levied for either or both said purposes, such supplemental assessment shall be levied and collected in the following manner, to wit

The board of trustees shall prepare and certify an assessment list for said assessment in the form prescribed by section 3461 of this code The amount of said assessment shall not exceed ten per cent of the principal of the refunding bonds to be sold, plus the amount (if any) to be raised by such assessment to pay interest on said refunding bonds to the date of maturity of the bonds to be refunded as aforesaid The amount of said assessment shall be spread only upon the tracts of land in the district upon which an assessment is then outstanding for payment of the bonds to be refunded and shall be spread on said tracts in proportion to the amounts then assessed against said tracts under said outstanding assessment

Said list when completed shall be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county. The board of supervisors shall appoint a time when it shall meet for the purpose of hearing objections to said assessment and notice of such hearing shall be given by publication for two weeks in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county At any time before the date of such hearing any person interested may file written objections to such assessment stating the ground of such objections, which statement shall be verified by affidavit of such person or some other person who is familiar with the facts At said hearing the board of supervisors may correct any errors appearing in said assessment and shall then make an order approving said assessment and shall endorse such order upon said assessment list, which said endorsement shall be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors and attested by the clerk thereof Such decision of said board of supervisors except as hereinafter provided, shall be final and thereafter said assessment list shall be conclusive evidence that the said assessment has been made and levied according to law The list shall then be filed with the county treasurer, or if the district is situated in more than one county then the original list must be filed in the county where the greater portion of the lands of said district is situated and copies thereof certified by the treasurer must be filed with the treasurer of each of the other counties. No objection to such assessment shall be considered by the board of supervisors or allowed in any other action or proceeding unless such objection shall be made in writing to the board of supervisors as above specified

Any person aggrieved by the decision of the board of supervisors may commence an action in the superior court of the county in which the greater part of such district is situated to have said assessment corrected, modified or annulled Such action must be commenced within five (5) days after said assessment list has been filed in the office of the county treasurer If said action shall not be commenced within five (5) days, no action or defense shall thereafter be maintained attacking the legality of said assessment in any respect

After said approved assessment list has been so filed the charges therein specified shall be a lien upon the parcels of land so assessed and shall impart notice thereof to all persons. Said assessment shall be called for immediate payment and shall become delinquent by declaration made in said resolution at a specified date at least five days prior to the date fixed for the sale of said refunding bonds; and at least thirty days time to pay said assessment shall be given to the land owners between the date of call and the date of delinquency Said assessment shall not bear interest and shall be payable only in gold coin of the United States. Notice of said assessment and of said call thereon must be personally served upon each owner of land in said district or in lieu of personal service must be sent through the mail addressed to said owner at his place of residence if known, or entered upon the assessment roll of the county and it not known, at the place where the principal office of the district is situated or be published once a week for two weeks successively in some newspaper of general circulation and devoted to the publication of general news within the district and if no such newspaper be published within the district then publication may be made in some newspaper published in the county seat of the county where the greater portion of said district is situated. Upon delinquency a penalty of ten per cent shall be added If the land owners in any district shall voluntarily pay to the treasurer of the county, on the call of the board of trustees without the levy of such assessment, the amount required by the board of trustees for the aforesaid purposes as prorated on the lands in the district as herein provided then no such assessment shall be levied.

If a sale of said refunding bonds is consummated by payment of the purchase price thereof and the delivery of the bonds then the board of trustees of the district shall proceed to enforce payment of any delinquencies in the said assessment in the manner set forth in section 3466 of this code, and the provisions of said section 3466 shall apply to all subsequent proceedings in enforcing collection of said assessment. For the sale of said bonds the said treasurer shall give notice by publication at least once a week for at least two weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published

in the main county, that he will sell a specified amount of said refunding bonds, and stating the day, hour and place of said sale, and asking for sealed proposals for the purchase of said refunding bonds, or any part thereof. At the time appointed for said sale, which shall be in any event at least ninety-five days prior to the date of maturity of the principal of said outstanding bonds to be so refunded by the sale of said refunding bonds, the county treasurer shall open the bids and award the said refunding bonds, or any designated number thereof, to the highest responsible bidder, but at a price in no event less than ninety per cent of the full face value of said refunding bonds. The county treasurer may, and upon written request of a majority of the trustees, must, reject any and all bids. Any sale by the county treasurer shall be conclusive evidence in favor of the purchaser and all subsequent holders of said refunding bonds that such sale was made upon due authority and notice. A proper record of such transaction shall be made upon the books of the county treasurer and the proceeds of the sale of the said refunding bonds shall be placed in the county treasury to the credit of the bond fund of the district, and the said proceeds shall be used and applied only in payment, in whole or in part, of the principal of the outstanding bonds to be refunded by the said refunding bonds so sold.

All refunding bonds not so sold and issued at least ninety-five days prior to the day on which the outstanding bonds to be refunded thereby shall mature, shall be forthwith canceled by the said county treasurer and shall never be an obligation of the district.

The principal and interest of refunding bonds shall be based on and payable out of the assessment or assessments upon which the bonds so refunded were payable, in accordance with the provisions of section 3480 of this code.

The purchaser of any refunding bonds may use in payment at their par value with accrued interest any bonds of the maturities and series which will be paid by the proceeds of the sale.

If the amount for which any portion of said refunding bonds shall be sold exclusive of accrued interest shall be less than the face value thereof then to the extent necessary for the purpose the county treasurer shall use the proceeds of said assessment together with the proceeds from the sale of said refunding bonds to meet the principal of said bonds so next maturing. Interest on said refunding bonds from date of sale to the first interest payment date shall be paid from the proceeds of said assessment. Thereafter any surplus of said assessment shall be returned by the county treasurer pro rata to those who paid it.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

5. Add to section 4, on page 19, of the printed bill, between lines 25 and 26 the following: "but nothing in this section contained shall prevent said board of trustees from making other arrangements with holders of warrants of the district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 19, at line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "liabilities and" and after the word "incurred" insert the words "or to be incurred". Also strike out from line 34, commencing at the semicolon, to the end of line 41 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 12, between lines 33 and 34, and before section 3, of the printed bill, insert the following:

If within one year after any issue of bonds is deposited with the county treasurer, none of such bonds shall have been sold, the board of trustees, in their discretion, may by an order entered in their minutes cancel all proceedings taken in connection with such bond issue. A certified copy of such order shall be filed with the county treasurer of each county wherein lands affected by the assessment on which said bonds were based are situated. The county treasurer with whom said bonds have been deposited, shall thereupon cancel said bonds together with all coupons attached thereto. Such cancellation shall not affect the validity of the assessment upon which said bonds were issued, and the board of trustees may call for the payment of such assessment, or any part thereof, in such installments from time to time as they shall determine and as provided in section 3466 of this code, or, in their discretion, and either before or after any installment of said assessment shall have been paid, they may cause bonds to be authorized and issued upon the unpaid portion of such assessment after proceedings therefor shall have been taken in the manner hereinabove in this section provided.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

At the end of the printed bill, add a new section as follows:

SEC. 8. Section 3466 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

At the end of thirty days unless bonds shall have been authorized the treasurer must return the list to the board of trustees of the district, and all unpaid assessments shall thereafter bear interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum. Thereafter all unpaid assessments and accrued interest shall be collected by and paid to the county treasurer, or the board of trustees may designate an agent to effect such collection who shall deposit said moneys with the county treasurer to the credit of

the district. Whenever the board of trustees shall appoint an agent to collect assessments, they shall require that such agent give a bond in such an amount as they may consider sufficient for the faithful performance of his duties. All such payments shall be made in separate installments, of such amounts, and at such times, respectively, as the said board, from time to time, in its discretion by order entered in its minutes may direct. Upon making such order the secretary shall also enter in the minutes of the board a notice in substantially the following form:

(Name of reclamation district, location or principal place of business.) Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the board of trustees held on the (date), an installment of (amount) was ordered paid within sixty days from date thereof to _____ at _____. Any installment which shall remain unpaid on the (day fixed) will be delinquent together with the accrued interest thereon.

The notice must be personally served upon each owner of land in said district, or in lieu of personal service, must be sent through the mail addressed to such owner at his place of residence, if known or entered upon the assessment roll of the county, and if not known, at the place where the principal office of the district is situated, or be published once a week for two weeks successively in some newspaper of general circulation and devoted to the publication of general news, within the district, and if no such newspaper be published within the district then publication may be made in some newspaper published in the county seat of the county where the greater portion of said district is situated.

If any such installment shall remain unpaid at the expiration of said sixty days from the date of the order, then the whole remaining uncalled portion of said assessment shall become delinquent together with the accrued interest thereon and a penalty of ten per cent of the amount of said installment and interest shall be added thereto and collected for the use of the district.

Immediately after the said installment has become delinquent, the trustees of the district must publish in one notice a list of all of said delinquencies at least once a week for two weeks in some newspaper of general circulation published in the county where said district or the greater part thereof is situated, which notice shall contain a description of the property assessed, the name of the person to whom it is assessed or a statement that it is assessed to unknown owners, if such is the fact; the amount then due on said property, and a notice that the property assessed will be sold on the date therein stated, in front of the court house of said county to pay the amount then due on said property. The date of said sale shall be not less than ten days after the date of the last publication of said notice. And at said time stated in said notice, or such other time to which said sale may have been postponed, the trustees must sell said property to the highest bidder for gold coin of the United States. Out of the proceeds of said sale the trustees must pay the amount due on said property as shown in said notice to the county treasurer who shall place the same in the proper funds of said district. The trustees must pay to the owner of said property any surplus remaining after such payment to the county treasurer. The trustees may postpone said sale from time to time for not less than ten nor more than thirty days at any one time by a written notice posted at the place of sale.

If no bid is made for said property equal to the amount due thereon, the district shall become the purchaser, and the said property must be struck off to the district for said amount. A certificate of such sale shall be executed by the trustees to the purchaser, or to the district, if the property shall have been struck off to the district, and said certificate of sale shall be recorded in the office of the county recorder of said county. Any person interested in said property may redeem the same at any time within one year after the date of said sale, by paying to the county treasurer the amount for which said property was sold, and interest on the said sums at the rate of two per cent per month from the date of said sale. If no redemption shall be made within said one year the purchaser, or the district, if said property shall have been sold to the district, shall be entitled to a deed executed by said trustees and the effect of such deed shall be to convey said property free of all liens and incumbrances excepting state, county and municipal taxes and any prior or subsequent district assessment and any taxes or assessments of irrigation, conservation or water storage districts. The trustees may sell said property at any time at public auction after notice given for the said period and in the same manner as is herein provided for sales for delinquent assessments, but not for a sum less than the amount for which said property was sold together with any call that has been made upon any prior or subsequent assessment and the deed executed in pursuance of such sale shall convey said property free of all liens and incumbrances excepting state, county and municipal taxes and any prior or subsequent district assessment and any taxes or assessments of irrigation, conservation or water storage districts.

Assessments heretofore made in any reclamation district shall be validated and collected in the manner provided by law at the time such assessments were made.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof of the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardian, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "included" insert the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "irrigation" insert the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the words "irrigation district bond" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California bond certification".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the words and figures "21, 22, and 23" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "22, 23 and 24".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 7 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC 16. All physicians, nurses, clergymen, attendants, owners, proprietors, managers employees, and persons living in or visiting any sick person in any hotel, lodging-house, house, building, office, structure, or other place where any person shall be ill of any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease, shall promptly report such fact to the county, city and county, city, or other local health board or health officer, together with the name of the person, if known, and place where such person is confined, and nature of the disease, if known.

It shall be the duty of each city, city and county, or other health officer to transmit to the county health officer at least weekly in writing a report showing the number and character of infectious, contagious, or communicable diseases reported and locations from which such cases have been reported.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "property", insert a comma and the following "and whether the title thereto".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 5 to 12, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 6." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 5"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 7" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 6"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 40 of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 8." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 7"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 9." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 8."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 10." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 9"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 11." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 10"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 12." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 11."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 13" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 12"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 14." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 13."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 15" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 14."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 16." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 15."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 17." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 16."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 18." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 17."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 19." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 18."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 20." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 19."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 21." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 20."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 22." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 21."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 5, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 23." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 22."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "occupancy" add the following: ", title".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Section 1" add the following:

A new section to be numbered section 712 is hereby added to the Civil Code to read as follows:

712. No condition or covenant restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property shall be valid as against any person of the Caucasian race or of African descent or nativity, except for reasons applicable alike to all

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relative to permanent road divisions

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1069—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to amend section 2651 of the Political Code, relating to the purposes for which the general road fund of a county may be used.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "amend section two thousand six hundred fifty-one" and strike out lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provide for a county engineer for each county in this state, providing for his appointment, manner of removal, qualifications, compensation and duties; authorizing the board of supervisors for each county to purchase and obtain all necessary equipment, materials and instrumentalities to carry out the object of this act to provide said county engineer with an office and necessary assistance,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following "Section 2651 of the Political Code is hereby" and strike out lines 2 and 3 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

The board of supervisors of every county may appoint a competent civil engineer as county engineer, who shall be a county officer The county engineer shall, under the general direction and supervision of the board of supervisors and except as otherwise provided in this act, have complete direction and control over all of the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair of county roads highways and bridges.

SEC. 2 The county engineer shall hold his employment for a term to be prescribed by the board of supervisors; *provided*, that he may be removed at any time by the board of supervisors for inefficiency, neglect of duty, malfeasance or misconduct in office, or other good cause shown, upon written charges to be filed with and read by the board of supervisors and sustained by a three-fifths vote of said board after hearing as herein provided. Said board is hereby vested with the power to administer oaths, compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers and testimony A copy of such charges shall be personally served upon said county engineer and he shall be given not less than ten days time in which to file a written answer to the charges, and if it appears to the satisfaction of such board that the charges have been substantiated, the said board shall so notify such county engineer by mail and such notice shall specifically state the findings and judgments of said board and the board of supervisors of said county must thereupon forthwith remove such county engineer from office and shall immediately appoint his successor in the manner provided in section 2 of this act. Prior to entering upon the duties of his employment, the county engineer shall file with the county clerk the oath of office as prescribed for the county officers and a bond conditioned upon the faithful performance of his duties with sufficient sureties, approved by a judge of the superior court, in the sum of five thousand dollars.

SEC 3 The salary of the county engineer shall be fifteen dollars per day for the time actually engaged in his work as such engineer, and he shall be allowed one deputy at a salary of six dollars per day during the time actually employed. The salary of said county engineer and deputy shall be paid monthly out of the treasury of the county of which he is appointed, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officers are paid. The county engineer and his deputy shall also be allowed their actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of their office and the same shall be a charge against the general fund.

SEC. 4. The county engineer shall be ex-officio road commissioner of and for each and every road district of his county and subject to the control and supervision of the board of supervisors as herein provided, shall have and exercise the powers and duties hereinafter set forth and specified and such duties as may hereafter be provided by law.

SEC. 5. The county engineer shall.

(*a*) Make, or cause to be made, all surveys, maps, plans, specification and estimates necessary or required for the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair of the county roads, highways and bridges and shall, from and after the first Monday in September, 1927, have and exercise all the powers and duties and perform all the functions which are now by law conferred or imposed upon county surveyor except as herein otherwise provided.

(*b*) Examine and inspect, or cause to be examined or inspected, the work performed on such roads, highways and bridges, and report to the board of supervisors whether or not the work has been done in accordance with the plans and specifications and contracts therefor.

(*c*) Approve and certify to the progress estimates and allowance for work performed under all contracts for the construction, improvement, maintenance or repair of county roads, highways and bridges.

(*d*) Inspect, or cause to be inspected, all county roads, highways and bridges within the county, and keep such roads, highways and bridges clear from obstruction, and when authorized by the board of supervisors, he may employ all men, teams and equipment necessary to keep such roads in good repair, when the same is not let by contract, and report to the board of supervisors with respect to such inspection and such work from time to time as said board shall require; and certify to the correctness of all pay rolls for work done by day labor, or force accounts, on county roads, highways and bridges.

(*e*) Have control and management under the general supervision of the board of supervisors of all county rock quarries, oil pits and depots, gravel pits and all materials, property, implements, instruments, tools, machinery and other appurtenances necessary for the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair of county roads, highways and bridges, and shall be the custodian of the plans therefor.

(*f*) He may also hold and perform the duties of the office of county surveyor, but in all such cases, no salary or other compensation shall be paid to him as county surveyor. He shall not be interested either directly or indirectly in any contracts within his jurisdiction, nor shall he be interested in the purchase of materials, supplies or equipment of any kind used in connection with the performance of his duties under the provisions of this act.

(*g*) Prepare annually a budget showing in detail the needs of the county for construction, improvement, maintenance or repair of county roads, highways and bridges for the ensuing year, and submit the same to the county auditor and board of supervisors at least sixty days prior to the date of meeting, at which the board of supervisors is required to fix the county tax rate and levy the county taxes.

(*h*) Make a written report to the board of supervisors at their first regular meeting of each month, and in it he shall state the amount and character of work done, during the preceding month, the progress of any contracts under way, approximate cost of the work, and matters pertaining to the public roads, highways, streets and bridges or other public works, which, in his judgment, should be brought to their attention. This report shall contain the recommendation of acceptance or rejection of any public work completed and all official announcements or statements which the engineer is required to make to the board. The size and form of these reports shall be uniform and upon blanks supplied by the state highway engineer and a copy thereof shall be filed, one in the office of the board of supervisors and another in the office of the county engineer.

(*i*) On or before the first day of July of each year, he shall file with the board of supervisors a complete report of the work of the preceding year, which report shall be in the form required, and contain such information as may be desired and requested by the state highway engineer upon blank forms supplied by said state highway engineer. A copy of said report shall also be filed in the office of the board of supervisors. He shall also keep an accurate record of the mileage of work done on each individual road and shall keep the record corrected to date. He may determine such mileage by automobile speedometer; he shall also keep an accurate record of the costs of construction of and repairs to each individual road in the county.

(*j*) Perform such other duties pertaining to the construction, improvement, maintenance or repair of county roads, highways and bridges as the board of supervisors may prescribe.

SEC. 6. The board of supervisors shall provide, by ordinance or resolution, for the employment, when necessary for the expeditious transaction of the business of such office, all additional field and office help for said county engineer. In any such cases the board of supervisors shall fix the amount of compensation of such additional employees and shall limit in advance the period of time for which such assistance is allowed.

SEC. 7. The board of supervisors shall provide and assign to the county engineer and his deputy a suitable office or offices in the county court house, or in some place conveniently located with reference thereto, with all necessary instruments, tools, implements, stationery and supplies.

SEC. 8. The county engineer shall make requisition upon the board of supervisors for the purchase of all tools, implements, machinery, materials and supplies required to carry out the intent of this act, and said requisition shall state plainly the estimated cost of the article or articles to be purchased. He shall approve all claims for the same before such claims are audited and passed by the board of supervisors He shall be the custodian and be responsible for all equipment under his control. All such property shall be stored and protected from the weather when not in use. An inventory of all property in his custody shall be made annually and kept on file in the office of the county engineer.

SEC. 9. Upon the completion of work done for the county of its roads, highways, streets, bridges and aqueducts, or in connection with the same, the county engineer must examine the same, and if completed in accordance with the specification thereof, he must submit to the board of supervisors and certify over his signature and official seal to the effect that such work by the contractors thereof has been completed in accordance with the specifications thereof and recommending its acceptance. The board shall thereupon audit the same and direct its payment out of the proper fund or funds.

SEC. 10. Whenever the California highway commission has authority to sell equipment, materials or supplies for road building, repairs or maintenance, and a savings may be made by a county by purchasing from said department, the board of supervisors, upon the recommendation of the county engineer, may purchase equipment, materials or supplies from the state

SEC. 11. The board of supervisors may, by ordinance or resolution, appoint the county surveyor as such county engineer, and shall specify the length and duration of time which said county surveyor shall perform services and duties, for the county, as such county engineer, *provided, however*, that during the time such county surveyor shall perform services and duties, as such county engineer, no salary or compensation as such county surveyor, shall be paid to him by the county.

SEC. 12. Nothing herein contained shall be held, deemed or construed to prevent members of boards of supervisors from visiting and inspecting work in progress within the county or from receiving for such services the mileage now allowed by law.

SEC. 13. This act shall be known as and when cited or amended it may be designated as "The county engineer act".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 177—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 130—An act to amend section 19*x*56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 4235*m*, to the Political Code, relating to the sheriff's special fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 4268*a*, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the second and third lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the Political Code,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 793—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article III*i*, embracing sections 372 to 372*g*, relative to a Department of Public Health.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 794—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article III*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on the third day of March, 1927, strike out the words "such reference".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "welfare", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof, a comma and add the following: "or the children's agents of the state board of control."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act." approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 71—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy

and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security for the deposit of public funds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Amend the title by inserting the words "in certain cases and as security" after the word "security", line 10 of the title of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out the comma after the word "act", line 20, page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "or as security for the deposit of public funds of the state or of any county, city and county, municipality, or other public corporation or political subdivision in any state or national bank or banks,".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 365*o* of the Political Code, relating to powers of the State Highway Commission.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 46 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, relating to the entry of the record of assessment sales and the addition of penalties to assessments upon redemption.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 322—An act to amend an act known as "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 323—An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of California by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 642*b*, relating to the investment of moneys with building and loan associations

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 637 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 340—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section, to be known as section 563c, thereto, relating to offenses against or concerning building and loan associations and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 432—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 647 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 435—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the Building and Loan Inspection fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 436—An act making full paid investment certificates issued by any building and loan association licensed by and under the direct supervision of the Building and Loan Commissioner of the State of California in accordance with the provisions of title XVI, part IV, division I of the Civil Code, legal investments for certain purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to the collection of money by heirs.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 438—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock dividends and reserve fund of building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 633 of the Civil Code, relating to building and loan associations

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Little moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1176 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1176 was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Cloudman, Davis, Fisher, Kelsey, Little, Murphy, Sewell and Smith—10

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Levmel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Smith waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1112 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1112 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jones.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 171 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and fifty-nine minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Heisinger moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 753 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 753 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Levmel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—Badham, Baum, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Davis, Dillinger, Flynn, Hornblower, Keaton, Kelsey, Mixter, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Williams, and Woolwine—21.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Assembly Bill No. 753 was re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Kearon, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Deuel, Flynn, Hornblower, Melville, Noyes, and Scudder—6.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States.

WHEREAS, The provisions of the federal constitution providing for a reapportionment of the representatives in Congress from the several states every ten years, based upon the federal census, has not been acted upon since 1910, and

WHEREAS, The present representation in the House of Representatives is based upon the census of 1910, an injustice is imposed upon many states where population has materially increased, and

WHEREAS, The population of the State of California, according to the census of 1920, was 3,426,536, an increase over the population of 1910 of 1,848,987, showing conclusively that the State of California is entitled to more representation in the House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, It is pointed out that a policy of depriving the State of its proper representation is exceedingly detrimental to the republican form of government, and

WHEREAS, It is deplored that there are differences of opinion and selfishness manifested on the part of those sections which either lose or do not gain in representation; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California earnestly petition Congress to enact legislation which will give to the several states of the United States their just representation in Congress based upon the last federal census; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby directed to send copies of this resolution under the Great Seal of the State of California to the President and Vice President of the United States, to each member of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the seventieth Congress of the United States and to the governors of each of the several states.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair. Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—A resolution proposing to the

people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section to article IV thereof, to be numbered 25¾, relating to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendments Nos. 22 and 28 ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FISHER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*d*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limit-

ing the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act" creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems, for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto River and its tributaries, and for protecting the water sheds from fire; and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization; and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322c of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county

inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 348—An act to establish standards for field crop products and related agricultural products, providing for the sampling, grading, inspection and certification thereof, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing the California Grain Standardization Act, approved June 3, 1921,

Also: Senate Bill No. 148—An act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of Capri figs, vesting the enforcement thereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, defining their powers and duties hereunder and providing a penalty for violation hereof,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of Part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the investigation of the funds and practices of the Chiropractic Board.

Referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Scudder, Smith, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—35.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of county auditors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Noyes moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "issued", insert the following: "by the auditor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, in line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "drawn" strike out the following: "and the date of expiration".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Noyes as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 555, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NOYES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 999 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker.—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1184 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 728 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Just, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 440 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Just, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Fisher moved that Assembly Bill No 305 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 305 to Committee on Manufactures.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1095 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Noyes moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, after the figures "4300" insert the letter "d".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Noyes as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 558, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

NOYES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322x52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 514 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts,

Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 149 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—48
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 584 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 585 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—48
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relative to the general powers of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1006 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Patterson—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of twenty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 417 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 113 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19x10 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the

salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 289 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 287 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*x*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 95 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 559 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*x*25 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1922, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the twenty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 419 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act," and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules, and asses affected with glanders into the State of California,'

approved March 7, 1911;" and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 498 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1135 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright moved that Assembly Bill No. 38 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.
The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 38 to Committee on Ways and Means.
Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 687 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county police protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 544 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At two o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jones.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 407 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, March 21, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 21, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—75.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Patterson, Mr Jewett was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Duval, Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hedges, Mrs. Paul Bianchi, Jr., instructor, Mr. Bert Carner, principal, and Mrs Carner, and Mr. Bianchi, and the following pupils of the Gonzales Union High School: Ivan Cryts, John Herndon, Leslie Tarp, Julius Hargens, Paul Livernette, Winston Morrill, Gladys Tholcke, Marie Gambetta, Edna Binsacca and Violet Smith, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bernard, Mr. Frederick A. Cradle, principal of the Maxwell Union Grammar School, of Colusa County, and the following pupils of the eighth grade: David Monroe, Oran Williams, Lonzo Crawford, Elizabeth Carpenter, Louise Sutton, Evelyn Finks, Volera Dernis, Cecilia Riordan, Bess Finks, Sena Deflesen, Theresa Brown, Lillian Brown, Nelda Lausten, Constance Lausten, Nilbur Rutherford, Paul Pearson and Cecil Lausten; and O. Rutherford, Mrs. O. Rutherford and Mrs. C. Lausten, guests, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Mr. George A. Glover, chairman Young Men's Republican League of Los Angeles County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

Resolution No. 26874 (new series), as follows:

WHEREAS, There are now pending before the Legislature of the State of California Senate Bill No. 208, and Assembly Bill No. 75, the same providing for an increase in the salaries of the judges of the Superior Court of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda counties; and

WHEREAS, The great growth of population and industry in the State of California has resulted in a very substantial increase in the business of these courts, and justifying an increase of the compensation paid to these judges; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby endorse Senate Bill No. 208 and Assembly Bill No. 75 and urge their passage; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the members of the Senate and Assembly and to the Governor of the State of California.

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors February 28, 1927.

Ayes—Supervisors Byington, Colman, Deasy, Harrelson, Havenner, Hayden, Kent, Marks, McSheehy, Powers, Roncovieri, Schmidt, Shannon, Stanton, and Todd—15.

Absent—Supervisors Badaracco, Bath, and Gallagher—3.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved March 11, 1927:

JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON OIL INDUSTRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer;

Also: Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended, relating to salaries of the superintendent and employees of Bureau of Criminal Identification,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing section 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f*, and 361*g*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f* and 363*g* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the statutes of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment and third reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections, to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SNYDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate_____dollars to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College, in the city of Chico—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SNYDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain state property located at Mount Shasta—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SNYDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section to article IV thereof to be numbered 25¾, relating to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*x*21 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 2322*x*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors, and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service;

Also: Assembly Bill No 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*x*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also. Assembly Bill No 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools,

Also: Assembly Bill No 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," approved March 20, 1889, relative to record of exclusion;

Also: Assembly Bill No 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1069—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520, and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4*a* and to amend sections 1, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses and reports,

Also: Assembly Bill No 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*e*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, maintain, and operate cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend sections 2168 and 2171 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons,
Also: Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10, 11, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the superintendent of schools and his assistants;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges;
Also: Assembly Bill No 1101—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and asks that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Baum: An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California.

By Mr. Williams: An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. L. and Louis Price against the State of California.

By Mr. Fisher: An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to branch banks.

By Mr. Ball: An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics: the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act: to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Snyder: An act to add a new section to be numbered 791*a* to the Political Code, relating to notaries public.

By Mr. Bernard: An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County, approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds theretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

By Mr. Little: An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings.

By Mr. Eddy: An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

By Mr. Mixter: An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith

By Mr. Hornblower: An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893;" approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates.

(Signed out)

JEWETT, Chairman.
FOSTER.

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 768—An act to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to definitions;

Also Senate Bill No. 833—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 768 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 833 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Senate Bill No. 844 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors;

Also, Senate Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for purposes of obtaining counsel;

Also Senate Bill No. 402—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate.

Also: Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489 and 490, of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor.

Also Senate Bill No. 606—An act to permit the Fish and Game Commission to control predatory fish and animals.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 375 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 380 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 401 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 402 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 404 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 408 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 606 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 61—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians, to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and/or other timber products by persons who by their own labor, and/or by using their live stock, machinery and/or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, and/or transporting logs and/or in manufacturing lumber and/or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and/or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the landowner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the landowner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be, to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also, Senate Bill No. 376—An act to amend section 1180 of the Penal Code, relating to the effect of an order granting a new trial in criminal cases;

Also Senate Bill No. 378—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases;

Also Senate Bill No. 379—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 61 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 83 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 376 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 378 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 379 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 110—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California, the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized, defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby; providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, as amended, by amending sections numbered 6, 7, 10, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered and providing as follows, to wit:

Section 8*a*, relating to the offices of assessor, collector and treasurer; section 8*b*, relating to consolidation and segregation of the offices of assessor and collector; section 8*c*, relating to deputies to assessor and collector; section 15*b*, relating to lack of benefits to improvements in district of operation and maintenance of irrigation system, section 27*a*, relating to time for completion of assessment roll and time for equalizing assessments, section 27*b*, relating to hearing as to equalization of values and duty of secretary in respect thereto; section 28*a*, relating to levy of taxes by boards of supervisors, section 28*b*, relating to duty of district attorney and attorney general on default in levy and collection of taxes; section 28*c*, relating to extension of time for duties in assessment, levy and collection of taxes; section 28*d*, relating to collection of unsecured taxes; section 28*e*, relating to addition of unpaid water tolls and charges to taxes; section 28*f*, relating to assessment lien; section 28*g*, relating to change of assessments and refund of erroneous taxes; section 28*h*, relating to notice that assessments are due and collection and delinquency of taxes; section 28*i*, relating to suit against delinquents to collect taxes, section 28*j*, relating to duty of collector on sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*k*, relating to sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*l*, relating to rights of owner of realty resold in default of payment, and purchase by district, section 28*m*, relating to certificates of sale, section 28*n*, relating to record book of property sold for taxes and interest on redemption; section 28*o*, relating to redemption of property and collector's deed, section 28*p*, relating to delinquent taxes and deed on dissolution of district; section 28*q*, relating to tax deed as prima facie and conclusive evidence and effect thereof; section 28*r*, relating to assessment roll or delinquent list as prima facie evidence, section 28*s*, relating to misnomers; section 28*t*, relating to waste after sale for taxes, district's rights and actions to enforce the same, section 28*u*, relating to settlements between secretary and collector, section 29*a*, relating to warrants unpaid for lack of funds and payment thereof; section 62, relating to assessment and equalization schedule for the year 1927, section 63, relating to effect of unconstitutionality and intention of this act; and section 64, relating to short title of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 110 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to

amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 143?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "paid", strike out all down to and including the word "immediately" in line 23 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The provisions of this subsection relating to the office of deputy clerk do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect ninety-one days after the final adjournment of the 1927 session of the Legislature.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "paid", begin a new sentence to read as follows:

The provisions of this subsection relating to the two additional deputies of the assessor do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect ninety-one days after the final adjournment of the 1927 session of the Legislature.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "paid", begin a new sentence to read as follows:

The provisions of this subsection relating to the appointment of one clerk by the district attorney do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect ninety-one days after the final adjournment of the 1927 session of the Legislature.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 143 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 1218—An act to add a new section to be numbered 791*a* to the Political Code, relating to notaries public.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds theretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Eddy: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Baum: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Williams: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. L. and Louis Price against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to branch banks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr. Ball: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts

of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Roberts:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 329, 330 and 341½, relating to the bringing of actions for the violation or failure to comply with any covenant, condition, forfeiture clause or defeasance clause relating to the use, occupancy, title or possession of real estate and judgments in respect thereto.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr Finley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Miss Miller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing the establishment of special adjustment schools by school districts, providing for the admission of pupils to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to amend the Political Code of the State of California by adding thereto certain new sections to be known as and numbered sections 2331*a*, 2331*b*, 2331*c*, 2331*d*, 2331*e*, 2331*f*, 2331*g*, 2332*a* and 2347, relative to the care and rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons under the age of twenty-one years by the State of California, under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Welfare, and appropriating funds therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered two thousand nine hundred seventy-nine *b*, two thousand nine hundred seventy-nine *c*, two thousand nine hundred seventy-nine *d*, two thousand nine hundred seventy-nine *e*, two thousand nine hundred eighty-two *a*, four thousand forty-one *d*, relating to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of eighteen years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the state board of health and by and under the direction of county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 15, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A new section to be numbered 2979*b* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2979*b*. The state board of health shall have the power and it shall be its duty to seek out needy physically defective or handicapped persons under the age of eighteen years by local surveys arranged through local lawful authorities, social welfare and other public and private agencies; *provided*, that no record shall be taken and/or kept except of such children as are specified in this section.

It shall likewise have the power and it shall be its duty to arrange through such local agencies for local public diagnostic clinics or conferences for such physically defective and handicapped persons, when and where it shall appear necessary and bring to such persons expert diagnoses near their own homes.

Whenever the parents or guardian of any such physically defective or handicapped person shall be unable, in whole or in part, to furnish for such child or ward, resident of the state, necessary surgical, medical, hospital, physiotherapy, occupational therapy and other service, special treatment, materials, appliances and their upkeep, maintenance care and transportation, the parents or guardian may petition the superior court of the county wherein such parents or guardian is or resident for a certificate setting forth such fact, and if the judge is satisfied that the parents or guardian is or are unable, in whole or in part, to furnish such services, treatment, materials, or appliances and their upkeep, or such maintenance, care and transportation he shall issue a certificate to that effect. Such certificate shall be presented to the state board of health and it shall be its duty to furnish, in whole or in part, such services, transportation, materials or appliances and their upkeep, such maintenance care and transportation as in its judgment are necessary and proper, the expense thereof to be advanced by the state board of health out of a revolving fund appropriated for that purpose. *Provided, however*, that the state board of health may pay the same out of any funds received by it through gift, devise, or bequest without the possession of such certificate. All moneys expended under the authority of such certificate, as herein provided, shall constitute a legal county charge against the county from which such certificate is issued. Upon presentation to the board of supervisors of the county in which such certificate was issued, of an itemized claim, duly sworn to by the secretary of the state board of health, for the expense of the above set out services, transportation, materials, appliances and their upkeep, care and maintenance and furnished under the authority of said certificate, said board of supervisors shall audit and approve said claim, and the county auditor of said county, shall thereupon issue a warrant for the amount thereof payable to the state board of health, and the county treasurer shall pay the same.

The state board of health is hereby authorized to arrange or contract with persons, hospitals, institutions, agencies or other organizations that are, in its judgment, properly qualified to furnish such services, materials, transportation, care, maintenance and appliances as above set forth, for such services, materials, transportation, care, maintenance and appliances necessary or requisite for the purpose of this act; and to pay for same in each particular case out of any funds appropriated for the purpose or which it may receive by gift, devise or bequest, as provided in this section.

It shall likewise, through its employees, persons and agencies cooperating in the services provided for in this section, maintain a strict supervision over such physically defective or handicapped persons as are under its care and jurisdiction; visiting them when advisable, causing a record to be kept showing their condition and improvement.

It may enter into agreements with parents, guardians and persons responsible for the care of such persons to pay such amounts as they may be able toward the cost of services, materials, transportation, care, maintenance and appliances furnished under the provisions of this section. Nothing in this section shall authorize the care, treatment, supervision or any control over persons coming under the provisions of this act without the written consent of a parent or guardian.

SEC. 2 A new section to be numbered 2979*c* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2979*c*. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty thousand dollars for administration and twenty-five thousand dollars which shall be a revolving fund to be used in the carrying out of the provisions of this act, and may be expended under the direction of the state board of health for the services and materials as provided under section 2979*b* of the Political Code. The state board of health is hereby empowered to pay for such services, materials, transportation, care, maintenance and appliances and their upkeep out of such fund; and the amount of such expenditures shall be charged against the county of which each such physically defective or handicapped person shall be resident as provided in section 2979*b*.

SEC. 3. A new section to be numbered 2979*d* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2979*d*. The state board of health shall have power to receive gifts, legacies and bequests and to expend or use the same for the purposes of this act; *provided* that no part of such funds shall be used for administrative expenses.

SEC. 4. A new section to be numbered 2979*e* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2979*e*. The board of managers or other managing authority of any public institution subject to the authority and under the control of the state department of institutions, or of political subdivisions of the state, in which institution, hospital facilities are maintained which can be used for the purposes of the act, may upon such conditions as shall be deemed wise without charge place such facilities at the disposition of the state board of health to be used in the care and treatment of physically defective or handicapped persons under eighteen years of age.

SEC. 5. A new section to be numbered 2982*a* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2982*a*. The state board of health may appoint an assistant secretary and other necessary employees whose duties shall be to assist in carrying out the provisions of this act. If available, such assistant secretary shall be a person trained and qualified in the work of treatment and care of physically defective and handicapped persons and who shall have knowledge of public health and social welfare services. It shall fix the salaries of such assistant secretary and employees and appoint other assistants and employees who may be willing to assist it without compensation.

SEC. 6. A new section to be numbered 4041*d* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

4041*d*. The county board of supervisors in each county is authorized to provide for the care, treatment and cure of physically defective or handicapped persons under the age of eighteen years in each county when the parents or guardians of such persons consent thereto in writing and when such parents or guardians are not financially able to secure proper care or treatment. The county may cooperate in this service with the state board of health and pay the costs as provided in sections 2979*b*, 2979*c*, and 2982*a* of the Political Code or may perform such services independently.

In order to provide facilities for the care, treatment and cure for such physically defective or handicapped persons, the board of supervisors may cooperate with the state board of health and the state department of public welfare in making use of existing hospital facilities under the supervision or inspection of such state departments within or without their respective counties.

The county boards of supervisors may also levy a special tax which shall not exceed in any one year the sum of three mills on each dollar on the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county. Such tax to be in addition to all other taxes provided for, which shall be deposited in a fund and be expended for the purposes hereof; and the boards of supervisors may transfer money from the general fund to the special fund in such amounts and at such times as such boards may determine, which money shall be used in carrying out the purposes of section 2979*b*, 2979*c*, and 4041*d* of the Political Code.

SEC. 7. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his pay roll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, insert after the word "to" the word "over", and on page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or over".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "less than" before the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 14 of the printed bill, strike out the words "the offense is", and insert in lieu thereof the following ", such person is guilty of".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fine.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fine.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "washing."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "required", strike out the words "upon demand being".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

At the beginning of line 5 of the printed bill, strike out "made therefore".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 6 of the printed bill, strike out all that follows the word "them".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 9 of the printed bill, strike out the word "washing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 11 of the printed bill, strike out all that follows the word "insurance" to and including the word "select", in line 12.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 15 of the printed bill, after the period, add the following: "In no case shall the amount of insurance carried by any one person be less than one thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In line 16 of the printed bill, strike out all that follows the figure "3." down to and including the word "owner", in line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Persons engaged in the business of receiving suits, dresses, coats, fabrics, clothing or wearing apparel of any kind for the purpose of cleaning, dyeing, repairing, or altering for hire, failing to comply with the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of

a misdemeanor, and each day of failure to comply with the provisions of this act shall constitute a separate offense.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "prevent the", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e*, relating to the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "section 1", insert the following: "A new section to be numbered 537*e* is hereby added to the Penal Code to read as follows".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "radio", insert the words "automobile tire".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "houses", insert the following: ", partly furnished apartments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "court", insert "or partly furnished apartments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "house", insert the following: "or partly furnished apartments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "house", insert the following: "or partly furnished apartments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "house", insert the following: "or partly furnished apartments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "house", insert the following: "or partly furnished apartments".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "house", insert the following "furnished".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon application of the owner of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "application", and insert the word "complaint".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "owner", and insert the word "owners."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "owner", and insert the word "owners."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

In line 5 of the printed bill, after the word "corporation" and before the word "may", insert the words ", other than a banking corporation,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "apply to", and insert the words "file a complaint against such corporation in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 6 of the printed bill, after the word "county" and before the word "where", insert the words ", or city and county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 7 of the printed bill, after the word "situated," and before the word "for", insert the word "praying".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In lines 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of the printed bill, strike out the words beginning with "by an application" and ending with "misconducted or mismanaged", and insert the words "upon the following grounds:

1. The corporation is insolvent or in danger of becoming insolvent.

2. Its property or a material part thereof has been or is being misapplied, wasted, lost or diminished through the ignorance, fraud, neglect or misconduct of its board of directors, or a majority thereof, or by any of its officers.

3. Its property or a material part thereof has been or is being consumed in salaries or expenses, without benefit or probable benefit to the stockholders.

4. Neglect, refusal or omission of the board of directors or the stockholders of any such corporation to hold a meeting for an unreasonable length of time.

5. That by reason of internal dissension among the stockholders or directors of the corporation or by reason of the ignorance, fraud, neglect or misconduct of its board of directors or a majority thereof, or of any of its officers, it is deemed for the best interest of the stockholders that it be dissolved."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

In lines 14, 15, 16 and 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words beginning with "Upon the filing of such application" and ending with "corporation and its stockholders", and insert the words "The complaint shall be verified by the plaintiff, or if there are several plaintiffs, by one of them. Upon filing of the complaint, the clerk of the court shall issue a summons, directed to the corporation, in the form prescribed by section 407 of the Code of Civil Procedure."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

In line 18 of the printed bill, strike out the words "time fixed for such hearing", and insert the words "trial of the action".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

In line 19 of the printed bill, strike out the word "person", and insert the words "stockholder or creditor of the corporation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

In line 19 of the printed bill, strike out the words "file his objections to the application", and insert the words "intervene therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

In lines 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26 of the printed bill, strike out the words commencing with "The court shall" and ending with "the corporation dissolved", and insert the words "If, upon the trial of the action, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the court that the allegations of the complaint are true, and that any of the grounds above enumerated exist for the dissolution of the corporation, the court by its judgment shall dissolve the corporation, and may appoint a receiver of its property and assets, pursuant to the provisions of section 565 of the Code of Civil Procedure".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "value" and before the word "of", insert the following: "at the time of assessment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after "741*b*", insert "of the Code of Civil Procedure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "under", insert the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "under", insert the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "of said section 741*b* plus the value of the use and occupation thereof and the amount of damage if any as assessed under said subdivision III, less the amount paid in taxes or assessments as provided in said subdivision II."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the figure "2", insert the following: "of section 741*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the word "said"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, after the words "subdivision 1", insert "of said section 741*b* plus the value of the use and occupation thereof and the amount of damage if any as assessed under said subdivision III, less the amount paid in taxes or assessments as provided in said subdivision II".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

Beginning with the word "in", in line 45, page 2, of the printed bill, strike out lines 45 to and including line 51 on page 2 of the printed bill, and lines 1 to and including line 10 on page 3 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "in the event of the plaintiff's failure to elect between the two alternatives as hereinbefore provided the defendant may within ninety days after the expiration of the time limited for plaintiff's election pay to the plaintiff the value of the property assessed under subdivision I of said section 741*b* plus the value of the use and occupation thereof and the amount of damages if any as assessed under said subdivision III, less the amount paid in taxes or assessments as provided in said subdivision II and retain the property.

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 741c, and to read as follows:

741c. In the event of the failure of both plaintiff and defendant to exercise their election within the time herein provided, they shall be deemed tenants in common of the property including the improvements, in the proportion which the amount assessed under subdivision I of said section 741*b* bears to the difference between the amount assessed under subdivisions II and III thereof, and the court shall enter a supplemental judgment or decree so declaring. Upon proof of the election having been fully made and consummated as hereinbefore provided the court shall enter a supplemental judgment or decree finally awarding the property to the plaintiff or the defendant as the case may be."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

Beginning with the word "where", in line 13, of page 3, of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 and 14 to and including the word "defendant" in line 14, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "where a mortgage or deed of trust on the property has been executed by the defendant".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction of said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relating to bridge and highway districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and all after the word "two", of said line 1, and down to and including the word "entitled" in line 4 of said title.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out the figure "1" after the word "section" secondly appearing in line 1 of section 1 and being in line 1, page 1, of said printed bill, and insert the figure "2" in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out the word and figure "Sec. 1" in line 11, page 1, of the printed bill

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out all on page 2 after the word "Formation" in line 33, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Strike out all on page 3 of the printed bill.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section three of the prepared milk act, relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed and licenses thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning in line 1 of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1", strike out all, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association, by himself, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of another, to manufacture, sell, exchange or have in possession with intent to sell or exchange, any milk, cream, skim milk, buttermilk, condensed or evaporated milk, powdered milk, condensed skim milk, or any of the fluid derivatives of any of them to which has been added any fat or oil other than milk fat, either under the name of said products, articles or the derivatives thereof, or under any fictitious or trade name whatsoever; *provided, however*, that the fat naturally contained in chocolate and not separated therefrom is hereby declared not to be a fat or oil within the meaning of this act; *and provided, further*, that when done under a valid written permit of the director of agriculture, the addition to the products commonly known as condensed buttermilk, of not more than five per cent of pure cod liver oil shall not be deemed to be a violation of the provisions of this act, so long as the resultant product shall be sold for poultry or stock feed; *and provided, further*, that said product shall not be sold, offered for sale, or kept on hand for sale for human consumption. Any person, firm, corporation or association, desiring to engage in the manufacture or preparation of condensed skim milk, condensed buttermilk, and/or semi-solid buttermilk, to which is added cod liver oil in any quantity, shall first obtain a license to do so from the director of agriculture of the State of California. Before issuing said license the director shall satisfy himself of the fitness of the applicant to hold such permit, and that the manufactured product shall not be in violation of the other provisions of this act. If the conditions aforesaid are satisfactory, said license shall be issued upon payment by the applicant of an annual fee of one hundred dollars. The license hereinabove required shall be revokable for violation of any of the provisions of this section."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "one, two, three, four, five and seven", and insert in lieu thereof "one, two, three and five and to add a new section to be numbered eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 6 to 25, inclusive, of the printed bill, strike out all said lines 6 to 25, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any common carrier by railroad in the State of California operating more than four trains each way per day of twenty-four hours on any main track or branch line of railroad within this state to run or permit to be run, any passenger, mail or express train propelled or drawn by steam, electricity or other motive power that has not at least the following named employees thereon one engineer, and one fireman or helper for each steam, electric or electric generating locomotive where such train is propelled or drawn by steam, electric or electric generating locomotive, one electric motorman for each train where such train is propelled or run by electricity without the use of a locomotive and one motor or power control man for every train where said train is propelled by other motive power than steam or electricity, one conductor, one brakeman, one baggageman, *provided*, that upon any such train upon which baggage is not hauled and on gasoline motor cars, a baggageman need not be employed; *provided, further*, that on any such train where four cars exclusive of railroad officers' private cars, or more than four cars are hauled, exclusive of railroad officers' private cars, two brakemen instead of one shall be employed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 1 to 7, of the printed bill, strike out all said lines 1 to 7, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, lines 9 to 41, of the printed bill, strike out all said lines 9 to 41, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any common carrier by railroad in the State of California operating more than four trains each way per day of twenty-four hours on any main track or branch line of railroad within this state to run or permit to be run on any main track or branch line operated by it any freight, mixed or work train propelled by steam, electricity or other motive power that has not at least the following employees thereon: One engineer and one fireman or helper for each steam, electric or electric generating locomotive where such train is propelled or drawn by steam, electric or electric generating locomotive, and one motor or power control man for every train where such train is propelled or drawn by motive power other than steam or electricity, one conductor and two brakemen; *provided*, that on any such train running on any track which attains a grade of one per cent or less than one per cent, for a distance of more than one-half mile, there shall be three brakemen for fifty cars, four brakemen for seventy-six cars and an additional brakeman for every additional twenty-five cars, *provided, further*, that on any such train running on any track which attains a grade of more than one per cent and less than one and one-half per cent, for a distance of more than one-half mile, there shall be three brakemen for fifty cars and an additional brakeman for every twenty-five cars or fraction of twenty-five greater than twelve cars; *provided, further*, that any such train running on a track which attains a grade of more than one and one-half per cent, for a distance of more than one-half mile, there shall be three brakemen for fifty cars and an additional brakeman for every fifteen cars or fraction of fifteen greater than seven cars.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Sec. 3.", strike out all down to and including the word "train", in line 10, page 3, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

It shall be unlawful for any common carrier by railroad in the State of California operating more than four trains each way per day of twenty-four hours on any main track or branch line of railroad within this state, to run or permit to be run any self-propelled pile-driver, car or vehicle which has sufficient power to draw or propel itself and one or more standard cars, or any train propelled or drawn by steam, electricity or other motive power other than those trains described in sections 1 and 2 of this act that have not at least the following named employees thereon. One engineer and one fireman or helper for each steam, electric, or electric generating locomotive where such train is propelled by steam, electric or electric generating locomotives, one motorman for every train where such train is propelled or drawn by electricity without the aid of a locomotive and one motor or power control man for each train propelled by other motive power than steam or electricity and one steam engineer or one motor or power control man for each self-propelled pile-driver or other self-propelled vehicle which has sufficient power to draw or propel itself and one or more standard cars, one conductor and one brakeman. It shall be unlawful for any such common carrier by railroad to run or permit to be run, on any main track or branch line operated by it, within this state, any steam, electric or electric generating locomotive without cars operating either within or outside of yard limits, or both, to a point more than three miles distant from the original starting point that has not at least the following named employees thereon: One engineer, one fireman, or helper, and one conductor or flagman; and each locomotive must

have one engineer and one fireman or helper when being moved in train under steam or electric power, unless engine is disabled, nor shall this act apply to any relief or wrecking train in any case where a sufficient number of employees to comply with this section are not available for service on such relief or wrecking train; *provided, however*, that the provisions of section 3 of this act with reference to self-propelled pile-driver, car or vehicle which has sufficient power to draw or propel itself and one or more standard cars shall apply to such self-propelled pile-driver, car or vehicle only when such self-propelled pile-driver, car or vehicle is moved under its own power from one permanent station or permanent siding to place of work where the distance between said station or siding to place of work is one-half mile or more.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 11 to 33, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the first figure "5", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 42 to 46, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3 of the printed bill, between lines 46 and 47, begin a new paragraph to read as follows:

SEC. 5. A new section to be numbered section 8 is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Section 1.", insert the following: "Every telephone corporation doing business in a city of the second and one-half class shall, when giving any 'number service' between stations or exchanges located within said city of the second and one-half class and stations or exchanges located without the incorporated limits of said city, require that the person desiring such service in addition to giving the 'number' desired also give his name and address.

SEC. 2. Every violation of this act shall constitute a misdemeanor."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1, of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the entire line, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act requiring the labeling of all rebuilt electric storage batteries and the indication by label of the maximum discharge capacity in amperes of all new or rebuilt electric storage batteries.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "each", insert the following: "new and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, between lines 10 and 11 of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, begin a new sentence to read as follows:

SEC. 7. Every person, firm or corporation who shall manufacture, sell or offer for sale any new or rebuilt electric storage battery without providing such battery with a conspicuous label permanently attached thereto showing the maximum discharge capacity in amperes for a continuous ten-hour period as provided in section 5 hereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than six months or by both such fine and imprisonment

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "battery", insert the following: "without label or labels as hereinabove provided".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536c, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the word "all".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, between the words "fund" and "so", insert the words "to be designated as a trust fund and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the word "intermingle" in line 10, and all of lines 11, 12 and 13 and the word "intermingled" in line 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fail to deposit in said trust fund all moneys received by him for farm products entrusted or consigned to him for sale,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out all of the printed bill after the word "include" on page 1, line 18, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "all agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and vegetable products of the soil, poultry and poultry products, live stock and live stock products, honey and cut flowers, but shall not include timber or timber products".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide

suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "provided", strike out everything to the end of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, further*, that the provisions of this section in relation to hours of employment shall not apply to or effect graduate nurses in hospitals nor the harvesting, curing, canning or drying of any variety of perishable fruit, fish or vegetable, nor the processing and packing of eggs during such periods as may be necessary to harvest, cure, can, or dry said fruit, fish, vegetable, or pack and process eggs in order to save the same from spoiling."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act," creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems; for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley, comprised within the district, with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto River and its tributaries, and for the protecting the water sheds from fire; and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, and improving, expending and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization; and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical

power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, add the following:

Beginning at station SJ2 on the Rancho line of the Rancho San Jacinto Viejo, as shown in book 2 of patents, at page 313, in the office of the county recorder of San Diego county, State of California; thence in a generally southerly direction along the west boundary of said Rancho San Jacinto Viejo to a point designated as SJ16, being on the south line of section 17, township 5 south, range 1 west San Bernardino base and meridian, thence easterly two miles more or less to the intersection of Stetson avenue and State street as per officially recorded subdivision map of the lands of the Hemet Land Company, as shown by map recorded in book 1, of maps, at page 14 thereof, in the office of the county recorder of Riverside county, State of California; thence in a southerly direction one-half mile more or less to a point designated as SJ26 of the survey of said Rancho San Jacinto Viejo; thence in a generally southeasterly direction to and along the crest of the ridges which form the rim of the drainage basin of the San Jacinto river and its tributaries to the summit of Red mountain; thence continuing along said crest of the said ridges to the summit of Coahuila mountain; thence continuing along said crest of the said ridges to the summit of Thomas mountain; thence continuing along said crest of the said ridges to the summit of Lookout mountain, thence in a generally northerly direction along the easterly rim of the said drainage basin to the summit of Antsell rock; thence continuing along said easterly rim of the said drainage basin to the summit of Tahquitz peak; thence continuing along said easterly rim of the said drainage basin to the summit of Marion mountain, thence continuing along said easterly rim of the said drainage basin to the summit of San Jacinto peak; thence in a generally westerly direction along the northerly rim of said drainage basin to a point in section 35, township 3 south, range 1 east San Bernardino base and meridian; thence along the crest dividing the drainage basins of Poppet creek and Potrero creek to the intersection of this crest line with the line along the north boundaries of sections 13, 14 and 15 of township 4 south, range 1 west San Bernardino base and meridian; thence along said section lines to the northwest corner of said section 15; thence in a generally southwesterly direction to the point of beginning; *provided*, that nothing contained herein shall prevent the formation of any irrigation or other district which may now or hereafter be formed under the laws of this state, within the boundaries of this conservation district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill substitute "ten (10)" for "thirty (30)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, substitute "thirty (30)" for "sixty (60)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, after line 51, of the printed bill, add the following:

Provided, further that if the first election hereinabove provided for should not result in favor of the organization of said district, the board of supervisors of Riverside county shall call a second election upon the question of the organization of said district, if at any time within two years after the date of the first election a written request for such a second election is presented to the board of supervisors of Riverside county, signed by at least one hundred owners of real property within the district representing not less than ten per cent in assessed value of the real property in said district, and if said request is accompanied with a good and sufficient undertaking to be approved by the board of supervisors of Riverside county in double the amount of the probable cost of organizing such district, conditioned that the person or persons signing said bonds shall pay all of said costs of calling and holding such election in case the creation and organization of said district is not approved. Notice of said second election shall be given for the same length of time and in the same manner, and said second election shall be held, conducted and canvassed in the same manner as provided in respect to the first election

If said second election should be held after April 1, 1928, then it will be unnecessary to hold a general annual election until September, 1929, and the board of trustees first elected shall classify themselves so that three of the members shall hold office until the general election in September, 1929, and two shall hold office until the annual election of 1930, and two until the annual election of 1931. Except as above provided all other provisions of this act, relative to the board of trustees elected at such second election, shall be applicable

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "votes", change "period" to "comma" and add: "*provided*, that if the quotient contains a fraction greater than one-half an additional vote shall be allowed for such fraction".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 8, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "contest", add: "whether brought by the state or any other party".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 8, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "Riverside", add: "unless commenced by a special proceeding in the supreme court"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 9, line 31, of the printed bill, omit balance of paragraph after the word "quorum", and substitute the following "and on all questions requiring a vote there shall be a concurrence of at least the number constituting a quorum, except that a smaller number of trustees than a quorum may adjourn from time to time".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 11, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "of", add "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN

On page 11, line 38, of the printed bill, omit the word "entirely".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 12, line 31, of the printed bill, omit the word "and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 15, line 19, of the printed bill, after the words "Lake Hemet Water Company", add: "and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof", and in the same line after the words "Hemet Town Water Company" add "and/or of the stockholders thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 15, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "company", add: "and/or of the stockholders thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 15, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "company", add: "and/or of the stockholders thereof"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 15, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "provided", insert a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN

On page 15, line 36, of the printed bill, after the word "system", change the semicolon to a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 15, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "work", change the semicolon to a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 15, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "therewith", change the semicolon to a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 22, after line 47, of the printed bill, add the following:

SEC. 22*a* Whenever any bonds of this district have been certified as provided in this act, no expenditures shall be made from the proceeds of such bonds, nor shall any liability to be met from such proceeds be incurred, until there shall have been filed with and approved by said California bond certification commission such a schedule of proposed expenditures of such proceeds as may be necessary to set forth to the satisfaction of said commission the plan proposed for carrying out the purposes for which said bonds were authorized, or such of said purposes as the district may, at the time of filing such schedule, desire to proceed with, and no expenditures from the proceeds of said bonds shall be made for any purpose not specified in such approved schedule or for any approved purpose in excess of the amount allowed

therefor in such schedule without the consent of said commission; nor shall any expense of any kind be incurred in excess of money actually provided by levy of assessment or otherwise. During the progress of any work to be paid for from the proceeds of any bond issue certified as in this act provided the department of engineering, on behalf of the said California bond certification commission may make *from time to time, at the expense of the district, such inspection of the work as* may be necessary to enable the said department to know that the plans approved by the commission are being carried out without material modification unless such modification has been approved by said commission.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 24, line 28 of the printed bill, omit the word "properties", and add in lieu thereof "improvements thereon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 24, line 48 of the printed bill, change "amount" to "amounts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 26, line 6 of the printed bill, change the word "funds" to the word "lands".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 26, line 16 of the printed bill, after the word "district", add: "upon which they are levied".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 32, line 52, of the printed bill, omit the following: "time and notice of ballots".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, strike out the words "intrusive or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 11 of the printed bill, strike out the words "injurious species of plant", and insert in lieu thereof the words "species of plant injurious to agriculture".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder; providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease; declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance, and providing for the abatement thereof; providing for the registration of apiaries; prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit; providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing

for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "moved", strike out the words "into or".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 348—An act to establish standards for field crop products and related agricultural products, providing for the sampling, grading, inspection and certification thereof, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act, establishing the field crops inspection fund and repealing the California Grain Standardization Act, approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 148—An act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of Capri figs, vesting the enforcement thereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, defining

their powers and duties hereunder, and providing a penalty for violation hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and lawfully"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "effective", insert a comma followed by the words: "under tariffs and schedules of such corporations or persons, lawfully on file with the railroad commission".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 993 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West,

Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, etc., and to rent temporary buildings, etc.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Kelsey moved that Assembly Bill No. 588 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 588 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of reassessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 157 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROY J. NIELSEN IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., Hon. Roy J. Nielsen, member of the Assembly from the Fourteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k* and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 412 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act; and providing limitations on the granting of such use.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1001 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 27, 61 and 62 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of

which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds, approved April 7, 1911, relating to foreclosure of liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Woolwine moved that Assembly Bill No. 1091 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1091 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereof; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved May 23, 1921, relating to objections to work.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 99 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Clowdsley—1.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Adams moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "avenue", and insert in lieu thereof the word "avenues".

Amendment adopted.

Title read, as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 404 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feignbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add new sections, to be numbered *64a*, *64b*, *64c*, *64d*, *64e*, *64f*, *64g*, *64h*, *64i*, *64j*, *64k*, *64l*, *64m*, *64n*, *64o*, *64p*, *64q*, *64r*, to the California Water Storage District Act, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 934 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted permission to use the Assembly Chamber for a public hearing on Assembly Bill No. 681, for the evening of Monday, March 28, 1927.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p m , the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons heretofore employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite their respective names be stricken from the roll, to date from and include March 24, 1927:

Edward Wright, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Byron H. Thomas, Assistant Sergeant-atArms	5 00
John C. Rivers, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Beatrice Rae, stenographer	5 00
Ruth Wheeler, stenographer	5 00
Queene B. Leithead, stenographer	5 00

Respectfully submitted.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Report and resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Reindollar adopted.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 768—An act to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, and also to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 2¼, and 50¼, relating to the definition of and regulation of passenger stage corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Nielsen:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Rochester:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

Authorizing any city, city and county or subdivision of the State to park and to permit the parking of vehicles on real property belonging to or in possession of city, city and county of said State.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Nielsen

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Reindollar:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 7366, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 540 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 202 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 96 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville,

Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 304—An act authorizing municipal corporations to expend money for advertising or publicity purposes.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 304 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Bryne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58
NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 137 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60
NOES—Witter—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 953*d*, relating to notices of entry of judgments and orders.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 248 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell,

Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 249—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 249 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 205—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 15, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 205 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones,, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend sections 983, 984 and 985 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to add nine new sections to said code to be numbered respectively 986, 987, 988, 988*a*, 988*b*, 988*c*, 988*d*, 988*e*, 988*f*, 988*g* and 988*h*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 500 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibitions of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act, including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 219 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the granting of certificates of public convenience and necessity to foreign corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 287 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 8 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Little—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 125—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 125 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell,

Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. EUGENE W. ROLAND IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p m., Hon Eugene W Roland, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 150 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1156 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 821—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government

of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Foster moved that Assembly Bill No. 821 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 821 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 1146 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1146 to Committee on Judiciary

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 40 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon non-payment of such claims.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 170 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 862 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance for any such purpose.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Little moved that Assembly Bill No. 54 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 54 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 163 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. FREDERICK M. ROBERTS IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and eight minutes p.m., Hon. Frederick M. Roberts, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to amend chapter 358 of the Municipal Court Act, approved May 23, 1925, by adding a new section to be known as section 31, providing for municipal court auditors for municipal courts in cities or cities and counties of one and a half class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 700 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Davis, Lyons, and Sewell—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 691 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and twenty-one minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 518 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63

NOES—Gaut—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend section 2168 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 682 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 653 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—Bishop—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 654 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1038 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 649 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter,

Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 244 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Burns, Heisinger, Hornblower, and Leymel—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 241 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Duval moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sections", insert the following: "one, three,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

SECTION 1. All coal, oil, oil shale, gas, phosphate, sodium, and other mineral deposits in lands belonging to the state, or which may become the property of the state, are hereby reserved to the state; *provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall apply to lands acquired by the state on a sale of delinquent taxes, except such land, the deed for which is required to be filed in the surveyor general's office, or land below tide-water, and below ordinary high water mark bordering upon tide-water within the state. Such deposits are reserved from sale except upon a rental and royalty basis, as herein provided for; and a purchaser of any lands belonging to the state, or which may become the property of the state, shall acquire no right, title or interest in, or to, such deposits except as hereinafter expressly provided; and the right of such purchaser shall be subject to the reservation of all coal, oil, oil shale, gas, phosphate, sodium and other mineral deposits, and to the conditions and limitations prescribed by law providing for the state and persons authorized by it to prospect for, mine, and remove such deposits, and to occupy and use so much of the surface of said land as may be required for all purposes reasonably extending to the mining and removal of such deposits therefrom.

SEC. 2. Section 3 of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The surveyor general may from time to time classify any or all state land, other than as herein excepted, for its different possible values and uses, and, when he deems it advisable, may require the state mineralogist, director of agriculture or other organization, agency or institution of the state government to make such classification. It is hereby expressly made the duty of any such officer, organization, agency or institution to make such classification and to render a report thereon upon the application of the surveyor general.

SEC. 3. Section 4 of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, lines 16 to 19, of the printed bill, strike out all of said lines 16 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "easily determined; *provided, further, however*, that in no case shall permits or leases be granted of or covering land below tide water or below ordinary high water mark bordering upon tide water within the state."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the first word "bed", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Duval as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1067, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DUVAL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

Assembly Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of

assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," and to add to said act a section to be numbered 24*b*, relating to reassessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 240 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to repeal section 924 of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 734 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 436 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh street, in said city and county.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Williamson moved that Assembly Bill No. 1171 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1171 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 432—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crawford moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "state", insert the following "or in bonds legal for investment by savings banks in this state,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Crawford as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 432, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

CRAWFORD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Mixter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed amended bill, strike out the period after the word "board", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the words "*Provided*, that

in irrigation districts containing five hundred thousand acres or more the directors, in lieu of said per diem, shall each receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Mixter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 316, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MIXTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, subcessions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 6½.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out: "Subdivision three (3) of section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 6 of title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after word "for", insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 13 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after words "inheritance tax act", strike out double quotation marks and before word "approved" insert the following: "and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act" "

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In lines 13 and 14 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out "and all amendments thereto", and insert in lieu thereof the following, "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after the words "inheritance tax act" strike out double quotation marks and insert the following: "and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act",".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out "and all amendments thereto", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after words "Section 8", strike out comma after "8" and the words "subdivision three (3)," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of said act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after word "follows:" insert the following:

(1) When any grant, gift, legacy, devise or succession upon which a tax is imposed by section 2 of this act shall be an estate, income, or interest for a term of years, or for life, or determinable upon any future or contingent event, or shall be a remainder, reversion, or other expectancy, real or personal, the entire property or fund by which such estate, income, or interest is supported, or of which it is a part, shall be appraised immediately after the death of the decedent, and the market value thereof determined, in the manner provided in section 16 or 17 of this act, and the tax prescribed by this act shall be immediately due and payable to the treasurer of the proper county, and, together with the interest thereon, shall be and remain a lien of said property until the same is paid.

(2) In estimating the value of any estate or interest in property, to the beneficial enjoyment or possession whereof there are persons or corporations presently entitled thereto, no allowance shall be made on account of any contingent incumbrance thereon, nor on account of any contingency upon the happening of which the estate or property or some part thereof or interest therein might be abridged, defeated or diminished; *provided, however*, that in the event of such incumbrance taking effect as an actual burden upon the interest of the beneficiary, or in the event of the abridgment, defeat or diminution of said estate or property or interest therein as aforesaid, a return shall be made to the person properly entitled thereto of a proportionate amount of such tax on account of the incumbrance when taking effect, or so much as will reduce the same to the amount which would have been assessed on account of the actual duration or extent of the estate or interest enjoyed. Such return of tax shall be made in the manner provided by section 11 hereof upon order of the court having jurisdiction.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after line 3, and beginning as line 4, insert the following:

(4) Estates in expectancy which are contingent or defeasible and in which proceedings for the determination of the tax have not been taken or where the taxation thereof has been held in abeyance, shall be appraised at their full, undiminished value when the persons entitled thereto shall come into the beneficial enjoyment or possession thereof, without diminution for or on account of any valuation theretofore made of the particular estates for purposes of taxation, upon which said estates in expectancy may have been limited.

(5) Where an estate or interest can be divested by the act or omission of the legatee or devisee it shall be taxed as if there were no possibility of such divesting.

(6) The value of every future, or contingent or limited estate, income or interest, shall, for the purposes of this act be determined by the rule, methods and standards of mortality and of value that are set forth in the actuaries' combined experience tables of mortality for ascertaining the value of policies of life insurance and annuities and for the determination of the liabilities of life insurance companies, save that the rate of interest to be assessed in computing the present value of all future interest and contingencies shall be five (5) per cent per annum. The insurance commissioner shall without a fee on the application of any superior court or of any inheritance tax appraiser determine the value of any future or contingent estate, income or interest therein limited, contingent, dependent or determinable upon the life or lives of persons in being, upon the facts contained in any such appraiser's application or other facts to him submitted by said appraiser or said court and certify the same in duplicate to such court or appraiser, and his certificate thereof shall be conclusive evidence that the method of computation therein is correct. When an annuity or a life estate is terminated by the death of the annuitant or life tenant, and the tax upon such interest has not been fixed and determined, the value of said interest for the purpose of taxation under this act shall be the amount of the annuity or income actually paid or payable to the annuitant or life tenant during the period for which such annuitant or life tenant was entitled to the annuity or was in possession of the life estate.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 290, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, March 3, 1927; Friday, March 4, 1927; Monday, March 7, 1927; Tuesday, March 8, 1927; Wednesday, March 9, 1927; Thursday, March 10, 1927; Friday, March 11, 1927; Monday, March 14, 1927; Tuesday, March 15, 1927, and Wednesday, March 16, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

REPORT OF THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE BALL.

Held March 16, 1927.

RECEIPTS.

Members of the Senate	$200.00
Members of the Assembly	365.00
Attaches of the Senate	79.50
Attaches of the Assembly	53.00
Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and others	563.00
Total	$1,260.50

EXPENDITURES.

Rent of Auditorium	$175.00
Lights, stage hands, scenic effects, etc	78.50
Music	221.10
Punch, candy, wafers, etc	175.00
Decorations	100.00
Favors, serpentine, hats, etc	84 70
Printing, multigraphing, stenographers	54.25
Flowers	11.50
Special officers	30.00
Cost of entertainment	16 15
Drayage, express, etc	5.84
Incidentals	20.00
Total	$972.04

RECAPITULATION.

Total receipts	$1,260.50
Total expenditures	972.04
Total balance	$288.46

Very respectfully submitted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE BALL.

By CORA M. WOODBRIDGE.
CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR.
WALTER J. LITTLE.
TALLANT TUBBS.
J. M. INMAN.
HARRY A. CHAMBERLIN.

ARTHUR P. CRANER, Secretary to the Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 22, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 22, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its furth r reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Little was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Martha J. Ferguson and Dorothy Chastian, teachers of the history and civics department of the Sierra School, Sacramento, and the following pupils: Helen Becker, Mance McConnell, Katherine Meister, Helen Burch, Dorothy Lollett, Dolores Messa, Ruth Barnes, Edith Martinaga, Dorothy Chastian, Lorna Perry, Delmo Alberti, Albert Alberti, Frank Albright, Clyde Shearer, Stanley Apperson, Jack Haley, Junior Daniels, Elmer Kessler, Francis Hodgkins, Ralph Boyer, Roy Allbright, Frank Schreck, Robert Moore, Richard Biggs, Frank Woollett, Henry Ellis and Harlan Stead, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Woolwine, Mr. Calvin C. Tucker, chairman of executive committee of the Musketeers Club, Los Angeles, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Sister Margaret, superior; Sister Mary Clare, Sister Mary Loyola, Sister Theresa Maria of the Political Science Class and Civics Class of the College of the Holy Names, of Oakland, and the following students: Catherine Clark, Mary Heyn, Margaret Kirsten, Virginia McBride, Mary Murphy, Gertrude Scullion, Katherine Sunders, Elizabeth Tarleton, Regina Comstock, Mary Louise Korn, Ann Leary, Marie Miller, Agnes O'Mara, Frazquita Sullivan, Alice Slater, Betty Bailey, Martha Collett, Rosemary Concannon, Mary Donolly, Irma Edwards, Margaret Libbey, Mary McPhee, Carmel O'Donnell, Clara Plump, Barbara Stephens, Miriam Touhy, Louisa de Alvarez, Rose Marion Breier, Mary Comstock, Winifred Connolly, Margaret Driscoll, Lois Langdon, Ruth Lyons, May Oliva, Marjorie Osborne, Margaret Sheridan, Miriam Snyder, Denise Tolan and Gertrude Lanz were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr West, J. Bray, teacher of eighth B class of Stanford Junior High School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Burton Wiley, Marvin Capen, Thomas Moody, Jane Ashen, Doris Hamby, Alice Ehrman, Catherine Martini, Esther Bienefeldt, Mildred Petrich, Hertha Robbins, Ione Brooks, Fay Cram, Marilene Dobson, Helen Nichols, Elizabeth Lellard, Lois Ford, Elsie Eisinger, Kathleen Mullins, Marian Gray, Verna Dennis, Alberta Shipman, Wilma Jenkins, Marjorie Sanborn, Naidene Fetterly, Charles Henry and Kenneth Secor were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mr. Max Belling of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mr. Percy Bacharach of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Colonel Russell C. Martin, former commandant of the Veterans' Home at Yountville, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Frank Israel of San Joaquin County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Carlton Case of San Joaquin County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. George Ashley, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jewett, Mr. W. R. Bailey, attorney of Kings County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. D. Fricot of Calaveras County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mrs D. Fricot of Calaveras County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Miss Rae Rooney of Calaveras County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. F. G. Stevenot, former member of the Assembly from Calaveras County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murphy, Miss Murphy, daughter of Assemblyman Murphy of Siskiyou County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

Resolutions adopted by the County Supervisors' Association of California in Seventeenth Annual Convention at Sacramento, March 9, 10, 11, 1927.

Resolution No. 1—By Supervisor C. H. Hayden, Contra Costa County:

Whereas, The problem of controlling crime and of efficiently enforcing our laws against crime is one of the most vital confronting our State and our Nation, and

Whereas, The California Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure has proposed to the Legislature a revised system of criminal procedure designed to secure the swift and certain enforcement of the criminal law, and

Whereas, The best interests of this State and the safety of its people imperatively demand that these recommendations be made into law;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the County Supervisors' Association of the State of California that we request and urge the members of the Legislature to work and vote for the adoption of these measures; and

Be It Further Resolved, That the officers of this Association immediately transmit a copy of this resolution to the Governor of California, to the Lieutenant Governor of California and to each member of the Legislature of this State.

Resolution No. 6B—By Supervisor W. J. Forbes, Yuba County:

Whereas, A. B. 111 prevents supervisors being reimbursed for their actual and necessary traveling expense in attending annual conventions,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the County Supervisors' Association of California do oppose the enactment of this bill.

Resolution No. 7—By Supervisor W. J. Forbes, Yuba County:

Whereas, A. B. 563, S. B. 349, and S. B. 347 provide that road expenditures shall be transferred from the control of the supervisors;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the County Supervisors' Association of California oppose the enactment of these bills or any other of simular intent.

Resolution No. 9—By Supervisor Robt. Lochead, Fresno County:

Whereas, Section 274, Code of Civil Procedure, provides for the expenditure of county funds for reporting and transcribing, and

Whereas, Section 869 of the Penal Code provides the method of payment for such reporting and transcribing; and

Whereas, This procedure has cost the tax-payers of the County of Fresno approximately $12,000 00 through raised and false claims being presented; and,

Whereas, In order to place responsibilty and throw the proper safeguards around county funds, Section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure should be amended; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved, That the State Association of Supervisors in convention herein assembled, endorse with its approval the amending of Section 274, Code of Civil Procedure; and,

Be It Further Resolved, That the attached amendment be referred to the Legislative Committee of this convention with power to have it presented at this session of the Legislature.

Resolution No. 10—By Supervisor Charles F. Todd, San Francisco County:

Whereas, An organization known as the Municipal Traffic League of California, was effective during the past year, composed of representatives of boards of supervisors, city officials and traffic officers, for the purpose of preparing a uniform traffic ordinance to be adopted by the various cities and counties, and

Whereas, It is highly desirable that ordinances regulating the movement of vehicles on public streets and highways should reduce to a minimum the inconvenience which now exists by reason of conflicting provisions in various political subdivisions, and

Whereas, Such an ordinance has been prepared which has been favorably recommended by the League of California Municipalities and various traffic and safety organizations; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this organization expresses its approval of such uniform traffic ordinance and urges its adoption by the various counties of the State, with such modifications thereof as may be necessary to meet local conditions.

Resolution No. 11—By Supervisor Warren Shannon of San Francisco County:

Whereas, A number of measures are now pending before the California Legislature looking to the amendment of the sections of the Political Code covering the granting by boards of supervisors of permits to construct bridges, and

Whereas, The evident intention of these bills is to remove the discretion now and for many years centered in the supervisors of the various counties, and either take this authority from them entirely and place it in other hands or else compel the boards to grant bridge permits to all applicants whether or not considered by the supervisors as necessary or beneficial or opposed to public interests, and

Whereas, The removal of the control that the supervisors now have over the construction is urged by promoters of private enterprises and necessarily will be *antagonistic to the best interests of the people.*

Therefore, Be It Resolved, By this State Convention of County Supervisors assembled at Sacramento this eleventh day of March, 1927, that it is unanimously opposed to any and all such legislation and we hereby request our representatives in the Legislature to oppose said proposed changes in our laws.

Be It Further Resolved, That it is inadvisable to change statutes that have been in existence for a score or more of years and which have been construed by the courts and adopt new experiments which undoubtedly will be the subject of litigation for years to come, thus hampering construction;

Be It Further Resolved, That a Committee be appointed consisting of seven members of this convention and that it be and hereby is requested and instructed to appear before such legislative committee as may have any of these bills under consideration and there make known our opposition to any such changes

Be It Further Resolved, That this convention advise all supervisors of its action hereon and request them to confer personally with the State Senator and State Assemblyman representing their counties at Sacramento and make known to them their opposition to this or any kindred measures which will deprive the public of the protection which the supervisors now give by exercising their discretion in the granting of bridge permits.

Resolution No. 12—By Supervisor Thomas McCormack, Solano County:

Whereas, The proper development of California depends in no small degree upon the earliest possible completion of the State highway system, and

Whereas, It has been estimated by the State Highway Commission and other reliable agencies that the sum of ten million dollars ($10,000,000) per year could be spent economically in accomplishing this result, and

Whereas, The expenditure of that sum of money per year for a period of twelve years will complete the State highway system in so far as present traffic and that *which can be anticipated in that period of time is concerned, and*

Whereas, It is only fair and proper that assurances should be given to all sections of the State that there be a proper allocation of all moneys expended by the Highway Commission for new construction, maintenance or reconstruction, and

Whereas, This association did at the last annual convention in San Diego endorse a one cent additional gasoline tax as a proper means to provide money to complete the State highway system, and

Whereas, All of the above named principles are embodied in the two companion highway measures now before the State Senate, to wit Senate Bills Nos. 3 and 518,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the County Supervisors Association of the State of California in a Convention assembled in Sacramento, California, March 9, 1927, that we do endorse Senate Bills Nos. 3 and 518

Be It Further Resolved, That the Legislative Committee of this Association be and is hereby instructed to do all within their power to assist in the passage of the above named legislation, and

Be It Further Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of California and to each member of the Senate and Assembly of the Legislature now in session

Resolution No 13—By Supervisor F. W Sidener

Whereas, There is certain legislation pending whereby the activities of the Biological Survey in the destruction of predatory animals would be curtailed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Association is opposed to such legislation as provided in Assembly Bill No. 754.

Resolution No 14—By Supervisor Chas H J. Hausch, Tulare County.

Resolved, That the Supervisors' Association of the State of California endorse Assembly Bill No. 746 which permits County Recorders to record instruments by the photostatic process if they so desire.

Be It Further Resolved, That the Secretary of this Association be instructed to furnish copies of this resolution to each member of the State Legislature.

Resolution No 15—By Supervisor Walter J. Schmidt, of San Francisco:

Whereas, In the past, various public service corporations serving the people of the City and County of San Francisco and other communities within the State of California have been dissatisfied with the rates fixed by the Railroad Commission and other rate-fixing bodies relative to the price which said public service corporations should receive for the commodity which it was furnishing or the service which it was rendering to the people of the State of California, and have made application to the courts, both State and Federal, to enjoin the collection of said rates so fixed upon the ground that the same were confiscatory and

Whereas In many cases said rate-fixing bodies have been restrained from collecting the rate fixed by them for the commodities furnished or services rendered by said public service corporations, and said public service corporations have, while said restraining order has remained in force, collected a higher and greater rate than that fixed by said rate-fixing body for said commodity or for said service, and

Whereas, Said public service corporations, while said restraining orders are in effect, collect a large amount of money over and above the rates fixed by said rate-making body for the commodity furnished or service rendered by said public service corporations and

Whereas, When said litigation relative to said rates has been concluded, and if the courts do not fully sustain the contention of said public service corporations relative to the merits of said litigation, a large amount of the moneys collected over and above the rate fixed by said rate-making body are never returned to the rate-payers, for the reason that either said rate-payers make no application for said refund, or their whereabouts can not be ascertained, which said sums that are uncalled for by said rate-payers are retained by said public service corporations, and that by reason of this practice, said public service corporations have been obtaining a large amount of money to which they are not entitled now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the California Supervisors' Association that *suitable legislation should be adopted by the Legislature of the State of California* which would provide that every public service corporation collecting any rates over and above the rates allowed and fixed by the Railroad Commission of the State of California, or other rate-fixing body, should each year make a report of the amount of said excess rates so collected, together with the amount of said excess rates made to the payers thereof, which said report should be filed with the State Board of Control of the State of California, and that said legislation should further provide that any and all amounts of said excess rates not refunded to the rate-payers within a period of five years after the conclusion of the litigation affecting the same should *escheat to the State of California*; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Committee of the California Supervisors' Association be, and they are hereby, directed to urge the adoption by the Legislature of the State of California of the bill about to be introduced which will carry out the purposes of this resolution.

Resolution No. 16—By Supervisor J. B McFarland, Kern County

Whereas, With the rapid growth and development of motor vehicle transportation, both of passengers for hire or compensation, and of various commodities, due in no small part to our splendidly developed highway system, it has become essential that the use of the streets and roads within our State be taxed upon an equitable basis for the protection of the public investment in such highways, and for the proper regulation of the use thereof, as well as for the provision of additional funds to be employed for highway purposes, and

Whereas, Existing legislation on this subject has been found inadequate to meet the needs arising out of the development of our highway systems and out of the greatly increased use thereof, so that it has become apparent that there is need for measures designed to relieve, as immediately as practical, the situation so arising and

Whereas, Honorable James I. Wagy, *member of the Senate of California for the* Thirty-second Senatorial District, has introduced at the Forty-seventh session of the Legislature of this State, a bill known as Senate Bill No. 709, providing for a revision of the weight fees to be paid by certain types of motor vehicles; and

Whereas, Said bill was first presented in skeleton form as to the amount of said fees, but amendments thereto are proposed by Senator Wagy which will result in the revision of Section 77 of California Vehicle Act as follows

"Sec 77 Registration fees (a) A registration fee of three dollars shall be paid to the division for the registration of every motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer except for those which are exempted in this act, and such fee shall be paid at the time application is made for registration.

(b) In addition to the registration fee specified in subdivision (a) of this section, there shall be paid for the registration of every electric passenger motor vehicle a registration fee of ten dollars, and for the registration of every electric motor vehicle designed, used or maintained primarily for the transportation of passengers for hire, or for the transportation of property, there shall be paid fees according to the following schedule

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, less than 6,000 pounds____$50.00

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 6,000 pounds or more, but less than 10,000 pounds_____ 70 00

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 10,000 pounds or more____ 90.00

(c) The following registration fees in addition to the registration fee specified in subdivision (a) of this section shall be paid for the registration of vehicles, including trailers and semitrailers, designed, used or maintained primarily for the transportation of passengers for hire or for the transportation of property, according to the following table, except that the fees specified in this subsection need not be paid for electric vehicles

When such vehicles are equipped wholly with pneumatic tires:

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 3,000 pounds or more, but less than 6,000 pounds_____$15 00

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 6,000 pounds or more, but less than 10,000 pounds and limited under the provisions of this act to a total weight, including vehicle and load, not exceeding 22,000 pounds_____ 40 00

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 10,000 pounds or more and limited under the provisions of this act to a total weight, including vehicle and load, not exceeding 22,000 pounds_____ 50 00

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, 6,000 pounds or more and entitled under the provisions of this act to a total weight, including vehicle and load, in excess of 22,000 pounds_____ 70.00

When such vehicles are not equipped wholly with pneumatic tires there shall be paid in addition to the fees specified in subdivision (a) of this section fees according to the weight thereof unladen amounting to twice the fees set forth in the foregoing table

Upon registration issued after the beginning of the registration year, the fees required under subdivisions (b) and (c) of this section shall be reduced by one-fourth for each three months which shall have elapsed since the beginning of the registration year

(d) If the license tax provided for by that certain act entitled 'An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, provided for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' heretofore adopted by the Legislature at its forty-fifth session is held by the Supreme Court of the State of California, or by the Supreme Court of the United States, to be unconstitutional, then beginning with the first year next succeeding the date upon which such decision becomes final there shall be paid upon and for the registration and reregistration of every motor vehicle with the division of motor vehicles, in addition to any other fees imposed by law, a registration fee of five dollars for every electric motor vehicle and for every other motor vehicle a fee amounting to the sum of forty cents for each horsepower or major fraction thereof of such motor vehicle and a proportionate amount thereof for the registration of such vehicle for a period of less than one year. The horsepower of any motor vehicle, except electric or steam driven motor vehicles, shall be determined by the formula commonly known as that of the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers (A. L. A. M.), being as follows Square the diameter of the cylinder in inches, multiply by the number of cylinders, and divide by two and five-tenths, *provided*, that for the purposes hereof the horsepower of any steam driven motor vehicle shall be the horsepower rating fixed and advertised by the manufacturers thereof In the event that the registration fees for electric motor vehicles and fees based on horsepower as hereinabove specified shall be collected, all such fees shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund of the State of California, and shall be distributed and used for such purposes as may be provided by law for the distribution and use of such motor vehicle fund, *and provided, further*, that in the event the provisions of this section, relative to registration fees, based upon horsepower rating shall become effective the provisions of this section contained in subdivisions (a) and (b) shall be deemed to be superseded."

And Whereas, Such an amendment of section 77 of the California Vehicle Act will correct certain manifest inequities now existing under the provisions thereof, to wit

A weight fee on vehicles weighing, when unladen, less than 3,000 pounds, resulting in an unjust burden upon the farmer and others using light motor vehicles with "box-backs" or similar receptacles designed for carriage of comparatively small amounts of property and also resulting in an unjust burden on others with light types of motor vehicles used principally in light commercial deliveries and similar pursuits, and

Whereas, The amendment proposed by said bill will result in a reasonable and equitable fee to be charged the operators of the larger types of freight carrying and commercial vehicles for their use of our highway system, and

Whereas, Experience has demonstrated that taxation based upon gross receipts on account of such use of the highways by said operators has proven impractical, except with regard to a restricted class of common carrier operators now taxed by virtue of that certain constitutional amendment adopted as Proposition No. 2 at the general election on November 2, 1926, and

Whereas, Senator Wagy proposes to substitute the revised weight fees contained in his Senate Bill No 709 for such gross receipts tax, save as to the common carriers as above indicated, and

Whereas, It appears that the best interests of the State of California and of the several counties thereof will be materially advanced, if the provisions of this bill shall become law, now therefore, be it

Resolved, By the California Supervisors' Association in convention assembled that it unqualifiedly endorses Senate Bill No. 709, as amended, and urges its passage by the Legislature and ratification by the Governor to the end that the abuses prevalent under the present law may be corrected, and that our splendid highway system may be properly conserved and improved.

Resolution No 17—By Supervisor Thos L Hickey, San Mateo County:

Whereas, The laws of California now provide that escaped property may be assessed for the last preceding year only with the exception of property within an irrigation district, in which case, without limit as to time, property may be assessed for any year in which it escaped irrigation tax; and

Whereas, It is the duty of every property owner to declare his property and see that it is properly assessed, and

Whereas, Taxation can not be equal unless it is borne by all assessable land; and

Whereas, In many other states the assessors are authorized to assess property for any escaped year, whenever found, and

Whereas, Senate Bill No 288, now before the State Legislature, would so amend Section 3649 of the Political Code that property which has escaped taxation may be assessed for five years back, provided there has been no change of ownership; now therefore,

Be It Resolved, That we, the County Supervisors' Association of the State of California, do heartily approve of the purpose of said Senate Bill No. 288.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolutions were adopted by the Seventeenth Annual Convention of the County Supervisors' Association of California, held in Sacramento, March 9, 10, 11, 1927

(Signed) STANLEY ABEL,
Secretary County Supervisors' Association
of the State of California.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 382—An act to amend sections 10, 11, 17, 20, 22 and 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such

districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution, and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 447—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*b*, providing courses in forestry, the acquiring by school districts of necessary lands therefor outside such districts, the afforestation and reforestation thereof, and of public lands, and for transportation of pupils;

Also: Senate Bill No. 558—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts, for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto to be numbered $8\frac{1}{2}$, $8\frac{3}{4}$, and $13\frac{1}{2}$, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the Improvement Act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water masters;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, authorizing a reclamation district that may have sold or transferred any of its levees or property to Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No. 6, or any other unit or project, and received warrants issued by said Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District or Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No. 6, or any other project thereof, in exchange or payment therefor, or may have received or may receive compensation for any property included in any plan now or that may hereafter be adopted for controlling the flood waters of Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers or their tributaries, to exchange said warrants for outstanding warrants issued by such reclamation district and also providing that in any new, additional or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon tracts of land the benefits accrued from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district exchanged or paid for by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and also the amount that should have been apportioned of warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and providing that if the amount that would have been assessed against each tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled on distribution of warrants, such excess shall be assessed to each tract of land and if the amount be less, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by such reclamation district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 515—An act to amend sections 18 and 35 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products, to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of county auditors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the Statutes of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322*x*19 of the Political Code, relating to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to reassessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend sections 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3732, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758, and 3759, of the Political Code of California, relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by

certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvement made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 31, 36, 45, 48, 49, and 60 of the "State Housing Act" approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1772 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to provide for a county engineer for each county in this State; providing for his appointment, manner of removal, qualification, compensation and duties, authorizing the board of supervisors for each county to purchase and obtain all necessary equipment, materials and instrumentalities to carry out the object of this act; to provide said county engineer with an office and necessary assistance;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to provide for an election between property owners affected to determine whether any street work for any improvement of any nature whatsoever which contemplates the issuance of bonds or the levying of an assessment or other charge shall or shall not be undertaken and to provide procedure for the calling and holding thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under section 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 or 271*a* of this Code to work,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend sections 2167, 2174, 2189, 2190*a* of the Political Code, relating to the custody and discharge of patients from State hospitals —has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MORRISON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 721—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*j*, relating to the building and maintenance of permanent county fair buildings by the county board of supervisors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

JOST, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 99—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Senate Bill No. 485—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code of the State of California, to be numbered 2290, relating to rights of banks purchasing other banking institutions;

Also, Senate Bill No. 489—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*f*, relating to actions for paying checks after payment has been stopped.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 99 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No 485 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 489 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 267—An act to amend section 3052 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of property by a lien holder, notice of sale and disposition of the proceeds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 342—An act requiring certain reports to be made concerning children with impaired hearing;

Also: Senate Bill No 521—An act to amend section 9 of and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*m* and 4*n* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3 1921, relating to the registry of all dealers in seed and verification of origin statements;

Also: Senate Bill No 639—An act to amend sections 2 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of and to add a new section to be numbered 1*m* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921,

Also: Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications,

Also: Senate Bill No 488—An act to repeal section 321 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to books of banks which shall be open to inspection

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 267 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 342 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Senate Bill No. 521 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 639 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No 831 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 488 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 135—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*m* to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to a Chief Narcotic Enforcement Officer;

Also: Senate Bill No. 185—An act creating a commission to prepare and submit a report on juvenile delinquency, embodying a plan for the prevention of juvenile

delinquency and for the care and training of delinquent, psychopathic and maladjusted children, and providing for the payment of the expenses of the commission.

Also: Senate Bill No. 203—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 35, 39, 40, 41 and 50 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and improvement act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, exclusion of public property and mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes, filing copies of specifications, fixing time for receiving bids, employment of attorney to prepare proceedings, time within which bonds are to be paid, time of payment of interest and manner of fixing rate thereof, sale of bonds, signers of objections, and definition of terms, and to add two new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 28½ and 36½, relating to the interest rates and sale of acquisition bonds and immediate possession of bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 135 read first time, and referred to Commitee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 185 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 203 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No 309 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 399 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:
By Mr. Wherrell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act establishing a regional fair to be held annually in the City of Riverside, to create the Southern California Regional Board of Agriculture and defining the powers and duties of the officers and members of the same and making an appropriation therefor.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

MOTION.

Mr. Bernard moved that two hundred copies of a proclamation issued by Governor Stoneman in a call of a special session of the Legislature in

1886 be printed, the same to be used at a special hearing on the water question, to be held in this Assembly Chamber this evening.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 14 and 15, of the printed bill, strike out the following "in the sum of fifty thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "state" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following "in the proportion which the number of vehicles registered in each of said counties bears to the total number of such vehicles registered in the state as determined by the places of residence of the owners to whom the registration certificates for such vehicles have been issued by the state during the current year, and it is hereby made the duty of the motor vehicle department to furnish to the state controller a record of the number of such registrations by counties; *provided, however*, that no county shall receive a warrant for a smaller sum than fifteen thousand dollars or for a greater sum than one million dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the first word "fund" insert the following: "as provided in section 32 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts, composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to ___, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1194—An act to add new sections to article II*b* of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f* and 361*g*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board, and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f* and 363*g* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, after the words "sixty-three *g*" insert the following: "and three hundred sixty-three *h*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "works" insert the words "with approval of the governor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "with the approval of the governor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "irrigation and water rights" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "engineering and irrigation, the division of water rights,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "irrigation and water rights" and insert in lieu thereof the words "engineering and irrigation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "therefor" in said line insert the following, "and to conduct preliminary surveys for the determination of the advisability of including in or excluding from the state highway system any road or portion thereof; *provided*, that not more than one-half of the cost of any such preliminary survey shall be paid from state funds available for such purposes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 5 of the printed bill, after line 19, add the following

SEC 9. Section 363*h* of said code is hereby amended to read as follows:

363*h* The department of public works is hereby authorized, in the name of the people of the State of California, to condemn, under the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California relating to eminent domain, any real property which it is by law authorized to purchase or acquire but said department shall not have power to commence any such proceeding in eminent domain which by the provisions of section 365*f* of the Political Code it is authorized to purchase or acquire unless the California highway commission created by the provisions of section 363*b* of the Political Code shall first have adopted a resolution declaring that public interest and necessary require the acquisition, construction or completion by the state acting through the department of public works of the improvement for which said real property is required and that the real property described in such resolution is necessary therefor. Said resolution shall be conclusive evidence:

(*a*) Of the public necessity of such proposed public improvement;

(*b*) That such property is necessary therefor; and

(*c*) That such proposed public improvement is planned or located in a manner which will be most compatible with the greatest public good and the least private injury.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate _____ dollars to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on

the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "Appropriate" insert the figures "$5682.60".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, after the word "of" insert the figures "$5682.60".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905, approved May 31, 1917," as amended, relating to salaries of the superintendent and employees of the Bureau of Criminal Identification.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections, to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "than" strike out the words "two hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" strike out "($250,000.)" and insert in lieu thereof "($50,000.)"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 768—An act to amend sections 2, 33 and 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Com-

mission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to definitions.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—Relative to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of the bill, Mr. Morrison moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 13, of the printed bill, after the period, add the following: All moneys, except such sum as the Legislature shall appropriate annually to defray the expenses of the state athletic commission of California and to pay the salaries of officers and employees as provided by law, received by the state from license fees, taxes or other means, on or in relation to boxing or sparring matches or exhibitions, shall be and are hereby appropriated for the purpose of maintaining such homes for the care of veterans of any war of the United States as may be existing at the time this amendment becomes effective, or that may be established by the laws of this state. Such moneys shall be apportioned as the Legislature of the State of California may direct.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Morrison as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MORRISON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the Statutes of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22 adopted.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 22

Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the statutes of California.

WHEREAS, There appears to be a serious need for the compilation, codification, restatement or revision of the laws of the State of California, in whole or in part, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary that a thorough investigation be made of the methods of statutory revision found useful in other states and that a thorough examination

of the codes and statutes of California be made in relation to this subject, particularly with reference to conditions and interests that may be peculiar to California, in order that the Legislature may have available adequate information to enable it to fix and determine the policy that should be adopted in this regard; and

WHEREAS, It is the function of the legislative counsel to advise the Legislature from time to time as to needed revision of the statutes; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the legislative counsel be and he is hereby directed to make a thorough investigation of the subject matter of this resolution and submit his report thereon to the Legislature at the beginning of the forty-eighth session thereof; and be it further

Resolved, That said investigation and report shall comprehend a consideration of and recommendation as to the relative merits of codification, compilation, restatement and revision and shall include a statement calling attention to laws of California which have been repealed by implication or which have been declared unconstitutional by the courts but which have not been expressly repealed, and suggestions as to a suitable plan to be followed in maintaining an orderly arrangement of the statutes in the future; and be it further

Resolved, That said report or so much thereof may then be completed, or a synopsis thereof, shall be distributed to the members of the Legislature on or before the fifteenth day of November, 1928

Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of county auditors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 555 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 558 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes," approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 195 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Ohva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 223 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Ohva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1064 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Ohva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and of voting,

issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 238 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 178 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 2572 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the commissioners of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the port of Eureka.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1162 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1193 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1193 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Adams moved that Assembly Bill No. 1101 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1101 to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*o*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, maintain, and operate cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 536 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe, J., Deuel, and Patterson—3.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Miss Miller moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "maintain and operate".

Amendment adopted.

Title read, as amended, and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. THEODORE R. FINLEY IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Theodore R. Finley, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-ninth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 592 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a* and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 819 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder,

Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Burns, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Easley, Finley, Hawes, Hornblower, Jewett, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Patterson, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, and Wright—20.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that a Select Committee of Three be appointed to convey the congratulations of the Assembly to Lieutenant Governor Buron R. Fitts, today being the occasion of his birthday.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above motion, the Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge and Messrs. Williamson and Byrne as such select committee.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened, Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act author-

izing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens;

Also: Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, relating to bonds of contractors on public work;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 277—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof and for the districting, governing and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 9 of said act to provide for the preservation of the status of special improvement proceedings;

Also: Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend sections 7 and 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 475—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the Street Opening Act of 1903, approved March 23, 1903, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 617—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of duplicates of bonds, warrants and other municipal securities which have become defaced or mutilated," approved February 23, 1907;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 25, 27, 61, and 62, 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to provide for the destruction by the State Fish and Game Commission of certain fish in Clear lake, in the county of Lake, State of California; for the disposal thereof; to pay a bonus therefor, and appropriating moneys in order to carry out the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from scullboats in fish and game district number two;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to create the office of a Public Defender, relating to creating

an office to defend persons charged with crimes, without means to hire counsel—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses; with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Brock:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Kelsey:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to appropriate money to pay the claims of corporations, arising from exemptions under the provisions of section 14, article XIII of the constitution for the return of corporate license tax erroneously collected.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jespersen:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 836 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—Murphy—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 262 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets, or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 110 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 940 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROBERT B. FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Hon. Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 73 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—58.

NOES—Williamson—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend sections 8 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to narcotic drugs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 81 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 2 of "The State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 271 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ELEANOR MILLER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Eleanor Miller, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 582—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "transcript" insert a semicolon and the following "or (4) shall use or attempt to use any such diploma, certificate or transcript".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 21, 22, 23, and 24.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No 582, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 11 of the State Medical Practice Act relating to subjects of examination for certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing, chiropody and midwifery, approved June 2, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 308 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 4235*m*, to the Political Code, relating to the sheriff's special fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 134 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 130—An act to amend section 19*x*56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 130 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Roberts: An act to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered sections 329, 330 and 341½, relating to the bringing of actions for the violation or failure to comply with any covenant, condition, forfeiture clause or defeasance clause, relating to the use, occupancy, title or possession of real estate and judgments in respect thereto.

By Mr. Nielsen: An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to Department of Agriculture.

By Mr. Nielsen: An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

By Mr. Reindollar: An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736b, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court.

By Mr. Rochester: An act authorizing any city, city and county or subdivision of the State to park and to permit the parking of vehicles on real property belonging to or in possession of city, city and county of said State

By Miss Miller: An act authorizing the establishing of special adjustment schools by school districts, providing for the admission of pupils to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act

By Mr Finley: An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Senate Bill No. 793—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article IIi,

embracing sections 372 to 372*g*, relative to a Department of Public Health.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate March 3, 1927, strike out all of the words following the word "state", and all of lines 6, 7, and 8, and the following words in line 9 "of an unrevoked certificate issued by said board".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 793, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 794—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 794 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Cloudman, Davis, Sewell, and Walters—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19*a*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 258 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. JAMES A. MILLER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and twelve minutes p.m., Hon James A. Miller, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to joinder of parties plaintiff.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 377 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts Rochester Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*c*, relating to the joinder of parties defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 378 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 379—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 391, relating to the joinder of parties to action.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 379 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J. Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and twenty-three minutes p m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 69 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter-claims.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 372 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 373—An act to amend section 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to demurrers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 373 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 374 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 375 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1063, relating to declaratory relief.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 376 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and right of way owned by municipalities to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 413 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 738 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Melville, Mixter, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Walters, and Witter—26.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Hawes:

I did not know that Assembly Bill No. 738 would be taken up at the time it was, and in answer to a call went over to the Senate, missing the roll call. Had I been present I most assuredly would have voted for this measure.

FRED C. HAWES.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 70 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Duval, and Walters—2.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 70 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 71—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 4 thereof with reference to the security to be given for such deposits.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 71 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Duval, Hornblower, and Walters—4.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 71 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security for the deposit of public funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 69 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Duval, Rochester, and Walters—3

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 69 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "be" strike out the period (.) and add the word "constructed."

Motion carried.

The speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 215, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relative to permanent road divisions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, after the second word "and" strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the following: "/or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1023, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roland moved that Assembly Bill No. 921 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 921 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roland moved that Assembly Bill No. 922 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 922 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Feigenbaum moved that Assembly Bill No. 1120 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1120 to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to amend section 2651 of the Political Code, relating to the purposes for which the general road fund of a county may be used.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 1026 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1026 to Committee on Roads and Highways

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, March 23, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 23, 1927.

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

Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—78

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.
MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Wright moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Fry, Mr. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, who was in attendance at the Charter Day exercises, and at a meeting of the Board of Regents of the University of California, was granted leave of absence for the day

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

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, C. Alice Hawkins, teacher of Civics and Economics; Hazel M Collins and Annabel Beal, teachers of United States History, and the following adult visitors accompanying the students from the Napa Union High School: Mr. Hemmerling, Mr. Macky, Mr. Lommel, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. H. Sawyer, Mrs Donnelly, Mrs. Whitman, Mrs Jaekle, Mrs Gould, Mr. Webber, Miss Palmer, Mr. Post, Mr Louis Kahn, Mrs. Sheffield, Mrs Webber, Mr Valleigo, Miss Hazel Collins, Mr. Eugene Webber, Mr. V H. Thomas, Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. Harris; and students, Rudolph Bauman, Margaret Cooksey, Virginia Rosson, Anita Thomas, Jean Crawford, Margery McCormick, Alfred Caldwell, James Cooly, Elmer Davison, Alfred Caldwell, Laurence Crandall, Frank Peres, Emilie Kording, Olga Hopper, Eugene Munk, Betty Sheffield, Evelyn Webber, Joseph Lonergan, Charles Martin, Kenneth Hall, Irving Manasse, Bernice Canning, Anna Smith, Mabel Park, Edwin Thomas, Emil Grassman, Lorraine Thomas, Alvin Klose, Donald Funke, Fred Graham, Philip Malloy, Thomas Malloy, Playeeda Daly, Lamar Tallman, John Garaventi, Dorothy Hansen, Gladys Downing, Roderick Mann, George Riggins, David Dunlap, Margaret Maxwell, Marjorie Hearn, Carl Franco, Carl Strive, Enoch Gates, Genevieve Flammelt, Oriston Goslin, Enita Davies, Elmer Guidatti, Lowell Tate, Robert Jefferies, Merton Donaldson, Janet Gilles, Cecilia Beek, Wm. Rogers, Lillian Algeo, Kathryn Greco, Ed Schulze, Everett Hall, Reva Decker, Harold Fitzgerald, Martha Sawyer, Mildred Johannsen, Lucia Marcellin, Rebecca Wetware, Arthur Lochey, Mary Al Gardner, Wm. Corum, Ferril Nickle, Bryant Fitch, Ralph Lin, John Fosket, Lilburn Clark, Wm. Buckler, Theresa Wellborn, Nathan Coombs, Dorothy Joekle, Carl Knoll, Marcia Nye, Eugene Charlesworth, Hector McLean, Ona Whitman, Ruby Williams, Mildred Peterson, Greta Newton, Alita Cassady, Irving Schwarz, Ruth Orth, Jaqueline Breutt, Velma Edington, Rennard Farrar, Dorothy Hauson, Mary Moss, Ruth Polzin, Theodore Thibant, Carlton Muller, Max Farrar, Roy Fisher, Carl Swanson, Gordon Lowe, Robert Harris, Hilary Helsey, Cecilia Beck, John Garavanta, Edith Holland, Ruth Raeder, Randall Kelly, Ray Olten, Leland Burkett, James Raney, Dalire Smith, Max Farrar, Bertha Pramme, Steven Ghisletta, Stanley Vallerga, Helen Whitman, Claudine Heflin, Mildred Korf, Alice Shaw, Virginia Ferrogiaro, Edith Owen, Herbert Gould and Doris Koethen were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mrs. Louis F. Best of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. Jos. Scherr of Placerville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. Euell Gray of Placerville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, members of the eighth grade of the Crystal Grammar School of Suisun, Solano County, accompanied by Mr. Finney, principal, and Mrs. Finney and Mrs. W. L. Goodman, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MINES AND MINING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the lease of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the lease of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended, relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received.

Also Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption-moneys,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1083*a*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120 and 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. G. Celio and Sons, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California highway commission against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A J and T D. Borie against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G Johnson against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J H Newman against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 672—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies, of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also Assembly Bill No 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, MARCH 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

BYRNE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Also Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Senate Bill No. 568—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full time day schools, and part time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who cannot adequately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 509—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*b*, relating to the powers and duties of governing boards of school districts.

Also: Senate Bill No 469—An act to amend section 1721 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 321—An act empowering the State Board of Health, the State Department of Education and the State Department of Public Welfare to carry on their respective functions for the benefit of the Indians of California to the extent that the cost of such services shall be provided for by the Congress of the United States through federal appropriations.

Also Senate Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to schools.

Also: Senate Bill No 193—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Also: Senate Bill No. 141—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2261 and 2262, relating to establishment of kindergarten service for the blind and for vocational training in schools for the blind;

Also: Senate Bill No. 86—An act to amend section 1740 of the Political Code, relating to meeting places of high school boards.

Also Senate Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another. Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, MARCH 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 355—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemption from sales to State for delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WEST, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537e, relating to the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter CCLXXXVII of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493a, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493b, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act requiring the labeling of all rebuilt electric storage batteries and the indication by label of the maximum discharge capacity in amperes of all new or rebuilt electric storage batteries;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32a of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16a, relating to the sealer of weights and measures and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his pay roll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said

districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2979*b*, 2979*c*, 2979*d*, 2979*e*, 2982*a*, 4041*d*, relating to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of eighteen years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the State Board of Health and by and under the direction of the county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, and 16*e* to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 3 of the Prepared Milk Act relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed and licenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto three new sections to be numbered 4½, 5½ and 23½, relating to the annexation by county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, and the dissolution of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved

May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered 361e, 361f, and 361g, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to repeal article V, part III, title VI, chapter I of the Political Code, being sections 2429 to 2447, inclusive, relating to pilots and pilot commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 102—An act granting to the city of Eureka tide and submerged lands of the State of California including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Eureka and regulating the management, use and control thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Senate Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 14 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to proceedings before the Industrial Accident Commission in certain death benefit cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No 772—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to procedure before the Industrial Accident Commission following death of compensation claimants;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the

practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows.

By Mr. Kelsey: An act to appropriate money to pay the claims of corporations arising from exemptions under the provisions of section 13, article XIV of the constitution for the return of corporate license tax erroneously collected.

By Mr. Brock: An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

By Mr. Jespersen: An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

By Mr. Wherrell: An act establishing a regional fair to be held annually in the city of Riverside, to create the Southern California Regional Board of Agriculture and defining the powers and duties of the officers and members of the same and making an appropriation therefor.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—61.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 849—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 26 to provide for the dissolution of such levee districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 849 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, MARCH 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 580—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State, interstate and foreign markets; to protect the State's reputation in these markets, to establish standards and standard containers for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the

packing, marking and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved May 23, 1925;

Also: Senate Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 2, 3, 4, powers and duties of the board, 11 and 15, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915;

Also: Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them;

Also: Senate Bill No. 486—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*g*, relating to the stopping of payment of checks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 487—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3321, relating to the measure of damages by the payment of a check which has been ordered stopped,

Also: Senate Bill No. 642—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 20, 31, 65, 80, 83 and 105, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 31*c* and 31*d*, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 580 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 175 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Senate Bill No. 381 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 486 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No 487 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 642 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, MARCH 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 22*a*, to the "Juvenile court law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900, relating to uniform proof of Statutes.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1228—An act to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered sections 329, 330, and 341½, relating to the bringing of actions for the violation or failure to comply with any covenant, condition, forfeiture clause or defeasance clause, relating to the use, occupancy, title or possession of real estate and judgments in respect thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State and to charge a fee or fees therefor or to lease or grant franchise in real property for such purpose, and to acquire, construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act authorizing the establishing of special adjustment schools by school districts, providing for the admission of pupils to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Finley: Assembly Bill No 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kelsey: Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to appropriate money to pay the claims of corporations, arising from exemptions under the provisions of section 13, article XIV of the constitution for the return of corporate license tax erroneously collected.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Wherrell: Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act establishing a regional fair to be held annually in the city of Riverside, to create the Southern California Regional Board of Agriculture and defining the

powers and duties of the officers and members of the same and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to preference to be given veterans in employment.

Referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to approval of charter amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Rochester: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—Proposed amendment to article VI, section 3, of the constitution, relative to the tenure of office of Supreme Court justices, appellate court justices, and superior court judges.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Duval:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 737c of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Dillinger.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 52 of and to add a new section to be designated section 52½ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,'" approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "California", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9 of the title of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "thereof", insert the word "labeling.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "manufacturers' ", and insert in lieu thereof the word "manufacturer's".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the words "except cottage cheese", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "said department", and insert in lieu thereof the words "the director"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 45 and 46.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "sold", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "who manufacture ice cream".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "custard", at the end of the line, strike out the comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "parfaits".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "than", insert the words "ten per cent of milk fat, and not less than"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out line 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one and five-tenths pounds of wholesome, dry egg yolk containing not to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out line 42, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sweetening, clean wholesome eggs".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "phrase".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "adulterated", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "buttermilk", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "hold", insert the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or corporation", and insert in lieu thereof the words ", corporation or association".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 8, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "any", insert the word "creamery,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 8, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "milk", insert the words "or any product of milk".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 10, line 43, of the printed bill, after the words "ice cream", insert the words ", ice milk,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 10, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "pay", insert the word "annually".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 11, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "license", insert in parenthesis the following: "(except for ice cream, ice milk, and all similar frozen products, which shall be as hereinbefore provided)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 13, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 13, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "determining", insert the words "the grade or quality of milk or cream, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 13, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "on", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 14, line 9, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "weight", insert the word "grade,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 15, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "boat", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 15, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "rust", strike out the comma and after the word "seems", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 15, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "for", insert a comma and after the word "of", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 15, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "meats", strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and after the word "foodstuffs", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 15, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "substances", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 16, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "register", insert a comma, and after the word "of", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 17, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 17, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "are", and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

On page 18, line 7, of the printed bill, after the words "handling of milk", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 18, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "all", and insert in lieu thereof the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 18, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "milk, or any", and insert in lieu thereof the words "milk or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 18, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "California", insert a comma, and after the word "or" insert the words "of an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 19, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "they deem", and insert in lieu thereof the words "he deems".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 19, line 7, of the printed bill, after the words "substitute for milk", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 19, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "hearing", strike out the comma.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to amend sections 10, 11, 17, 20, 22 and 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the "State Irrigation Board," and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended, relating to organization of water conservation districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in lines 1 and 2 of the title, strike out the last letter "s" in the word sections, and strike out the words "ten, eleven, seventeen, twenty, twenty-two, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "10", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "24".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 10 to 51, both inclusive, and strike out all of pages 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, and strike out all of lines 1 to 36, both inclusive, on page 8.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8 of the printed bill, in line 38, strike out the word "March", and insert in lieu thereof the word "June".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 8 of the printed bill, in line 44, strike out the words and figures "section 17 of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 8 of the printed bill, in line 46, strike out the word "sixty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 and 271*a* of this code to work.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "highway" and after the comma, insert the words "or any other public work".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 3 to 16, inclusive, page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

7. In an action brought by any party under a deed of trust to obtain the aid or directions of the court in the enforcement of the trusts created by said deed or for a determination of the rights of any of the parties thereunder, where it appears that the transferred property is in danger of being lost, removed or materially injured pending a sale thereof or that there has been a breach of the obligation for which the transferred property is security and that the property is probably insufficient to discharge said obligation

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, referring to holidays.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 17, page 1, of the printed bill, after the comma, insert the following: "eleventh day of November".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 3, page 2, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "September", insert the following: "eleventh day of November".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend sections 2167, 2174, 2189, 2190*a* of the Political Code, relating to the custody and discharge of patients from State hospitals.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the

issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto, to be numbered $8\frac{1}{2}$, $8\frac{3}{4}$ and $13\frac{1}{2}$, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the Improvement Act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 4, line 29 of the printed bill, after the period after the word "board", strike out the remainder of said line and all of the succeeding lines on said page 4 and all of the lines on page 5 of the said printed bill.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of Water Master.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by inserting after the word "masters" the following "and the payment thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out all of the printed bill from line 10, on page 1, down to line 47, on page 2, both lines inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following. "by the state, as hereinafter provided, and the other one-half thereof shall be paid by the owners of the rights to divert or store water within the respective water districts created as in this act provided The state water commission shall, between the first day of January and the first day of March of each year, prepare a statement for each water district, which shall contain a budget showing the amount of money estimated to be necessary to pay the cost of supervising the distribution of water in such water district for the current calendar year, including expenses theretofore incurred for the payment of which funds are not available, including the estimated cost of publication of said budget as hereinafter provided, and including a reasonable estimate for contingencies, and shall also contain an apportionment of one-half the amount of said budget among the owners of the various rights to store or divert water within the water district in the following manner, to wit: One-fifth of said one-half of the amount of said budget shall be apportioned equally among the respective ownerships of all such water rights, and the remaining four-fifths of said one-half thereof shall be apportioned among the ownerships of said respective water rights in accordance with the quantity of water which the owner or owners of the respective water rights may be entitled to store or divert within the water district, as such rights shall have been determined by court decree and by any permits or licenses which may have been issued by the state water commission subsequently to the adjudication proceedings on which such decree of court is based; *provided, however*, that in all cases of rights to divert the direct flow of a stream, without storage, for power development or other non-consumptive use, where the entire flow so diverted, with the exception of reasonable transportation losses, is returned to the same stream system above the next lower diversion, the owner or owners of such rights shall share on account of such rights only in the equal apportionment of said one-fifth of said one-half of the amount of said budget, and shall not share in so far as such rights are concerned in the apportionment of the remaining four-fifths of said one-half of said budget; *and provided, further*, that in all cases where rights exist to store or divert water for use for more than one purpose, the amount to be paid by the owner or owners of such rights shall be based upon the total amount of water said owner or owners may be

entitled to store or divert, and said owner or owners shall not be required to pay more than one amount on the same water so stored or diverted notwithstanding use for more than one purpose. In making such apportionment to owners of the right to store water, three hundred and fifty acre feet of storage capacity which such owner is entitled to use shall be considered the equivalent of the right to divert one cubic foot per second of the direct flow of a stream. Two certified copies of the statement for each water district shall be transmitted by the state water commission, prior to the fifteenth day of March of each year to the state treasurer and a like number to the tax collector of the county in which such water district is situated, or, if any water district be situated in more than one county, then two copies of the statement for such water district shall be so transmitted to the tax collector of each county in which any part of such water district is situated One copy of each such statement sent to the state treasurer and to the proper tax collector or tax collectors shall be filed by said officials in their respective offices and shall at all times during business hours be available for public inspection. The state water commission shall file the original of each such statement in its office and same shall there be open to public inspection at all times during business hours. Also the state water commission on or before the fifteenth day of March shall file a certified copy of each such statement for record in the office of the recorder of each county wherein the district or any portion thereof is located. Also the state water commission shall cause publication of a copy of each such statement to begin on or before the fifteenth day of March in a newspaper having a general circulation and published within the county or each county wherein such district or any portion thereof is situated, but in case there is no newspaper published within the county or a county wherein a portion of such district is situated, then publication shall be in a newspaper having a general circulation within such county wherein no newspaper is published. Publication of such statement shall be made at least once a week for three consecutive weeks and proof thereof shall consist of a copy of such statement as published, attached to and made a part of the affidavit of the publisher or foreman of the newspaper publishing same, which proof of publication shall be filed in the office of the state water commission. The owner or owners of each such right to store or divert water shall pay to the tax collector of the county in which the works for the diversion of water under such right are located the amount so apportioned to the owner or owners of such water right, and unless such payment is made on or before the last Monday in April of the year in which such apportionment was made, ten per cent thereof shall be added thereto as a penalty for delinquency in the payment thereof If the owner of any such right to store or divert water be a county, city and county, municipality, district or other political subdivision, public corporation or state agency, the amount so apportioned together with the penalty aforesaid in case of delinquency, shall be a legal charge against the general fund thereof, or such fund as may be provided for the maintenance, and operation of its public works. If the owner of any such right be a public utility as defined in the "public utilities act" of this state, the amount so apportioned, together with the penalty aforesaid in case of delinquency, shall be a lien against any money of such public utility. If the water stored or diverted under any such right be for private use, then the amount so apportioned shall be a lien upon all the property used in the storage or diversion, conveyance or distribution of the water stored or diverted under such right and the land on which such water is or is entitled to be used. The liens herein declared shall be superior to all other liens against the property in question except liens for taxes and assessments levied by authority of law, and at any time after thirty days after any payment due hereunder shall have become delinquent the state water commission may institute in the name of the people of the State of California a proceeding to foreclose any such lien or to compel the payment of the delinquent charge by any county, city and county, municipality, district or other political subdivision, public corporation or state agency, and may call upon the district attorney of the county in which any such proceeding may properly be brought to prosecute the same, in which case it shall be the duty of said official to bring and prosecute such proceeding and enforce the sale of the property on which any aforesaid lien exists, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the delinquent amount and all costs incurred in the proceeding. In all cases where a water right is owned by two or more parties, then such parties shall pay such portions of the amount apportioned to such water right as may be in proportion to their respective interests in such water right, as determined by said court decree and any permits or licenses which may have been subsequently issued by the state water commission, and the statement prepared by the state water commission, as herein provided, shall contain an apportionment of the amount to be paid by the various owners of any such water right. A fund is hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the state water master district fund which fund shall be divided into separate accounts to the credit of the various water districts now in existence, or hereafter created from time to time, as in this act provided Each tax collector to whom any payments shall be made as herein provided shall at least once each month transmit the amount or amounts so paid to him to the state treasurer, who shall place the same in the water master district fund and credit it to the account of the proper water district. The state water commission

shall file with the state board of control on or before the first day of March of each year a certified copy of each water district statement herein provided for, and the state board of control shall provide for the transfer of one-half the amount of each budget therein contained from the general support funds of the state water commission to the water master district fund to the credit of the respective water districts for which such budgets were prepared. All expenditures for the supervision of the distribution of water in any water district shall be paid from that portion or account of the water master district fund credited to that water district, upon claims approved by the state water commission and otherwise audited and approved as may be required in the case of other claims against the state. Any money remaining in the water master district fund at the end of any year shall be available for use the following year for the respective water districts to which they are credited.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. Whenever a petition, signed by a majority or more of the citizen owners of land located within the proposed district, whose names appear as such owners of land upon the last completed assessment rolls of the counties in which any part of the acreage of said proposed district is situated, which petition shall definitely describe the boundaries of the proposed district and request that the territory within said boundaries be organized into a public park district, shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county in which a majority of the acreage of said proposed district is situated, at a regular or special meeting of said board, the said board of supervisors by resolution, shall fix a time for the hearing of said petition at not less than two nor more than five weeks from the time of presentation thereof, and shall cause notice to be given of the time and place of said hearing, by publication in some newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in each county in which any part of the proposed district is situated, for not less than two weeks prior to the time of said hearing. The petition may consist of any number of separate instruments, which shall be duplicates, except as to signatures thereto. The said notice shall contain a copy of said petition, but the names attached to the petition need not be included in said notice or publication. Said notice shall state that any person residing in or owning property within said proposed district may appear before said board at the hearing of said petition, and show cause why the said petition should not be granted or the proposed boundaries of said district changed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 49 to 52, inclusive, and on page 3 strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 9. The said board of park trustees shall annually, at or before the time fixed by law for the levy of county taxes, estimate and certify to the board of supervisors of the county wherein the district is situated, or if said district is not entirely within one county, then as hereinafter provided, the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation for maintaining the park of the district for the ensuing fiscal year. If said district is in more than one county, the total estimate as provided for hereinbefore shall be divided by said board of park trustees in proportion to the value of the real property of the district in each county. This value must be determined from the equalized values of the last assessment rolls of said counties. When said division of the estimate has been made, said board of park trustees shall certify to the board of supervisors of the respective counties that part of the estimate apportioned to each county. The board of supervisors of each county wherein is situated a park district or any part thereof organized under the provisions of this act must, annually, at the time of levying county taxes levy a tax upon all the property within said park district situated in said county sufficient to raise the amount so certified to said board of supervisors by said board of park trustees, to be raised by tax on the property of said district in said county. The tax so levied, however, shall not exceed two mills on each dollar of assessed valuation of the property in said district

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3 of the printed bill, following line 12, insert the following:

If the district is in more than one county, the treasurer of the county wherein the district was organized shall be the repository of all the funds of the district. For this purpose the treasurers of any other counties wherein is situated a portion of said district, must, at any time but not oftener than twice each year, upon the order of the board of park trustees, settle with said board and pay over to the treasurer of the county where the district was organized, all moneys in their possession belonging to the district. Said last named treasurer is authorized and required to receive and receipt for the same and to place the same to the credit of the district. He shall be responsible upon his official bond for the safe keeping and disbursement, in the manner herein provided, of these and all other moneys of the district held by him.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 27, 61 and 62 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, relating to foreclosure of liens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 7, line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "unpaid", and insert in lieu thereof the word "delinquent".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "delinquent street".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 7, beginning with line 16, strike out all printed matter down to and including line 21, on said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "there is an assessment lien on this property which must be paid to city street superintendent (or bureau of assessments in cities where such bureau exists) to avoid foreclosure".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out all of that portion of the line following the word "license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out all that portion of the line preceding the word "for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out all that portion of the line following the abbreviation "No._____" ".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out all of that portion of the line preceding the word "with".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, following the word "exhibit", insert the following: ", upon demand,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "possession", insert the following. ", or any duplicate license tag or tags obtained as herein provided,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the comma, and in line 26 strike out the words "or combination hunting and sporting fishing license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, lines 33 and 34, of the printed bill, strike out "or combination hunting and sporting fishing license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and the following: "and shall write the number of such duplicate license tag or tags, so issued, on the hunting license of the applicant."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out all of that portion of the line following the word "license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out all of that portion of the line preceding the word "for".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 1 of the title, strike out the words "Section seven", and insert in lieu thereof the following "Sections two *a*, seven, eleven, fourteen, fourteen *a*, fourteen *d*, fifteen and one-half, thirty-six, thirty-seven and thirty-nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "2*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

SEC. 2*a*. Fish and game district one and three-fourths shall consist of and include those portions of Modoc county not included in fish and game districts one "B", one "N" and one "C" and those portions of Lassen county not included in fish and game districts one "F", one "Q" and 25.

SEC. 2. Section 7 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2 of the printed bill, following line 30, insert the following:

SEC. 3. Section 11 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 11. Fish and game district one "I" shall consist of and include all lands within the county of Placer, within the following boundaries: Commencing at the junction of the north fork of the middle fork of the American river and the middle fork of the American river; thence northeasterly up the north fork of the middle fork to Grouse creek; thence northeasterly up main Grouse creek to its intersection with Red Star ridge, this being the divide between Duncan's creek and the middle fork of the American river. Thence northeasterly following the summit of Red Star ridge to the new Westville French Meadows highway, thence northeasterly along said highway to a point in section four, township fifteen north, range fourteen east, Mount Diablo base meridian; where the said highway leaves the main divide between the north fork of the American river and the middle fork of the American river, thence easterly along the summit of the divide between the north fork of the American river and the middle fork of the American river to Needle peak, thence southerly following the summit of the divide between Pickayune and Gray Horse creeks on the west and Five Lakes creek on the east, to the range line between townships fourteen and fifteen north, Mount Diablo base meridian, thence west along said township line to the south fork of Long canyon, thence westerly down Long canyon and Rubicon river and the middle fork of the American river to the point of beginning at the mouth of the north fork of the middle fork of the American river.

SEC. 4. Section 14 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 14. Fish and game district one "L" shall consist of and include the area composing the watershed of Chimney creek north of the section line between sections eight and seventeen, township twenty-five south, range thirty-six east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and all of the watershed of Long valley, all lying within the counties of Tulare and Kern.

SEC. 5. Section 14*a* of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 14*a*. Fish and game district one "N" shall consist of and include all lands lying within the counties of Siskiyou and Modoc within the following boundaries.

Commencing at the junction of the Lava Ranger Station road and the Medicine Lake Quaking Asp road, thence following westerly and northerly the northerly and easterly side of said Lava Ranger Station road to its junction with the Medicine Lake Quaking Asp road near the corner of section eighteen, township forty-two north, range five east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, thence following the southerly and westerly side of the Medicine Lake Quaking Asp road to the point of beginning.

SEC. 6. Section 14*d* of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 14*d*. Fish and game district one "Q" shall consist of and include all lands within the county of Lassen lying within the following boundaries: Beginning at the southeast corner of section twelve, township thirty-four north, range seventeen east, thence following Painter creek to the northwest corner of section eleven, township thirty-four north, range sixteen east, thence west along the left side of the Spanish Springs road to Spanish Springs; thence south following the easterly side of the county road through Secret valley and the eastern side of the Wendall Alturas road to the summit of the Hot Springs mountain divide between sections twenty-seven and thirty-four, township north, range fifteen east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, thence following easterly the summit of the said divide to the northwest corner of section thirteen, township twenty-eight north, range seventeen east, Mount Diablo base and meridian; thence along the section line between sections twelve and thirteen, township twenty-eight north, range seventeen east; thence easterly along the section line between sections twelve and thirteen, range seventeen east, Mount Diablo base and meridian to the California-Nevada state line; thence northerly along the Nevada-California state line to the southeast corner of section twelve, township thirty-four north, range seventeen east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, the point of beginning.

SEC. 7. Section 15½ of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 15½. Fish and game district two and one-half shall consist of and include that portion of townships twenty-four north, range nineteen west; twenty-four north, range eighteen west; twenty-three north, range eighteen west; twenty-three north, range seventeen west, twenty-two north, range eighteen west; twenty-two north, range seventeen west; twenty-one north, range seventeen west, west of the summit of the divide between the Pacific ocean and the south fork of the Eel river.

All of the townships twenty north, range seventeen west, nineteen north, range seventeen west; eighteen north, range seventeen west; eighteen north, range sixteen west, seventeen north, range seventeen west, seventeen north, range sixteen west; sixteen north, range seventeen west; sixteen north, range sixteen west; fifteen north, range seventeen west; fifteen north, range sixteen west, fourteen north, range seventeen west; fourteen north, range sixteen west; thirteen north, range seventeen west; thirteen north, range sixteen west; twelve north, range seventeen west; twelve north, range sixteen west

All being townships located in western Mendocino county.

SEC. 8. Section 36 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 36. Fish and game district eleven shall consist of and include the waters and tidelands of San Francisco and Richardson bays to high water mark bounded as follows: Beginning at the extreme westerly point of Point Bonita, thence in a direct line to the extreme westerly point of Point Lobos, thence around the shore line of San Francisco bay to the foot of Powell street, thence in a direct line to the extreme westerly point of Alcatraz island, thence in a direct line to Lime point in Marin county, thence westerly around the shore of San Francisco bay to the point of beginning

SEC. 9. Section 37 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 37. Fish and game district twelve shall consist of and include all waters and tidelands of San Francisco bay to high water mark not included in fish and game districts eleven and thirteen, the waters and tidelands to high water mark of San Leandro bay, Oakland creek or estuary, San Antonio creek in Alameda county, Raccoon straits and San Pablo bay to a line drawn due south from the lighthouse station at the end of the jetty to the south entrance of Mare Island straits and all lands and waters included within the exterior boundaries of said fish and game district and excluding all tributary sloughs, creeks, bays, rivers and overflowed areas not specifically described herein. For the purpose of this act that portion of San Francisco bay lying westerly of a line drawn from California City to San Pedro point and that portion of San Pablo bay lying westerly of a line drawn from San Pedro point in Marin county and Midshipman point in Sonoma county, the westerly point of Tubb's island, shall be included in fish and game district number two, and that portion of San Pablo bay lying north of a line drawn due east from a point situated on the bay shore of Tubb's island, one and one-half miles measured southwesterly along the levee from the electric power line tower situated on the west bank of Sonoma creek, shall be included in fish and game district number two.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

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Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of fish.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 2 of the title, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "and to repeal section six hundred thirty-three of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 9, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

632. It shall be unlawful to angle for, take, catch, kill or have in possession, either dead or alive, any trout or whitefish, in the State of California at any time or in any manner except as provided in this section. It shall be lawful to angle for, take, catch, kill and have in possession trout or whitefish during the open season which shall begin and end, both dates inclusive, in each year as herein prescribed; *provided*, that such trout or whitefish are taken in the manner allowed by law and within the bag limit prescribed, and that not more than one daily bag limit is had in possession by any person during any one calendar day.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 12, after the word "fourteen", insert the words "*and twenty-six*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 13, after the word "May", strike out the word "*thirtieth*", and insert in lieu thereof the word "first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two and three", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one, one and one-half, one and three-quarters, four and one-half, five, six, seven, eight, nine, twelve *a*, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-five, and in the Klamath river fish and game district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 19 of the printed bill, after the word "May", strike out the word "first", and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirtieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 26, 27 and 28, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(*d*) In fish and game district number two and one-half the season shall be open for all varieties of trout and whitefish from May thirtieth of one year to February fourteenth of the following year, with the same bag limit as specified in subdivision (*a*) hereof.

(*e*) In the Russian river and in the Napa river in fish and game district two, and in tidewater in fish and game districts two, three and fifteen, in addition to the open season provided in subdivision (*a*) hereof, the season shall be open for steelhead trout from November first of one year to February twenty-eighth of the following year. Bag limit three fish per day, irrespective of size.

(*f*) In fish and game district number one and one-half and in Klamath river fish and game district, in addition to the open season provided in subdivision (*b*) hereof, the season shall be open for steelhead trout from November first to December thirty-first. Bag limit three fish per day, irrespective of size.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2 and 3.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2 of the printed bill, in line 28, strike out the period, and in lieu thereof insert a comma and the following: "at any time when spearing is prohibited in such lake or stream."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 24, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective

of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 2. Section 633 of the Penal Code is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 628*k*, relating to protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 5, before the comma, strike out the words "in fish and game districts four or nineteen".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Black and brown bear,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from skull-boats in Fish and Game District No 2.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "from", strike out the word "skull", and insert in lieu thereof the word "scull".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 8 of the printed bill, after the letter "a", strike out the word "skull", and insert in lieu thereof the word "scull".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "in", insert the following: "fish and game district number twelve and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

In line 12 of the printed bill, after the word "embraced", strike out the following: "in San Pablo bay and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

In line 14 of the printed bill, after the words "from a", strike out the word "skull", and insert in lieu thereof the word "scull"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to create the office of a public defender, relating to creating an office to defend persons charged with crimes, without means to hire counsel.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the title of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of public defender, to provide for the election of such officers and prescribing their duties and compensation," approved May 24, 1921, relating to the compensation of public defender."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SECTION 1. Section 4 of the act entitled "An act to create the office of public defender, to provide for the election of such officers and prescribing their duties and compensation," approved May 24, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 12 to 51, inclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4184, creating the office of Public Guardian.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4, page 1, of the printed bill, following the word "county", insert the following "and city and county"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Following line 8, page 2, of the printed bill, add the following:

The public guardian must be allowed the amount of his reasonable expenses incurred in the execution of his trust, and he must also have such compensation for his services as the court in which his accounts are settled deems just and reasonable. He must also be allowed all reasonable and proper disbursements made after the legal termination of the guardianship, but while that relation, by consent or acquiescence of the parties, still subsists in fact, and before the discharge of the guardian by the court, and which were made by the consent, express or implied, of the ward, and for his benefit or the benefit of his estate.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to and including 25, and insert in place thereof the following: "probation officer, three hundred fifty dollars per month, one chief assistant probation officer, two hundred seventy-five dollars per month, one assistant probation officer who shall act as collector, two hundred forty dollars per month, three assistant probation officers at two hundred twenty-five dollars per month each, one assistant probation officer who shall act as cashier-bookkeeper, two hundred twenty-five dollars per month twelve assistant probation officers at two hundred ten dollars per month each, four assistant probation officers who shall act as stenographers, one hundred eighty-five dollars per month each, one assistant probation officer who shall act as stenographer, one hundred sixty-five dollars per month, and one assistant probation officer who shall act as file and information clerk at one hundred seventy-five dollars per month"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 447—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*b*, providing courses in forestry, the acquiring by school districts of necessary lands therefor outside such districts, the afforestation and reforestation thereof, and of public lands, and for transportation of pupils.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 558—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 515—An act to amend sections 18 and 35 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to

procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the words "sections eighteen, and", and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 721—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*j*, relating to the building and maintenance of permanent county fair buildings by the county board of supervisors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, following the period, add the following: "The county shall also pay to the municipality annexing or controlling such district, to be used for the purposes of such district, or, in case of the dissolution of such district as provided in this section, to such municipalities in proportion to the assessed valuations of the sections annexed, a sum equal to the uncollected taxes levied by the county for such district, such payment shall be made from the general fund of the county, by means of a claim or claims audited, allowed, and paid as other county claims are audited, allowed, and paid Thereafter all collections on account of such uncollected district taxes, together with any interest and penalties collected thereon, shall be placed in the county's general fund, for the use and benefit of the county. Such municipality or municipalities shall refund to the county such district taxes thereafter refunded or cancelled by the county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4, lines 45 and 46, of the printed bill, strike out the words "together with all interest which may accrue thereon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 29, of the printed bill, following the period, add the following: "The county shall also, upon the order of the board of supervisors, transfer from its general fund to the fund of the district a sum equal to the uncollected taxes levied by the county for such district and all moneys then in and so transferred to such district fund shall be expended in the maintenance and repair of the highways in such district, as previously provided in this section."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous

weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided*, that, as an alternative method of procedure, when the municipal taxes are collected by the county tax collector, the said county tax collector may, in his discretion, proceed to collect such assessments without reference to the general taxes, by issuing separate bills therefor and issuing separate receipts for collections on account of such assessments. All laws applicable to the levy, collection, and enforcement of county taxes are hereby made applicable to such special assessment taxes"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, relating to bonds of contractors on public work.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

That in line 10, page 1, of said printed bill following the word "contract", there be inserted the following: "involving an expenditure in excess of one hundred dollars".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 277—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof and for the districting, governing and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 9 of said act to provide for the preservation of the status of special improvement proceedings.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend sections 7 and 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 475—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the Street Opening Act of 1903, approved March 23, 1903, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 617—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of duplicates of bonds, warrants and other municipal securities which have become defaced or mutilated," approved February 23, 1907.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses, and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Adams the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 264 was made a special order for Thursday at 2 o'clock p.m.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Feigenbaum waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1193 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1193 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—Proposed amendment to article I, section 14 of the constitution, relative to the rights of private property.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 21.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I of the constitution of said State, relating to the rights of private property.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh regular session, commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses

voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 14 of article I of the constitution be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 14. Private property shall not be taken or damaged for public use without just compensation having first been made to, or paid into court for, the owner, and no right of way shall be appropriated to the use of any corporation except a municipal corporation or a county or the state until full compensation therefor be first made in money or ascertained and paid into court for the owner, irrespective of any benefits from any improvement proposed by such corporation, which compensation shall be ascertained by a jury, unless a jury be waived, as in other civil cases in a court of record, as shall be prescribed by law; *provided*, that in an action in eminent domain brought by the State, or a county, or a municipal corporation, or a drainage, irrigation, levee, or reclamation district, the aforesaid State or political subdivision thereof or district may take immediate possession and use of any right of way required for a public use whether the fee thereof or an easement therefor be sought upon first commencing eminent domain proceedings according to law in a court of competent jurisdiction and thereupon giving such security in the way of money deposited as the court in which such proceedings are pending may direct, and in such amounts as the court may determine to be reasonably adequate to secure to the owner of the property sought to be taken immediate payment of just compensation for such taking and any damage incident thereto, including damages sustained by reason of an adjudication that there is no necessity for taking the property, as soon as the same can be ascertained according to law. The court may, upon motion of any party to said eminent domain proceedings, after such notice to the other parties as the court may prescribe, alter the amount of such security so required in such proceedings. The taking of private property for a railroad run by steam or electric power for logging or lumbering purposes shall be deemed a taking for a public use, and any person, firm, company or corporation taking private property under the law of eminent domain for such purposes shall thereupon and thereby become a common carrier

Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 36, 45, 48, 56, 58, 59 and 60 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 829 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 43, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "box", and in lieu thereof substitute the word "boxes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 49, of the amended printed bill, beginning with the word "uniform", strike out all of line 49, down to and including the word "pests" and the comma following this word in line 50, and in lieu thereof substitute the words "free from".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 51, of the amended printed bill, following the word "from", insert the words "insect pests", followed by a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 7, line 1, of the amended printed bill, insert parenthesis before the word "except" and after the word "packing", in line 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 7, line 2, of the amended printed bill, after the word "dirt", insert a comma and the following words, "and shall be uniform in size and well packed in clean standard boxes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 4 of the amended printed bill, after the word "permitted", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 7, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "in any one package, and not", and in lieu thereof substitute the word "nor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 7, lines 18 and 19, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "uniform in size, and shall be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 23, of the amended printed bill, change the word "stems" to "stem".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 25, of the amended printed bill, before the word "well", insert the words "uniform in size and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 7, line 43, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "a variation in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, lines 44 and 45, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "be allowed not to exceed one-half of one inch when measured as hereinafter provided", and in lieu thereof substitute the following: "conform to the tier size marked as hereinafter defined".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 8, lines 15 and 16, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "uniform in size, well packed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 20, of the amended printed bill, after the word "deep", insert a comma and the following words "and shall be uniform in size and well packed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 8, line 32, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "a variation in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 8, line 33, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "be allowed not to exceed one-half of one inch when measured as hereinafter provided", and in lieu thereof substitute "conform to the tier size marked as hereinafter defined".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 9, line 1, of the amended printed bill, after the comma following the word "*provided*", insert the following: "that internal browning which can not be detected by external examination or pressure shall be permitted in this grade; *provided, further*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 9 line 36, of the amended printed bill, insert the word "loose" before the word "unclassified", and the word "apples" after the word "unclassified", and on line 37 strike out the word "loose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 10, line 12, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "shall", and in lieu thereof substitute "may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 11, lines 17 and 18, of the amended printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "Beitigheimer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 32, of the amended printed bill, strike out the first comma and the following word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 12, line 14, of the amended printed bill, strike out the last comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 12, line 18, of the amended printed bill, strike out the last comma.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 930, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

HON. CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., Hon. Charles F. Reindollar, member of the Assembly from the Seventeenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 439 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION.

On motion of Mr. Jones, unanimous consent to continue Assembly Bill No. 420 until after recess was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to amend the Political Code of the State of California by adding thereto certain new sections to be known as and numbered sections 2331*a*, 2331*b*, 2331*c*, 2331*d*, 2331*e*, 2331*f*, 2231*g*, 2332*a* and 2347, relative to the care and rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons under the age of twenty-one years by the State of California, under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Welfare, and appropriating funds therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 185 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 185 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter CCLXXXVII of the Statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3494 providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts and to add thereto a new section 3495 providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3496 providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. West moved that Assembly Bill No 709 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 709 to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Carter waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 69 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 69 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Carter waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 70 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 70 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Carter waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 71 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 71 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker pro tempore William M. Byrne in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 420, under consideration at time of recess, was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act" creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto River and its tributaries, and for protecting the water sheds from fire, and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization, and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District

deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district

Also: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 and to add a new section to be numbered 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

CRITTENDEN, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 768—An act to amend sections 2, 33 and 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to definitions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 768 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—60

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 365*o* of the Political Code, relating to powers of the State Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 352 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 215 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 322—An act to amend an act known as "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 322 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 323—An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of California by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 642*b*, relating to the investment of moneys with building and loan associations.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 323 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY.

Assembly Bill No 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crawford moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 5 to 8, of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 to 8, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crawford as such Select Committee.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-four minutes p.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 420, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRAWFORD, Select Committee.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Smith, Badham and Walters, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments to Assembly Bill No. 420.

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendments to Assembly Bill No. 420 were refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Mixter, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, and Witter—33.

NOES—Adams Anderson, D P, Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—40.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 420 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—42.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, and Walters—31

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance and the reserves required in certain classes.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Patterson moved that Assembly Bill No. 827 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 827 to Committee on Insurance

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764*c* of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 837 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the Superintendent of Schools and his assistants.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 915 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Hornblower, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 570 was made a special order for Thursday, March 24, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

HON. CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Charles F. Reindollar, member of the Assembly from the Seventeenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 641 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen,

Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine and Wright—55.
NOES—None.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Adams moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "salaries of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and".

Title read, as amended, and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, and relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 581 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—49.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 582 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—57
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to

enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 604 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield Smith, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—42

NOES—Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Hawes, Lenehan, Miller, Eleanor; Noyes, Patterson, and Woodbridge—10.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 604 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder; providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease; declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance, and providing for the abatement thereof; providing for the registration of apiaries; prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit; providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Deuel moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended March 21, 1927, strike out all of lines 31 to 34, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended March 21, 1927, strike out the figures "13", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In lines 14 and 15 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 21, 1927, strike out the following "making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Deuel as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 298, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DEUEL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roberts moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 5 and 6 of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "valid as against any citizen of the United States or person eligible to citizenship under the laws of the United States."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Roberts as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1021, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROBERTS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his pay roll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 106 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 106 to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 951 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 951 to Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Morrison moved that Assembly Bill No. 459 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 459 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Morrison moved that Assembly Bill No. 212 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 212 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that Assembly Bill No. 742 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 742 to Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 10, 1927, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 10, 1927, after the word "director", add the following: "of finance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 9, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 10, 1927, preceding the word "Except", insert the following "675".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 9, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 10, 1927, preceding the word "All", insert the following: "675*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 9, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly, March 10, 1927, strike out the figures "675"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1113, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and

construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardian, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 1027 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1027 to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Thursday, March 24, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 24, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Coombs moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. Frank W. Nutter of Redlands was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller of Contra Costa County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mr. Edward Miller of Contra Costa County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mrs. J. Smith of Contra Costa County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mrs. A. S. Dunlap of the Orinda school of Contra Costa County, and the following pupils, Miss Dorothy Kendall, Vuokko Carlson, and Roselyn Ficken were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Cloudman, Miss Runnels, teacher of the Williams Institution of Berkeley, and the following pupils, Lawrence Berger, Sarah Beckman, Alice Leupp, Mary Moore, Delight Dickerman, Robert Case, Charles Griffith, Ralph Ellis, Emir Allen Gaw, Edward P. Colby, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Roy E. Learned, advisor and principal of the Elk Grove Union High School and the following pupils of the freshman class in Civics: George Almond, Genevieve Alltucker, Marie Anderson, Walter Anderson, Henry Backer, Julius Bonucelli, Loretta Botto, Leon Brill, George Bulgar, Anna Buscher, Irene Buscher, Edward Cadjew, Beatrice Colton, Melvin Christensen, William Cumpston, Thelma Dart, Fay Diamond, Viola Dunston, Edna Elmore, Margaret Elmore, Mildred Fernandes, Erna Forsch, Ernest Franks, Charles Ginni, Lyle Greenley, Ruby Hamilton, John Harahata, Virginia Hirakawa, Jimmy Howdy, Milon Johnston, Mary Johnston, Alberta Jordan, Christeen Kranzler, Tobias Kammerer, Margaret Landon, Norman Lee, Wilson Lillico, Tracy Leinbach, Beulah Mackey, Annie McFarlane, Lester McComber, Edith Miller, Ernest Mitchell, Ronald Mohr, Velva Moore, Lois Murphy, Melvin Nelson, James Penrose, Clyde Riggs, Martha Riggs, Artus Ronk, Selma Schanzenbach, Mildred Schmidt,

Myrvel Schirmer, Frances Smith, Phyllis Smith, Frank Steiner, Mary Tanihara, Howard Tanson, Lloyd Taylor, Norio Tominago, Inez Veach, Irene Veach, Irma Veilnoa, Merlen Vradenburg, Henry Warren, Irene White, Grace Wilkinson, Alice Yamada, Henry Yamada and Paul Yasui were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bernard, Mr. R. H. Hedgespeth, instructor of the Corning Union High School, of Corning, California, and the following pupils: Helen Bankhead, Nelsyne Bartholomew, Thelma Brunk, Charles Canny, Charles Cramp, Norma Good, Don Hollenberg, Elizabeth Houghton, Bertha Hughes, Sarah Hughes, James McCann, Winofred Rodgers, Ila Lee Shook, Lila Stetson, Harold Stover, and Elizabeth Wylie; and guests accompanying pupils: D. O. Hughes, Mrs. H. K. Beresford, Mrs. Robert Hedgespeth, Mrs. Edward R. Dietz, Mrs. I. C. Good, Mr. Frank Shook and Mrs. Frank Shook were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mixter, Mr. Earle S. Houghton, president, California State Farm Bureau Federation, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. Oscar Goldstein of Chico, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Wisner Gillette Scott, life member, Sons of the Revolution, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr Charles L. Childers, attorney, Imperial Irrigation District, El Centro, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Mr. J. B. Holohan, sheriff of Santa Cruz County, former member of the Senate and former United States Marshal at San Francisco, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 293—An act to amend 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 320—An act to amend section 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors and clerks of the counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the fifty-first class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 665—An act to amend section 2322*x*42 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of horticultural commissioner in the counties of the forty-second class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 246—An act to amend section 2322*x*47 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 247—An act relating to the passage of ordinances by cities or counties, and authorizing cities or counties to adopt ordinances relating to building construction, plumbing or electric wiring and other similar work by reference to printed codes on such subjects; provided not less than three printed copies of such code or codes, in book form, have been filed with the clerk;

Also: Senate Bill No. 276—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4056c, relating to the power of boards of supervisors to establish and maintain public airports within their respective counties;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. L. and Louis Price against the State of California.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies,"

approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend section 20 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

ROLAND, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation development, diversion, storage conservation and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products, and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

NOYES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 533—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title X*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the

intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654*d*, relating to illegal searches and seizures;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 599 of the Civil Code, relating to what may be provided for in the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation of corporations now organized or that may hereafter be organized for purposes other than profit—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents;

Also: Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 4;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift or other process, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto, and for the improvement of the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 61—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices, to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced, prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 99—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 618—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies,

and other insects, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 6a, declaring breeding places for mosquitoes to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 833—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section to article IV thereof to be numbered 25½, relating to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands, to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals, to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights, to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act, and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend sections 2167, 2174, 2189, 2190a of the Political Code, relating to the custody and discharge of patients from State hospitals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626s of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon complaint of the owners of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f*, 363*g* and 363*h* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682.60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Dillinger: An act to amend section 52 of and to add a new section to be designated section 52½ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith'," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

By Mr. Duval: An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County.

FOSTER, Vice Chairman.

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 183—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*f*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, equip and maintain buildings to house employees of the school district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalities to pay all or any part of the expenses

of such maintenance and operation; providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts; and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 536—An act to amend section 1543a of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 547—An act to repeal section 637c of the Penal Code, relating to the taking of sea-lions,

Also: Senate Bill No. 604—An act to define certain words and phrases used in laws governing the protection of fish and game in the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 182 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 522 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 536 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 547 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 604 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 605 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend the title and section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and rights of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds, to provide for the formation management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 774 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 120—An act granting to the city of Los Angeles the tide lands and submerged lands of the State within the boundaries of said city.

Also: Senate Bill No. 126—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement,

and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessment for the cost, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 391—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information;

Also: Senate Bill No. 410—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c* and 1247*d* of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 631*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 120 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 126 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 391 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 410 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 463 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 464 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section, to be numbered 5, validating the act of the Legislature of the State of California providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $1,000,000 for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the purpose of an Olympiad to be held in California in 1932.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election, held therein, on the tenth day of March, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum), a public

nuisance, and providing for its eradication, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses,

Also Assembly Bill No 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing the State Board of Forestry to receive in the name of the State of California gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund."

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 219—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin, to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas, to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals, to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in:

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 11 of the State Medical Practice Act relating to subjects of examination for certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing, chiropody and midwifery, approved June 2, 1913, as amended,

Also: Senate Bill No. 794—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

HON. ROBERT B. FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Hon. Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 193?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "or", strike out the word "periodically".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "any", strike out the words "narcotic drug" and insert in lieu thereof the words "opium, morphine, cocaine, or other narcotic drug"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "misdemeanor" and insert in lieu thereof the word "felony".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, lines 24 and 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "from which he is committed" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of which he is a bona fide resident".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 193 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

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

MESSAGE OF GOVERNOR C. C. YOUNG RELATING TO AMENDMENTS TO BUDGET.

To the Members of the Senate and Assembly.

In accordance with the provisions of section 34, article IV, of the State constitution, I have the honor at this time to propose to you certain amendments to the budget and budget bill as originally presented to you on January 19, 1927.

The changes proposed are almost entirely of a minor nature, representing slight additions to the provisions for departments where new conditions seem to have arisen

A list of the specific changes is presented below. In most instances the changes are self explanatory, but certain other items probably deserve comment.

On page 128 of the printed budget appears the provision of $500,000 per year for flood control work on the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather Rivers in cooperation with the federal government, and a similar item of $419,000 for development of the Stockton deep water channel. Subsequent conferences with the representatives of the federal government indicate the necessity of a revision of the language for allotment of these items to particular projects, which, however, does not result in any increase of the amount

At the time the budget was prepared no recommendation was made for additional buildings at San Jose State Teachers College, because of uncertainty as to what policy would be recommended by the Department of Education and the State Board of Control for the future development of the institution It was hoped that before this time it would be possible to recommend to you a definite program for the acquisition of additional buildings. This has proven impossible, and an amendment is now proposed providing $100,000 for the construction of a training school building. This is to replace an old and very unsatisfactory structure which has been repeatedly condemned by the San Jose City Fire Department.

At Stockton State Hospital we are convinced that the construction program outlined in the budget should be modified by the elimination of a proposed cottage for employees and the substitution of a third cottage for patients, in addition to two cottages previously recommended. This alteration represents a deduction of $54,000 and an addition of $77,000, a net increase of $23,000.

An increase is recommended in the provision for the office of the State Controller. This is in contemplation of changes in the organization of auditing claims, and is more than offset by a reduction in the appropriation of the State Department of Finance.

It has been customary in the past to appropriate from the general fund for the statutory salary of the Highway Engineer and three members of the California Highway Commission. It is recommended that payment hereafter be made from special funds available by law for this purpose and already included in the budget. For this reason the item of $41,600 is eliminated.

A brief explanation is attached to each item of proposed change in the list below These explanations will make clear the policy which has been followed in the suggested budget revisions. Many conferences have been held with the members of the Legislature, as well as with representatives of various communities and industries A sincere effort has been made to incorporate in the budget by amendment every justifiable appropriation for the existing functions of the State

It is possible that you will approve certain additional appropriations for functions or developments not authorized by existing law. I cite two instances of such purposes. A proposal is now before the voters of San Diego whereby the San Diego High School District may purchase the property of the State Teachers College in accordance with an act of the Legislature of 1925. If this purchase is approved a new site will be provided without cost to the State, in which case it may be desired to recommend an appropriation toward the construction of the buildings on the new site, in addition to the proceeds which may be derived from the sale of the old property. A second instance is that of the support of prison road camps for which, after other provision has been made for completion of the existing highway system, a special appropriation probably will be recommended as suggested in my message of January 19, 1927.

Aside from instances of this nature it is my belief that all proposed expenditures of the State provided by existing law have been recommended by me in the original budget or in the amendments hereto submitted, and that few if any further appropriations can be justified.

I submit herewith a detailed list of the amendments at this time recommended to you I have not included in this tabulation the amendments which modify the language of the budget bill without changing the amounts appropriated. The proposed amendments to the budget bill are presented in a special document herewith.

INCREASES.

Page 7	—Judicial Council: Support	$10,000
Page 9	—Attorney General: Support	30,000
Page 11	—Controller: Support	14,000
Page 12	—Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Refund Division: Support	2,400
Page 18	—Department of Finance for improvements at Marshall's Monument	1,500
Page 30	—Industrial Home for the Adult Blind: Change in permanent improvements, eliminating superintendent's cottage ($12,000), inserting addition to workshop ($15,000), net increase	3,000
Page 36	—Veterans' Home: Repairs, improvements and equipment	10,000
Page 47	—Board of Forestry: Cooperative protection Tamalpais Fire District	2,000

INCREASES—Continued.

Page 47	Board of Forestry: Cooperative work; San Jacinto Mountains	$5,000
Page 50	California Redwood Park: Permanent improvements (roads, trails and pavilion)	5,000
Page 63	Agnew State Hospital: Change in permanent improvements, eliminating construction of cottage ($93,500), inserting purchase of land ($97,500), net increase	4,000
Page 70	Norwalk State Hospital: Support	10,000
Page 84	Stockton State Hospital: Permanent improvements, change two cottages and equipment ($173,000), to three cottages and equipment ($250,000), eliminating employees' quarters ($54,000), net increase	23,000
Page 87	High School Cadets: Support	10,000
Page 121	Department of Public Works, Division of Water Rights: Investigation of streams, lakes, etc.	15,000
Page 133	University of California for agricultural economic surveys	20,000
Page 134	Chico State Teachers College: Support	10,000
Page 145	San Jose State Teachers College: Construction of training school building	100,000
Page 152	California Schools for Deaf and Blind for college readers and Gaulladet College expenses for graduates	1,000
Page 152	California Schools for Deaf and Blind: Repairs, improvements and equipment	4,000
Page 153	State Library: Support	5,000
Page 155	Vocational Rehabilitation	20,000
Page 186	Board of Health: Support	20,000
		$324,900

DECREASES.

Page 13	Department of Finance: Administrative office	$16,000	
Page 105	California Highway Commission · Administrative salaries	41,600	57,600
Net increase			$267,300

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred seventy thou-" and all of line 47 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one hundred eighty thousand dollars ($180,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred thirty-nine" and all of line 13 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred sixty nine thousand two hundred dollars ($269,200)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred eighty three" and all of line 17 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred ninety-seven thousand four hundred fifty dollars ($297,450)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-six thousand four hun-" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty-eight thousand eight hundred fifty dollars ($28,850)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the following words and figures: "dred fifty dollars ($26,450)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 23 and 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "nine hundred ninety-one thousand five hundred sixty-four dollars ($991,564)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, after line 24, of the printed bill, insert the following: "For support of department of finance, children's agents, seventy-three thousand eight hundred eighty dollars ($73,880)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "($69,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "($69,900)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 53, of the printed bill, strike out the words "superintendent's house", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "additions to industrial shop building, fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 1.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words and figures "thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out "eight thousand dol-" and the following words and figures in line 36: "lars ($8,000,)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten thousand dollars ($10,000); San Jacinto mountains, five thousand dollars ($5,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the following words and figures: "ten thousand five hundred dollars, ($10,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifteen thousand five hundred dollars ($15,500)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 5, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words "physicians' cottages" and insert the following: "two cottages for physicians".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the following words: "construction and equipment of cottage for", and all of line 34 and insert in lieu thereof the following. "purchase of land, ninety-seven thousand five hundred dollars ($97,500)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "eight hundred thirty-" and all of line 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eight hundred forty-two thousand four hundred thirty dollars ($842,430)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" insert the following figures: "($90,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 6, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "boiler and pumping distribution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 6, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "hundred horse power boiler".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 7, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three", and strike out the words "one hundred seventy-three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "thousand dollars ($173,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "construction and equipment" and all of line 21 and the following words and figures in line 22: "sand dollars ($54,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "to be expended by the department of finance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 7, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty thousand" and all of line 39 and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "government" insert the following: ", donations or other sources".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "payable from highway maintenance fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 9, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "fifty thousand dollars", and all of line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 9 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 27 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 9, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 31, 32, 33, and 34, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000).

For rectification of channel of Sun Joaquin river in cooperation with federal government, pursuant to act of congress entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved by the President of the United States on January 21, 1927, four hundred nineteen thousand dollars ($419,000), to be expended by the department of finance.

For cooperation with federal government in development of the Suisun Bay channel, ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars ($91,500), to be expended by the department of finance.

For provision of additional spoil area in connection with Sacramento and San Joaquin river channel through the purchase of warrants of Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District Project Number Two, one hundred eight thousand five hundred dollars ($108,500), to be expended by the department of finance."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 9 of the printed bill, after line 38, insert the following: "For support of state board of education, vocational rehabilitation, twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), in addition to such sum or sums as appropriated by the statutes of 1925, chapter 296."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO

On page 10, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "grounds", insert the words "at Berkeley".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 10, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "entrance", insert the words "at Berkeley".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR

On page 10, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "agricultural economic surveys, twenty thousand dollars ($20,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 10, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred", and all of line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred ninety-six thousand nine hundred thirty dollars ($296,930)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 10, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "building", insert the words "at Chico".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 10, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "of" insert the word "main".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 11, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "construction and equipment of training school building, one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 11, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "gaullaudet expenses", and insert in lieu thereof the following "expenses of graduates at Gallaudet college".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 11, line 28, strike out the words "nine thousand" and all of line 29, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten thousand dollars, ($10,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words and figures "eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000);" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000); construction of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 11, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred", and all of line 37, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three hundred two thousand three hundred fifty dollars ($302,350)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 12, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two", and strike out the figures "($48,450)", and insert in lieu thereof the following figures: "($48,250)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 13, line 30 of the printed bill, strike out the words "four hundred seventy-", and all of line 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred ninety-eight thousand, two hundred fifty-three dollars ($498,253)".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1085—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the leasing of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended, relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 8, insert the following:

SECTION 1. There is hereby withdrawn from selection and sale all of the lands embraced within the original meander lines of streams and lakes belonging to the state, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities, and all such lands which may hereafter inure to the state by virtue of its sovereignty, excepting such lands now contracted to be sold under sections 3493*m* to 3493*t*, both inclusive, of the Political Code.

SEC. 2. No person, firm or corporation shall take water from such streams or lakes containing minerals and extract from such waters such minerals, except under the terms and conditions of this act; and no person, firm or corporation may lease any land herein referred to and extract therefrom minerals deposited therein or thereon, except under the terms and conditions of this act.

SEC. 3. Every person, firm or corporation taking from the waters of such stream, lakes or lands any minerals, shall file, on or before the last Monday in January of each year, with the county assessor of the county in which any such stream or lake

is situated, and also with the state controller, a written statement, duly verified, showing in tons of two thousand pounds, the amount of mineral taken by such person, firm or corporation from such water or land during the year ending December thirty-first last preceding, and sold by said person, firm or corporation during the said year preceding. Any such person, firm or corporation neglecting or refusing to furnish such statement shall be subject to a fine of one hundred dollars for each day after the said last Monday in January such person, firm or corporation, shall fail to furnish such statement, and, in addition to said fine, shall forfeit all leases granting the right to extract such minerals from said water and said land. Any person who shall, either on behalf of himself or any firm or corporation, verify any such statement which shall be untrue in any material part, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 4. In case either the assessor or the state controller shall not be satisfied with the statement as returned, he may make an examination of the matters necessary to verify or correct said statement, and, for that purpose, may subpoena witnesses and call for and compel the production of necessary books and papers belonging to the person, firm or corporation making the returns.

SEC. 5. The county assessor of the county shall, after examination and approval by him and the state controller of such statement, proceed to collect from such person, firm or corporation a royalty of twenty-five cents for each ton of two thousand pounds of mineral taken from such water or land by such person, firm or corporation and sold, during the preceding year, in the manner provided for the collection of personal property taxes; *provided*, that the royalty on sodium bicarbonate and on sodium hydrate so taken shall be fifty (50) cents for each ton of two thousand pounds: *and provided, further*, that the royalty on gold, silver and other precious metals so taken shall be five per cent of the gross amount of such metal extracted.

SEC. 6 Any person, firm or corporation desiring to lease any lands or extract minerals from any waters under this act must make application therefor to the surveyor general of the state. The lands sought to be leased shall be described in said application by legal subdivisions, or, if the legal subdivisions are unknown to the applicant, by metes and bounds The waters from which it is sought to extract such minerals shall be described by meander lines or other description sufficient to locate such waters, and in the case of lakes, by the commonly accepted name of such lake. The application must be accompanied by a filing fee of ten dollars

SEC. 7 Upon the receipt of such application to lease lands the surveyor general shall direct the county surveyor of the county in which such lands are situated to survey the land sought to be leased. The county surveyor shall make an actual survey of the land, at the expense of the applicant, establishing the four corners to each quarter section, and connecting the same with a United States survey; and, within thirty days file with the surveyor general a copy, under oath, of his field notes and plat. If the county surveyor fails to make the survey as herein provided, the surveyor general shall immediately direct another person to make the survey at the expense of the applicant, and said survey shall be made and completed within thirty days after the authorization, and the field notes and plats, or copies thereof, shall be sworn to by the surveyor making them and shall be filed with the surveyor general.

SEC. 8. All applications under this act shall be approved or rejected by the surveyor general within ninety days after the receipt thereof. Immediately after the approval of the application, the surveyor general shall execute and deliver to the applicant a lease of the lands described in the application. If such application be for the right to extract minerals from such waters, the surveyor general shall immediately after the approval of such application execute and deliver to the applicant a grant of the right to extract such minerals from the waters described in the application, which said grant may be exclusive

SEC. 9. The lands designated in this act shall be leased at the rate of two dollars and fifty cents per acre, per year, payable yearly in advance. All moneys received as rental for such lands and as royalty upon the mineral product of the waters of the lakes, streams or lands above mentioned, shall be paid into the state school land fund.

SEC. 10. Whenever any lease of land is delivered to the applicant by the surveyor general, the lessee shall within fifteen days thereafter, present said lease to the treasurer of the State of California, and make payment of the first annual rental. The treasurer shall receive the money and give a receipt therefor. All subsequent annual payments of rental must be paid to the state treasurer, in like maner, within fifteen days after they become due. In case payments are not made as herein provided, the lease and all rights thereunder shall cease and terminate. No lease or grant shall run for more than twenty-five years; *provided*, that upon the expiration of any lease or grant, such lease or grant may be extended for a period of twenty-five years upon such terms and conditions as may then be prescribed by law.

SEC. 11. All leases made under the authority of this act shall contain a reservation to the state of a right to locate rights of way across such leased lands, subject only to the requirements that the rights of way shall be located in such manner as to cause the least injury to the leased lands across which the same may be located, and that any damage suffered by the lessee of such lands shall be compensated by

the lessee of the lands for whose benefit the right of way is required; and every such lease or grant to extract minerals from waters shall be subject to, and shall contain a reservation of, the right of any city and county or incorporated city or town of this state to at any time appropriate and take, under the laws of this state relative to the appropriation of waters, water from any stream or lake tributary to or discharging into any stream or lake of the character mentioned in section one of this act for any use or uses within the authorized powers of such city and county, or incorporated city or town.

SEC. 12. Leases of rights of way, not exceeding one hundred feet in width, for access to any waters or lands designated by this act, may be applied for and granted in the manner herein provided for leasing lands. Such rights of way shall be leased at an annual rental of two dollars and fifty cents an acre, and the same shall be paid as herein provided for leased lands.

SEC. 13. All leases of mineral lands provided for by this act shall cease and terminate on December thirty-first of any year if the lessee or assigns has not, during the year preceding, extracted or removed from such land an amount of mineral equal, in the aggregate, to a minimum of five tons per acre of land leased; *provided*, that when a lease is not delivered to the lessee until after the fifteenth day of January of any year, the minimum tonnage for such year shall be less than five (5) tons, and shall be proportional to the number of days remaining in such year after the completion of the works.

SEC. 14. The surveyor general is hereby authorized to prepare, make, execute and deliver all papers, instruments and documents, and to do any and all things necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 15. The Legislature shall have the right to change, from time to time, the royalty per ton of minerals extracted and the annual rental per acre of land, and such change shall apply to all persons, firms or corporations holding leases or grants hereunder; *provided*, that no lease or grant given under this act shall be subject to any change, as to the royalty or rental provided for in said lease or grant subsequent to the execution of such lease or grant until after ten years from the date of such lease or grant.

SEC. 16 Any lessee hereunder may abandon and surrender a lease at the expiration of any calendar year by filing with the county assessor of the county in which is situated the lands described in said lease, and with the surveyor general and the state controller, notices of said abandonment or surrender: but said notices must be filed at least sixty days before the expiration of said calendar year; and said abandonment and surrender shall not absolve the said lessee from the payment of any royalty which may be due at the end of said fiscal year for minerals extracted from the waters or lands in this act specified.

SEC. 17. This act shall take effect immediately.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1083*a*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120 and 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the remainder of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "forty-four, one thousand eighty-three *a*, one thousand eighty-three *b*, one thousand ninety-four, one thousand ninety-five *a*, one thousand ninety-six, one thousand ninety-six *a*, one thousand ninety-seven, one thousand one hundred three, one thousand one hundred five, one thousand one hundred six, one thousand one hundred thirteen, one thousand one hundred fifteen, one thousand one hundred twenty, one thousand one hundred twenty-one, one thousand one hundred twenty-five, one thousand one hundred forty-two, one thousand one hundred fifty-one, one thousand one hundred seventy-four, one thousand one hundred ninety-two, one thousand one hundred ninety-five *b*, one thousand two hundred four, one thousand two hundred five, one thousand two hundred ten, one thousand two hundred twenty-nine, one thousand two hundred sixty-one, one thousand two hundred sixty-two, one thousand two hundred sixty-four, one thousand two hundred sixty-five, of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors and conduct of elections."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the second word "Section", strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1044 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

1044. Except in the particulars or cases otherwise provided for in the constitution or laws of the state or by the provisions of a freeholder charter duly adopted or amended pursuant to the constitution of this state, all regular school elections and municipal elections, where the same are held separate from state elections, and all elections held under the authority of section 8 of article XI of the constitution, to elect boards of freeholders, or to vote upon proposed charters, or upon amendments to existing charters, and all other special elections, including all special elections to vote upon or for or against any proposition or question authorized to be submitted to a vote, shall be conducted under the provisions of sections 1044, 1120, 1121, 1133 and 1151 of this code.

SEC. 2. Section 1083*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1083*a* Wherever, by the constitution or laws of this state, any initiative, referendum, recall or nominating petition or paper, or any petition or paper, is required to be signed by qualified electors, only an elector who is a registered qualified elector at the time he signs such petition or paper, shall be entitled to sign the same. Each signer shall add to his signature his occupation, place of residence, giving street and number if either exist, and if no street or number exists, then such a designation of the place of residence as will enable the location to be readily ascertained. Such signer shall at the time of so signing such petition or paper affix thereto the date of such signing. Wherever, by the constitution or laws of this state, the county clerk or registrar of voters is required to determine from the records of registration what number of qualified electors have signed such petition or paper, he shall determine that fact with respect to the purported signature of any person from the

affidavit of registration, current and in effect at the date of such signing of such paper.

SEC. 3. Section 1083*b* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1083*b*. Whenever the county clerk or registrar of voters is required by law to examine the signatures upon any nomination paper or petition of any candidate for a municipal office, he is hereby empowered to employ the necessary help for said examination, to be paid by such municipality a sum not to exceed five dollars per day for each person so employed in such examination.

SEC. 4. Section 1094 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1094. There shall be, commencing January 1, 1928, in each county and city and county of the state, a new and complete registration of voters of such county or city and county, who are entitled thereto. Such registration shall be in progress at all times except during the thirty days immediately preceding any election, when it shall cease, for such election as to electors residing in the territory within which such election is to be held; and transfers of registration for such election may be made from one precinct to another precinct in the same county or city and county at any time when such registration shall be in progress in the precinct to which the elector seeks to transfer; *provided*, that where any general or special municipal election, or any other special election, including any primary election and all special elections to vote for officers or for member or members of the governing board of any school district, or upon or for or against any proposition or question authorized to be submitted to a vote, is held on or after the first day in January and before the first day in April of the year 1928, the original affidavit of registration and indexes used in the last general state election in any county or city and county in this state, together with the original affidavits of registration since the last preceding election, and supplemental indexes, showing all additional registrations, changes and corrections made since the registration for the last preceding general election, completed to and including the thirty-first day prior to said election then being held, may be used at such election to determine the persons entitled to vote thereat. All affidavits of registration made prior to the first day of January of the year 1928 shall be deemed canceled upon said day except for the sole purpose of being used as hereinbefore stated at elections held thereafter and before the first day of April of that year and shall on said last mentioned day, be deemed canceled for all purposes. The board having charge and control of elections in each county or city and county, may provide by resolution, for the registration of voters in their respective precincts, by the officer charged with the registration of voters, and may also provide by resolution for the registration of voters at specified times and places, other than the office of the county clerk or registrar of voters, deemed most convenient to large numbers of voters, without reference to respective or particular precincts, in such a manner that the affidavits of registration as provided by law may be taken at such time and place, of any voter within the county who is entitled to register therein; *provided, however*, that in any city and county, no registration outside of the main office of the officer charged with the registration of voters shall be had except that which is without reference to particular precincts as last specified herein; *and provided, also*, that any registration which may be made at the main office for registration in any such city and county may be made and taken in any place in said city and county in such manner as may be provided by rules and regulations made by the board having control of registration in any such city and county.

Upon the written request of the officer charged with the registration of voters, which request said officer shall make upon petition from any ten electors of the county filed in his office not less than fourteen days before the date of the next succeeding election, and specifying the premises from which lists are desired, every landlord or keeper of premises where lodgers abide, shall furnish said officer a list of all lodgers occupying rooms, or sleeping apartments, or beds in the premises under his or its control. Such lists shall be furnished upon blanks provided by said officer, and they must be received in his office not less than seven days before the day of said election.

Any landlord or keeper of premises where lodgers abide, who neglects or refuses to comply promptly with the provisions of this section or who furnishes a false list of such lodgers, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. All lists so returned shall be kept on file in the office of the officer receiving same, open to public inspection. It shall be the duty of said officer to compile a list of such persons, if there are any, who are registered as residing in any of these premises and whose names are not returned in the lists furnished by the landlord or keeper thereof. At least three days before the date of the next succeeding election, in any precinct where such premises are located, said officer shall send by registered mail to the inspector of election in said precinct a certified copy of the list he has thus prepared, with instructions to challenge the vote of each and all such persons if offered at the election, under subdivision 5 of section 1230 of the Political Code. Whenever in the laws of this state the word "register" or "great register" is used with relation to elections, it shall be deemed to mean and include the relative and proper affidavits of registration, of both thereof, prepared and bound by the county clerk or registrar of voters.

SEC. 5. Section 1095*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1095*a*. The clerk, or other person charged with the registration of voters, must provide blank forms for the affidavits of registration, which forms shall be bound together in books or pads of one hundred sheets each, and consist of originals and duplicates Each original shall be attached to a stub by a perforated line, and each original and duplicate shall bear a number. Said number shall appear on the original and duplicate sheet, and also on the stub to which they are attached, and the numbering shall begin with one and continue in a sequence until all of the blanks provided shall be numbered. The numbering shall begin anew with each five hundred thousand affidavits of registration Each set of numbers shall be designated alphabetically as a series, beginning with Series A. The stubs shall contain a line for the name and spaces for the residence and precinct of the person registered. Each deputy clerk, deputy registrar or registration clerk shall receipt to the clerk or registrar for all books or pads issued to him, specifying the numbers of the affidavits received by him, and he shall be charged with the same until he returns and files the same. When an elector is registered, his name, residence, and precinct shall be noted on the stub attached to the original, and if for any cause the affidavit is spoiled in the course of making it out, or a mistake therein is made the same must not be removed from the pad, or book, but the name of the elector for whom it was intended, with his residence and precinct must be entered on the stub as in other cases, and the stubs and affidavits each marked with the word "Spoiled."

When the registration for any election is closed, all deputies or registration clerks must, immediately thereafter, return all affidavits of registration, and all books or pads in their possession containing stubs, spoiled, or unused affidavit blanks; and within five days after the close of such registration the clerk, or registrar of voters must report to the district attorney of the county, or city and county, under oath, the names of his deputies, if any who have not complied with the provisions of this section; and it shall be the duty of the district attorney to forthwith begin a criminal prosecution against such deputies or registration clerks as shall not have complied with the provisions of this section Any deputy, or person having charge of affidavits of registration who shall willfully, or by gross carelessness, neglect, fail, or refuse to comply with the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

SEC. 6 Section 1096 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1096. The affiant making the affidavit of registration must be at least twenty-one years of age at the time of the next succeeding election; a citizen of the United States ninety days prior to such election, a resident of the state one year, of the county ninety days, and of the precinct thirty days next preceding such election and the affidavit must show such facts It shall also show

1 The name at length, including christian or given name, the middle name, or initial, if any, Miss or Mrs., as the case may be

2. The place of residence and post-office address with sufficient particularity to identify the same and determine therefrom the voting precinct of such affiant If the elector be not the proprietor or head of the house, or the wife or husband of such proprietor, then it must show upon what floor thereof, and what room such elector occupies in such house

3. The occupation of affiant.

4 The height of affiant in feet and inches

5 The country or state of nativity of affiant.

6 If foreign born, how citizenship was acquired, whether by citizenship of father, by provisions of a treaty or act of congress, by order of a court of naturalization, by marriage to a citizen, by naturalization of a parent or husband, or otherwise The date or year when, and the place or state where affiant became a citizen, shall be shown, except in the case of citizenship acquired by citizenship or naturalization of parents, by treaty, or by act of congress When citizenship depends upon the citizenship or naturalization of parent or husband the name of such parent or husband shall appear.

7 The fact whether or not the elector desiring to be registered is able to read the constitution in the English language and to write his or her name, and whether or not the elector has any physical disability, by reason of which he or she can not mark the ballot, and if he or she can not mark the ballot by reason of physical disability, then the nature of such disability must be entered. The affiant shall sign such affidavit with his or her name at length, including christian or given name, and middle name or initial, if any, Miss or Mrs., as the case may be, and if unable to write he or she shall sign with a mark or cross and the county clerk or registrar before whom such affidavit is made shall insert therein the date of such affidavit, which shall be the date of the jurat The affiant may state in such affidavit the name of any political party or organization with which he intends to affiliate at the ensuing primary election, whether or not such party or organization is a party or organization qualified, at the time of such registration, to participate in such primary election according to the provisions of the direct primary law.

SEC 7. Section 1096*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1096*a*. At the time of registering and of transferring registration, in all places where the primary election law is in force, each elector shall declare the name of the political party with which he intends to affiliate at the ensuing primary election or elections, and the name of such political party shall be stated in the affidavit of registration.

If the elector declines to state his or her political affiliation, the fact of such declination shall likewise be stated and no person shall be entitled to vote the ticket of any political party at any primary election, by virtue of such registration, unless he has stated the name of the political party with which he intends to affiliate at the time of such registration. Nor shall he be permitted to vote on behalf of any party or for delegates to the convention of any party other than the party so designated in the registration.

In case any elector shall have declined to designate or shall have changed his political affiliation prior to the close of registration for primary elections he is entitled to have such change recorded prior to the close of said registration upon application to the county clerk or registrar of voters as hereinafter provided. In case any elector shall have declined to designate or shall have changed his political affiliations prior to the close of registration, he may appear in person before the county clerk or registrar of voters, or any registration deputy of said county clerk or registrar of voters, and make affidavit substantially in the following form.

State of California, } ss.
County of_____}

_____, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he registered on the great register of the said county of _____ as a _____ (insert former party affiliation, or that he had declined to designate his party affiliation); that since the date of such registration he has changed his political views and in good faith declares his affiliation with _____ party.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____, 19____.

The county clerk or registrar of voters shall take such affidavit without charge and shall file the same and shall note such change of political affiliation on the elector's affidavit of registration

SEC 8 Section 1097 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1097. Subdivision 1. No person shall be registered as an elector except by affidavit of registration. Such affidavit must be made before the county clerk or officer charged with the registration of voters, or their deputy or registration clerk and shall set forth all the facts required to be shown in sections 1096 and 1097 of the Political Code. If an elector is absent from the county in which he or she claims residence, he or she may appear before any judge or clerk of any court of record, or notary public, or if in a foreign country, before any minister, consul, or vice consul of the United States, and may make and subscribe an affidavit as to his or her residence, specifying in what precinct he or she claims residence; that he or she will be necessarily and unavoidably absent from said county, or city and county, on all the days allowed by law for general registration of electors, and setting forth in such affidavit each and all the matters required by sections 1096 and 1097 of the Political Code of the State of California, and forward such affidavit, in duplicate, duly authenticated as above, by mail, enclosed in an envelope addressed to the county clerk of any county, or the registrar of voters in any county or city and county in which he or she claims to be an elector. Upon receipt of such affidavit by such clerk or registrar of voters within the time allowed by law for registration, the said affidavit shall be entered and bound by the clerk in the proper register in such precinct.

Sub. 2. No foreign born person shall be registered unless:

(*a*) If a naturalized citizen, upon the production of his or her certificate of naturalization or upon the production of a certificate of registration in the county of his or her last residence in the state, showing the date and place of naturalization; *provided*, that any person registering for the first time in the state must produce his or her certificate of naturalization.

(*b*) If a citizen by virtue of his or her father being a citizen at the time of his or her birth, upon his or her sworn statement that his or her father was a citizen of the United States at the time of his or her birth and has been a resident thereof. Such statement need not be noted in full upon the affidavit of registration, but the words "I acquired citizenship by the citizenship of my father (naming him)" shall be sufficient.

(*c*) If a citizen by virtue of the naturalization of his or her parent, upon his or her affidavit that he or she became a citizen by such naturalization of his or her parent, naming such parent, that such naturalization took place during his or her minority and that he or she began to reside permanently in the United States while such minor child. Such statement need not be noted in full upon the affidavit, but the words "I acquired citizenship by my father's (or mother's) naturalization" as the case may be, naming him or her, shall be sufficient.

(*d*) If a citizen by virtue of marriage to a citizen, the month, day and year and place of such marriage shall be entered upon the affidavit of registration together with the name of the husband.

(e) If a citizen by virtue of the naturalization of her husband, the month, day and year or year and place of such naturalization together with the name of the husband shall be entered.

Sub. 3. In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated. The clerk or registrar of voters may cause to be written or printed upon the margin of the affidavit, in addition to any matter hereinafter provided for, all such words as are deemed necessary or convenient for the purpose of designating the precinct, district or political subdivision for which such affidavit is taken, or deemed necessary or convenient to indicate any removal of transfer of registration, and on the reverse side of the affidavit, the clerk or registrar of voters may direct the election officers to indicate the date when electors voted, or any other reasonable memoranda deemed necessary or convenient for the purpose of enabling such clerk or registrar of voters to perform his duties in the assorting or classification or handling of such affidavits with correctness and dispatch. Whenever in the following form of affidavit the word "county" is inserted, if the affidavit is for use in a city and county, such last mentioned words may be printed or written in lieu of said word "county." In connection with the place of residence the affidavit may have printed either the word "precinct" or the word "street" or the word "avenue," or any or all of such words as the clerk or registrar of voters shall deem most convenient in practical use for the territory in which such affidavits are to be used. In designating the residence of the voter or the post office address it shall not be necessary in either case to repeat the county or city and county or state where the name of said county or city and county or state previously appear. In connection with the statement regarding the citizenship of affiant, the affidavit may have printed in brackets statements of the various methods of acquiring citizenship, and it shall be sufficient to underline, or otherwise mark, with pen and ink, or indelible pencil, that statement applicable to the particular affiant. The words printed in the body of the affidavit, which by reason of statements of the voter are not applicable to such registration, shall not be deemed a portion of such affidavit of registration. The lines to indicate the separation between the margin of the affidavit of registration and the said margin shall be at the top and on the right side of such affidavit, and may be double or single lines in the discretion of the clerk or registrar of voters of the county or city and county or territory for which the affidavit is to be used. The affidavit shall be printed in horizontal lines. Whenever any blank space is left in any line for the entry of any matter the lines shall not be less than one-third of an inch apart vertically. Commencing with the first statement of the affidavit proper each statement shall be numbered immediately at the left of such statement in a numerical sequence, the first statement commencing with number one, and so on to the end, but the jurat and space for the signature of the voter need not be numbered. The horizontal width of the affidavit, separate from any and all margin, shall not be less than seven inches, and the margin upon all sides and at top and bottom shall be of such width as may be determined by the clerk or the registrar of voters. The words "affidavit of registration" shall be not less than twenty-four-point blackface type. Pen and ink or indelible pencil must be used in marking the portions of the affidavit which are not printed. The matter in the body of the affidavit, where the size of type is not otherwise specified, shall be not less than ten-point plain-faced type, save that words inserted in parentheses, which are for the information or instruction of the deputies or registration clerks, may be in smaller type at the discretion of the county clerk or registrar of voters. Subject to the foregoing provisions the body of said affidavit shall be substantially in the following form:

STATEMENT OF TRANSFER OR CHANGE OF NAME.

I am registered under the name of_____ from the following precinct or address _____ in this county; (or in_____ county, and I hereby authorize the cancellation of my last previous registration in said_____ county).

NAME OR NUMBER OF PRECINCT

_____

AFFIDAVIT OF REGISTRATION.

State of California } ss.
( ) County of ( ) }

The undersigned affiant, being duly sworn, says: I will be at least twenty-one years of age at the time of the next succeeding election, a citizen of the United States ninety days prior thereto, and a resident of the state one year, of the county ninety days, and of the precinct thirty days next preceding such election, and will be an elector of this county at the next succeeding election.

1. I have not (have) registered from any other precinct in the state since January 1, 1930.

(Mark out words "have not" or "have" as the case may be, and if applicant has so previously registered or has previously registered under another name, fill out the appropriate blanks at the top of the affidavit, under "statement of transfer or change of name.")

2. My full name is_____
(Including christian or given name, and middle name or initial, and in the case of women, the prefix Miss or Mrs.)

3. My residence is_____between_____
and _____streets _____floor, room_____.
Post office address at_____

4. My occupation is_____

5. My height is_____feet_____inches

6. I was born in_____
(State or country.)

7. I acquired citizenship by
a. Decree of court.
b. Father's naturalization.
c. Citizenship of father.
d. Marriage to a citizen.
e. Naturalization of my husband.
f. Act of Congress. g. By treaty.
(Underline method of acquiring citizenship.)
(when)_____ (where)_____
My father's (husband's) name is (was)_____
(To be filled out when citizenship depends on citizenship or naturalization of parent or husband.)

8. I can_____read the constitution in the English language; I can_____ write my name; I am entitled to vote by reason of having been on November 6, 1894:
a. An elector.
b. More than sixty years of age.
I can_____mark my ballot by reason of_____
(State physical disability, if any.)

9. I intend to affiliate at the ensuing primary election with the_____ party.
(If affiliation is not given, write or stamp "Declines to state.")
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
_____day of_____19___.

_____ _____
County clerk (or registrar of voters). (Affiant sign here.)

Sub. 4. Whenever any elector, between the time of her last registration and the time for the closing of registration for any given election in the same county or city and county, shall have lawfully changed her surname by a change or assumption of marital relations she shall be entitled to re-register under her new or changed name, upon an additional statement made at the time of such re-registration, giving the name under which she was so last registered in said county or city and county, and the residence given and contained in said last affidavit of registration, which additional statement shall be printed or written upon the margin of such affidavit of re-registration before the said affidavit is signed, and shall be deemed a part thereof.

And in case any elector shall re-register the former registration shall thereupon be canceled.

Sub. 5. Whenever any elector, between the time of his or her last registration and the date for the closing of registration for any given election in the same county or city and county, shall have changed his or her residence, such elector shall procure from the county clerk or registrar of voters, an application for transfer, which application for transfer shall be printed upon a card suitable and of proper size for mailing, and shall be substantially in the following form:

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER.

COUNTY CLERK OR REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

IMPORTANT: Please Read This First.

If this card, properly filled out, is returned to this office, your name can be transferred to the address where you now reside. PROVIDED YOU HAVE REGISTERED SINCE JANUARY 1, 1928, UNDER THE PERMANENT REGISTRATION LAW.

I last registered from No._____ (Give street and number of your last address).
I now live at No._____ (Give street and number of your present address).
Exact location Apt. No._____, Flat No _____, Room No._____, Floor_____.
I have lived at my present address since_____ (Give month and day of moving).

NOTE: To vote you must have lived in the state one year, in the county three months, and in your precinct thirty days before election day.

Date_____. Name_____ (Sign your own name here in full).

NOTICE: All signatures on these removal notices are compared with the signatures on the original registration affidavits, and removal notices will not be accepted unless they are signed by the voter who signed the original registration affidavits.

Such application for transfer, when properly made out by the elector, and verified as to signature by the county clerk or registrar of voters, shall be deemed a part of the original affidavit of registration. And upon receipt of such application by mail, or otherwise, said county clerk or registrar of voters shall immediately cause the signature thereon to be compared with the signature upon the original affidavit of

registration; and if it shall appear that said signature is by the same person who signed the original affidavit of registration, he shall immediately cause said affidavit to be transferred to the proper precinct, as indicated upon said application, and the voter shall thereafter be entitled to vote in said precinct.

Sub. 6. No person shall be registered except as above provided, unless upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of the superior court directing such entry to be made.

SEC. 9. Section 1103 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1103. The person charged with the registration of voters in each county or city and county must preserve all uncanceled affidavits made before himself or his deputies for the purpose of procuring registration. Each affidavit shall continue in force and effect as a part of the register of voters until canceled according to law. The affidavits shall constitute the register required to be kept by the provisions of this chapter and the person charged with the registration of voters shall not copy the facts shown by the affidavits as part of his official duties. All provisions of law in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEC. 10. Section 1105 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1105. Cancellation is made by writing or stamping on the affidavit of registration the word "canceled," the reason therefor, and the date of such cancellation, and whenever an elector removes from one county to another county and registers in such other county, the county clerk in the former county of registration, upon being informed of such removal, either by the elector personally or through the provisions of section 1104 of this code, must likewise cancel and remove both the original and the duplicate affidavits of registration in such county. All canceled affidavits of registration must be preserved by the county clerk until the first day of April of the next year. The county clerk in distributing to each precinct the five indexes of registration, as required in section 1116 of this code, shall cross out of such indexes the names of all electors whose affidavits of registration from such precinct have been thus canceled.

SEC. 11. Section 1106 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1106. The registration of the elector provided for in this chapter shall be permanent for all purposes during the life of such elector, unless and until said affidavit of registration is canceled by said county clerk or registrar of voters for any of the causes herein specified. The clerk or registrar of voters must cancel the registration in the following cases:

1. At the request of the person registered.

2. When he knows of the death or removal from the county of the person registered.

3. When the insanity of the person registered is legally established.

4. Upon the production of a certified copy of a judgment of the conviction of any elector of any infamous crime, or of the embezzlement or misappropriation of any public money, in full force against the person registered, upon information of such conviction, obtained as hereinafter provided.

5. Upon the production of a certified copy of a judgment directing the cancellation to be made.

6. Upon a certificate of the board of election of any precinct sent up with the election returns, stating the death or removal from the county within their own knowledge of the person registered.

7. When it appears by the returns made by the board and clerks of election that the respective party did not vote at the next preceding general election.

8. The clerk shall cancel upon the great register every name found thereon which is found upon the register of deaths provided for by law.

9. Every judge before whom proceedings were had, which result in any person being declared incapable of taking care of himself and managing his property, and for whom a guardian of his person and estate is accordingly appointed, or which result in such person being committed to a state insane asylum as an insane person, shall file with the county clerk a certificate of that fact, and thereupon the clerk shall cancel the name of such person upon the great register if found thereon. When the county clerk or registrar of voters cancels the registration of any person for failure to vote as herein provided, he shall mail a notice to said person at the address given on said registration or at the address given upon the last application for transfer which shall have been submitted by said person as provided by section 1097 of the Political Code, stating that said registration has been by him canceled for said cause, and that the voter will be required to re-register as provided by law before he shall again be entitled to vote.

10. The county clerk shall also, in the first week of September in each year, examine the records of the courts having jurisdiction in case of infamous crimes and the embezzlement or misappropriation of public money within his county, and cancel upon the great register the names of all persons appearing thereon who shall have been convicted of an infamous crime, or of the embezzlement or misappropriation of public money in such court, and which conviction shall have been carried into effect.

SEC. 12. Section 1113 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1113. Within five days after the last day of registration for any election the clerk shall arrange the original affidavits of registration for each precinct in which such election is to be held, alphabetically by surnames in each precinct, and bind the

same into books with an alphabetical index, by fastening the left-hand edges together with a staple, cord or other suitable material. Each book shall have stated on the outside thereof the name or number of a precinct and shall contain all, and only, the original affidavits of registration of the electors residing within that precinct. The duplicate affidavits for the whole of each county shall, as fast as the registration progresses, be filed alphabetically without regard to precinct. In the case of duplicate affidavits this alphabetical arrangement shall be exact; and in the case of affidavits having the same surname such arrangement shall extend to the given or christian name, and, where necessary, to the middle name or initial

SEC. 13. Section 1115 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1115. Within five days after the binding of said books by precincts the clerk shall prepare an index of each book, said index to contain the names, occupations and addresses as they appear in said books.

Such names shall include Christian or given names, the middle name or initial, if any. The clerk shall have at least forty copies of said index printed for the use of said county, and he shall have printed and shall furnish to the municipalities within said county, such additional number of copies thereof, upon the payment by them of the county's cost, and not to exceed twenty copies, as the governing body of such municipalities shall by resolution require. The county clerk shall furnish upon written or oral demand of every candidate, who is to be voted for in said county, city, or city and county or any political subdivision of said county city, or city and county, or upon written demand of his campaign committee, one copy of a printed index of the registration, for such primary and general elections in which said candidates will participate, at a cost not to exceed the county cost. All such moneys collected shall be deposited in the county treasury, to the credit of the general fund. The number of copies of said index necessary to be printed shall apply only to the index prepared for use at general elections. In counties where indexes are prepared for primary elections, a smaller number of such indexes may be printed. The clerk shall have bound together in one or more volumes, a general index of said books arranged alphabetically by precincts, and shall keep at least one copy of said general index in his office for public reference. He shall also transmit one copy of said general index to the state librarian at Sacramento

SEC. 14. Section 1120 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1120. All persons shall be entitled to vote at the elections mentioned in section 1044 of this code, who come within the terms or comply with the requirements of this section.

1. Every person who was a qualified elector at the general state election immediately preceding the holding of any of the elections mentioned in section 1044 of this code, and who was registered as required by law as a qualified elector of any one of the precincts which together compose the special election or consolidated election precincts, and who continues to reside within the exterior boundaries of such special election or consolidated election precinct, until the time of the holding of the election provided for and held under said section 1044, and who voted at either one or both the August primary or general election of the even numbered year next preceding, shall be entitled to vote at said election, without other or additional registration, except as provided in the second paragraph of this section. All other persons, in order to be entitled to vote at any of the elections provided for in said section 1044, must be registered in the manner required by sections 1094, 1096 and 1097 of this code, as an elector of and within one of the precincts which composes the special election or consolidated election precinct wherein he claims to be entitled to vote. Such registration must be made and had in accordance with the provisions of section 1094, 1096 and 1097 of the Political Code; *provided*, that such registration shall be in progress at all times except during the thirty days immediately preceding any such municipal or special election held under said section 1044 of this code.

2. When any of the elections mentioned in section 1044 of this code is held on or after the first day of April of the year 1928, any person to be entitled to vote at such election must have been registered since the opening of registration on January 1, 1928, in the manner required by sections 1094, 1096 and 1097 of this code as an elector of and within one of the precincts which compose the special election or consolidated precinct wherein he claims to be entitled to vote

SEC. 15. Section 1121 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1121. The register used at each special election or consolidated election precinct, at the elections provided for in section 1044 of this code, provided such elections are not held on or after the first day of April in the year 1928, shall consist of the original affidavits of registration for the territory constituting such special election or consolidated election precinct, at the last general state election immediately preceding the holding of the election provided for in said section 1044, together with a supplement or supplements showing the additional names of the persons who by registration have since such general state election become entitled to vote at any of the elections to be held in such precinct, under said section 1044 of this code. In the event that precinct registers were used at the last preceding

general state election, then it shall be the duty of the county clerk or person clothed with the authority for the registration of voters, to furnish such original affidavits of registration with the supplements aforesaid, except for all school elections, for each of the special election or consolidated precincts, to the boards of election, respectively, in and for each such election precinct. No person shall be entitled to vote at any such election provided for in said section 1044 of this code, unless his name is registered by such original affidavit of registration, in the precinct within the exterior boundaries of the election precinct, or unless, according to the constitution and laws of this state, he is entitled to vote thereat. If any election provided for in section 1044 of this code is held on or after the first day of April, 1928, the register used at such special or consolidated election precinct at such election shall consist of the original affidavits of registration of those who had registered from the territory constituting such special or consolidated election precinct in said year 1928 and at least thirty-one days prior to such election.

SEC. 16. Section 1125 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1125. In all counties, and city and counties, (except in counties, and city and counties, which at the last general election prior to the time this act goes into effect had a registration of at least two hundred thousand electors, or which has a registrar of voters provided for by freeholders charter or by general law, but no board of election commissioners, other than the board of supervisors acting as such ex officio), the county surveyor shall upon written request and under the direction of the county clerk, or in counties, and city and counties, having a registrar of voters, from the registrar of voters, divide the county into election precincts and prepare detail precinct maps and exterior descriptions and copies thereof, and file the same with the board of supervisors not later than the first Monday in November of each odd-numbered year; *provided, however*, that the county shall be so divided into election precincts that there shall be as many as shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled at any election precinct not more than two hundred, as near as can be ascertained, and it is the duty of said board to adopt an order creating election precincts as prepared and described by said county surveyor and county clerk, not later than the second Monday in December of each said odd-numbered year; the county surveyor shall within fifteen days after receipt of said written request from the county clerk, or registrar of voters, change or alter any precinct boundaries, and prepare new detail maps and descriptions thereof, as directed by the county clerk, or registrar of voters, and file the same with the board of supervisors, who must at their next meeting adopt said precinct changes by order.

Whenever the boundaries of any precinct are changed or altered in accordance with this section, it shall be the duty of the county clerk or registrar of voters, to rearrange the affidavits of registration and place them in the proper precinct to which they belong as said precincts are reestablished, and make the necessary changes in the precinct names on said affidavits as required.

The county clerk, or registrar of voters, shall be, and he is hereby authorized to employ such help as is necessary to enable him to make such changes on affidavits of registration, at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day, and if found necessary to canvass the territory in order to ascertain the precinct of each person registered, he shall be allowed to employ such help as is necessary to make such changes, at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day and necessary traveling expenses for each clerk so employed on said work. The total amount to be expended for this work in any one county shall not exceed the sum of four cents per name for the total number of names appearing on the great register for said county at the last general election.

In all counties, or city and counties of this state, which at the last general election prior to the time this act goes into effect had a registration of at least two hundred thousand electors, or which has a registrar of voters provided for by freeholders charter or by general law, but no board of election commissioners, other than the board of supervisors acting as such ex officio, the board of supervisors, or other board having charge and control of elections in such county, or city and county, or, at its request, the county clerk or registrar of voters, shall, as soon before a general election as is convenient, proceed to divide such county, or city and county, into election precincts, of which there shall be as many as shall be sufficient to make the number of voters polled at any one election precinct to be not more than two hundred, as nearly as can be ascertained.

Any provisions found elsewhere in this code giving to the board of supervisors the power to establish, abolish, and change election precincts shall be subject to, and controlled by, the provisions of this section.

SEC. 17. Section 1142 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1142. (*a*) At each general election, and at each election, where other provisions are not made by law or charter, the election officers appointed for each precinct shall constitute a board of election for such precinct. Such board shall consist of one inspector, two judges, and three clerks; *provided*, that in any precinct in which the total registration does not exceed one hundred electors, or at any special election for selection of a board of freeholders or at which propositions, not exceeding four in number, are presented to the electors (including proposals for issuance of bonds, for annexation of territory, and adoption or amendment of a charter) or at any special election where other provisions as to election officers is not made by law, the board shall consist of one inspector, one judge and two clerks. Each of such officers shall

be a registered qualified elector of the precinct for which he is appointed and in which he acts and shall serve only in such precinct; *provided*, that in the case of consolidated election precincts the election officers appointed therefor and who act therein shall be registered qualified electors of one of the precincts of which such consolidated precinct is composed

(*b*) The board of supervisors, or other board having charge or control of elections in each of the counties, and cities and counties must, at least thirty days prior to an election, issue its order appointing the members of the several boards of election and designate the polling places unless otherwise provided herein or by law.

(*c*) If any of the election officers for any precinct, or the polling place therein, have not been designated, or cannot serve, by the twentieth day prior to any election, the county clerk or registrar of voters shall immediately appoint the election officers for that precinct, or designate the polling place therein, as the case may require.

(*d*) Any person who, having been regularly appointed as an election officer, shall without lawful excuse fail to act as such, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed thirty days or by both such fine and imprisonment. Any person serving as an election officer at any election, shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he, or she, is then engaged or employed; and such voter shall not, because of so absenting himself, or herself, be liable to any penalty nor shall any deduction be made on account of such absence, from his or her usual salary or wages, nor shall such person be suspended or discharged from any service or employment because of so absenting himself or herself. In appointing election officers preference shall so far as possible be given to any person, otherwise qualified, who has passed a civil service examination involving a test for a clerical position, or who has previously rendered satisfactory service as an election officer, if otherwise qualified. Any person may file an application for the position of an election officer on blanks prepared by the officer in charge of registration, which shall be substantially as follows:

APPLICATION TO SERVE AS ELECTION OFFICER.

State of California, } ss.
County of _____ }

My name in full is _____;
My residence is _____;
My occupation is _____;
I am employed at _____.
(Give place of employment.)

I am not, and have not been, within the last ninety days, employed in any capacity, other than that of election officer, or as a clerk engaged in the registration of voters, by the state, county, city and county, or incorporated city or own in which I now reside.

I have _____ acted as an election officer at an election.

(If applicant has previously acted as an election officer state the time and place when so acting and the nature of the office held, otherwise insert the word "not" after the word "have".)

I have _____ passed a civil service examination.

(If applicant has previously passed such examination state the time and place thereof and the position for which it was held, otherwise insert the word "not" after the word "have".)

My experience in clerical work has been as follows: _____
(state briefly)

For further information, I would refer to the following:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(Names and addresses of two or three well known citizens of the community, who are acquainted with the qualifications of applicant; to be filled out if applicant is not, through previous service or otherwise, already known to the appointing board)

I am now registered as an elector in this county (or city and county).

I can read and write the English language and all of the matter written in the foregoing answers is in my own handwriting.

_____
Signature of applicant.

In a city and county, the registrar of voters may require such applications to be sworn to and such registrar or his deputy shall take such oath without charge.

(*e*) No person shall be eligible to act as an officer of election who is not actually a resident of the precinct in which he, or she, acts and a registered and qualified elector thereof, or who has, within ninety days preceding such election, been employed in any capacity, other than that of an election officer, or as a clerk engaged

in the registering of electors, by the state, county, city and county, or incorporated city and town in which he resides.

(*f*) Upon filing a list of the names and addresses of those who have been appointed election officers the county clerk or registrar of voters shall immediately mail or deliver to each person appointed a notice that he, or she, has been appointed, stating therein the position to which he or she has been assigned, and the penalty for failure to serve, also such other matter as the county clerk or registrar of voters may determine. He shall also publish the names of the election officers appointed and polling places designated for each election precinct in some daily, or in case there is no daily then in a weekly newspaper published in the county or city and county where the election is to be held, for three successive issues, the last publication to be at least one week before the day such election is to be held. He shall also mail or deliver to each person appointed as inspector for any precinct immediately after such appointment a notice of the persons appointed to serve as election officers in that precinct. Said notice shall be substantially in the following form:

Office of the County Clerk (or Registrar of Voters),
County of_____.

NOTICE TO ELECTION OFFICERS.

To _____, inspector for _____precinct.

The polling place for the _____ precinct at the election to be held on _____, the _____ day of _____, is _____ and the board of election for said precinct is composed of the following persons:

Position	Name	Address
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

You, as inspector, must, before the polls are opened, see that each of these persons have taken the oath required by law and that no person is permitted to act as election officer unless he or she has taken such oath and actually resided in the precinct and is registered as an elector thereof and is not and has not been employed in any capacity, other than that of election officer, or as clerk engaged in the registering of electors, within ninety days of the election, by the state, county or city and county or by the incorporated city and town in which he, or she, resides. If any of these persons is not qualified to act or in case any of them do not appear at the opening of the polls, the qualified electors present, including members of the board, shall appoint in his or her place one who is qualified who shall take the required oath of office which will be found set forth in the tally list.

_____,
County clerk (or other official.)

Accompanying said noitce shall be an oath of office in blank which shall be immediately sworn to by the inspector free of charge before any officer authorized to *administer oaths, and before performing any of the duties required of him,* and which oath shall be returned to the county clerk or registrar of voters within twenty-four hours after receipt thereof Said oath shall be substantially in the following form:

State of California. }
County of_____, } ss.

I do solemnly swear (or affirm, as the case may be), that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of inspector on the board of election for _____ precinct according to the best of my ability.

_____.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 19____.

_____.
(Name and designation of official before whom taken.)

(*g*) On the day of election and before entering upon the performance of their duties, each of the other election officers shall take a similar oath before said inspector, or in case he is not present, before any other of themselves, each of whom is for this purpose authorized to administer an oath. Such oaths shall be taken and subscribed upon a form which shall be provided for that purpose in the tally list for that precinct.

(*h*) No person shall be eligible to act as a member of any election board who can not read and write the English language, nor shall any person be appointed an election officer or act as such who is not at the time in every respect qualified to act as such election officer, except as hereinbefore provided, nor shall any person so appointed serve as such until he has taken the oath required. The inspector, judges and clerks upon each board of election shall distribute the extra duties

devolving upon such board of election, in addition to their own duties, in such a manner as they themselves shall deem most advantageous, and such extra duties assigned to the several officers or clerks of board of election by other sections of this code shall be performed by the members of each board as the said duties have been distributed in accordance with this provision. Not more than two members of any board of election shall be absent from the polling place at any one time. Such board of election shall canvass the votes for such precinct, and must be present at the closing of the polls. The members of said board shall relieve each other in the duties of canvassing the ballots, which may be conducted by at least four members of the board, *provided* that there shall always be two members simultaneously keeping the tally sheets, and always two members looking at the vote on the ballot from which one of said two members is reading; *and provided, further*, that the final certificate shall be signed by a majority of the whole.

(*i*) In any city and county having a registrar of voters all preliminary or other lists of persons qualified to act as election officers and all appointments of election officers shall be made by said registrar of voters and he shall have power to excuse persons appointed from serving whenever he is satisfied any such person ought to be excused, and to substitute new appointees in all cases when any person appointed shall be excused or found disqualified or deemed incompetent down to a time when said registrar of voters shall send a final or amended list of such election officers to the inspector, for the precinct, which list shall be the registrar's final order of appointment for such precinct; such appointments shall be in the form prescribed in subdivision (*f*) of this section, and in addition shall have at the head thereof the words in capitals, "Final precinct list of election officers."

In a city and county having such a registrar of voters he may require inspectors of election who have been appointed to take the oath of office at the office of said registrar of voters at least ten days before the day of election, and if such inspector shall refuse or fail to so take such oath of office said registrar may substitute and appoint an inspector and administer such oath of office to such newly appointed inspector. In a city and county the publication of the list of election officers referred to in this section, may, in the discretion of the registrar of voters, be made only once.

SEC. 18. Section 1151 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1151. The city council or other board having charge and control of the elections of any municipality shall appoint a board of election for each election or consolidated election precinct, to consist of one inspector, two judges and three clerks for each municipal election provided for by said section 1044 of this code, held within that municipality, and the board of supervisors or other board having charge and control of elections shall appoint a board of election to consist of one inspector, one judge and two clerks for every other election provided for by said section, who shall apportion among themselves the work required in the conduct of such election within their respective election precincts; *provided*, that at any nomination or general municipal election held under the provision of a freeholders' charter, the board or governing body charged with the conduct of such elections, may by majority consent, appoint a board of elections for each election precinct, to consist of one inspector, one judge, and two clerks. The members of such boards shall be appointed, and when appointed shall act, as provided for by section 1142 of this code. But one tally list, and one copy of such tally list, as provided for in section 1261 of this code, need be kept, and but one book of original affidavits of registration need be furnished for use at each precinct, which shall be returned to the proper officers with the official returns, in the manner provided for the returns at a general election.

SEC. 19. Section 1174 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1174. The following is the form of tally lists to be kept by boards and clerks of election:

Tally Lists.

Names of persons voted for, and for what office, containing the number of votes given for each candidate

Governor.	Representative in Congress.	Members of the Legislature.	
		Senate.	Assembly.

We hereby certify that A. B. had_____votes for governor, and C. D. had_____votes for governor, that E. F. had_____votes representative in congress, etc.

G. H.,
J. K.,
Clerks.

A. B.,
C. D.,
E. F.,
Board of election.

SEC. 20. Section 1192 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1192. Nomination papers required to be filed with the secretary of state or with the county clerk shall be filed not more than eighty-five days nor less than sixty-one days before the day of election, when the nomination is made by electors, as provided in section 1188 of this code.

Nomination papers required to be filed with the clerk or secretary of the legislative body of any city or town, shall be filed not more than forty days nor less than twenty days before the day of election, when the nomination is made by electors as provided in section 1188 of this code.

SEC. 21. Section 1195*b* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1195*b*. The secretary of state shall furnish each county clerk in the state not less than thirty-five days before the election next ensuant at which such amendments, propositions, measures or questions are to be voted on, certify such pamphlet and the matters contained therein with not more than one and one-twentieth times as many copies of such pamphlets as there are registered voters in his county. The clerk of each county shall not more than thirty days, nor less than fifteen days prior to said election cause to be mailed to each voter a copy of such pamphlet and no other publication of such amendments, propositions, measures, questions or statements shall be necessary or authorized. Three copies of such pamphlets, to be supplied by the secretary of state, shall be kept at every polling place, while an election is in progress, so that they may be freely consulted by the electors.

SEC. 22. Section 1204 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1204. Any person desiring to vote shall write his or her name and address (or if he or she be unable to write, shall have the same written for him or her) on a roster of voters provided for that purpose and announce the same to one of the election officers, who shall then in an audible tone of voice announce the same, and if another election officer finds the name on the register, he shall in a like manner repeat the name and address, whereupon a challenge may be interposed as provided in sections 1230 and 1600 of this code. In case the surname of any female person offering to vote has been changed by reason of marriage or divorce since registration such person shall sign her name as it was before such marriage or divorce and also her name as it is at the time she votes, indicating on the roster by brackets or other means, that the two names are the name of one person. In all cases except in those where the name and address of the voter is written on the roster of voters for him, as above provided, it shall be the duty of the election officer, in the presence and view of the bystanders to compare the signature of the voter on the roster of voters with the signature of that person on the register and no ticket shall be given such voter until such comparison of signatures shall have been made and until such a comparison has been made, as aforesaid, the right of a voter to vote may be challenged. If the challenge be overruled, the election officer shall give the voter a ticket and the voter shall be allowed to enter the place enclosed by the guard rail as above provided. The election officer shall give him but one general ticket and where any city, city and county or town officers are to be elected also one municipal ticket and only one ballot of each kind and in order to prevent voters from marking their ballots with a pencil, or otherwise contrary to law, it shall be the duty of the election officer whenever he shall deliver a ballot to any voter to then orally distinctly state to him, so that it may be heard by the bystanders, that he must mark the ballot with the stamp provided by law or it will not be counted

SEC. 23. Section 1205 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1205. On receiving his ballot the elector shall forthwith, and without leaving the enclosed space, retire alone to one of the places, booths or compartments provided, to prepare his ballot. In voting he shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the name of every candidate for whom he intends to vote, and this shall be counted as a vote for each person after whose name the voter has stamped such cross, or he may vote for a candidate or person whose name is not printed on the ballot by writing a name for such office in the blank space left therefor, in which latter case the vote of such voter for that office shall be counted for the person whose name is so written. Where two or more candidates for the same office are to be elected, and the voter desires to vote for candidates for that office, he must stamp a cross (X) after the names of all the candidates for that office for whom the voter desires to vote, not exceeding, however, the number of candidates who are to be elected.

In case of a question, proposition or constitutional amendment, submitted to the vote of the electors, the voter shall mark his ballot by stamping in the appropriate voting square a cross (X) opposite the answer he desires to give as to such question, proposition or constitutional amendment. All crosses shall be made only with a stamp, which with necessary pads and ink, shall be provided by the officers who by law are required to furnish election supplies for each booth or compartment provided for the marking and preparation of ballots. Before leaving such booth or compartment the elector shall fold his ballot in such a manner that the number of the ballot shall appear on the outside thereof, without displaying the marks on the

face thereof, and shall keep it folded until he has voted. Having folded his ballot, the voter shall deliver it folded to the inspector, who shall announce in an audible tone of voice the name of the voter.

The ballot clerk having in charge the copy of the index to the register or affidavits of registration shall, in like manner, repeat the name and shall write opposite the name the word "voted," or write, in figures, the number designating the position of the name on the roster.

The inspector shall then separate the slip containing the number from the ballot, deposit the ballot in the box and immediately destroy such number slip.

SEC. 24. Section 1210 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1210. The county clerk of each county, or, in case of separate city or town elections, the clerk or secretary of the legislative body of such city or town, shall cause to be printed, on plain white paper, without watermark, at least as many copies of the form of ballot provided for use in each voting precinct as there shall be registered voters in such precinct. Such copy shall be designated "sample ballot" upon the face thereof. Said clerk or secretary shall commence to mail the same, postage prepaid, to registered voters not more than thirty, nor less than fifteen days before the day fixed by law for such election, and shall have all of the same mailed at least seven whole days before the day of election; *provided*, that not more than one sample ballot shall be furnished to any one voter; *and further provided*, that for any general election the number of sample ballots printed shall not exceed the total registration by more than fifteen per cent of such registration. Such clerk or secretary shall also enclose in the envelope with each of said ballots a card stating the location of the precinct polling place of each elector. Only official matter shall be sent in such envelope. Such clerk or secretary shall cause to be printed in large, clear type, on cards, instructions for the guidance of electors in obtaining and marking their ballots, and he shall furnish such cards to the board of election in each election precinct in his county, at the same time and in the same manner as the printed ballots and sample ballots. The board of election shall post at least one of such cards in each booth or compartment provided for the preparation of ballots, and not less than three of such cards at other places in and about the polling place, on the day of election. Sections 1214 and 1215 of this code, and section 61 of the Penal Code, shall also be printed on each of said cards.

SEC. 25. Section 1229 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1229. The clerk, who has charge of the precinct index to voters, must write in the blank space in front of the name of the elector the word "voted" or designate the number as shown on the roster of voters, for each elector who votes.

SEC. 26. Section 1261 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1261. The board must, before it adjourns, enclose in packages which must be sealed and directed to the county clerk, or to the registrar of voters if there be one, in their county, or city and county, the hereinafter designated supplies and records of the election. In one package shall be enclosed one tally list, the challenge list, the death and removal list, one list of assisted voters, and all affidavits of election officers assisting voters; in one package shall be enclosed the roster of voters, one tally list, the copy of the precinct index to voters showing names of electors voted as kept by the election clerk, and one list of assisted voters; in one package shall be enclosed the spoiled, cancelled and unused ballots; and in one package shall be enclosed the voted ballots. The register shall be returned separately in a sealed envelope to the county clerk; *provided, however*, that the county clerk may open such envelope upon receipt thereof at the office of such county clerk.

The board must also immediately transmit, unsealed to the county clerk, a copy of the result of the votes cast at the polling place, which copy must be signed by the members of the board, and which shall be open to the inspection of the public.

The board must also, before it adjourns, post conspicuously, on the outside of the polling place, a copy of the result of the votes cast at such polling place, which copy shall be signed by the members of the board.

It shall be a misdemeanor for any person to remove or deface such posted copy of the result or to delay or change the copy to be delivered to the county clerk.

SEC. 27. Section 1262 of the Political Code is hereby repealed.

SEC. 28. Section 1264 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1264. The member to whom such packages are delivered, must, without delay, deliver such packages without their having been opened, to the county clerk, nearest postmaster, or sworn express agent, who shall endorse on such packages the name of the party delivering them, and date of such delivery. If delivered to a postmaster, or express agent, such postmaster or express agent shall forward the packages by the first mail or express to the county seat. In the city and county of San Francisco, such packages must be delivered to the registrar of voters within three hours from the time of adjournment of the board, which time of adjournment must be endorsed upon such package, and upon each poll list, in ink or indelible pencil, and signed by a majority of the members of such board. In the city and county of San Francisco the packages must be put up and sealed in the following manner, by an inspector and at least three other members of the board, and be signed by their respective signatures across (flap) the same written.

One package to contain the voted ballots only; one package to contain tally list only; one package to contain the precinct registers only, one package to contain index to register, list of voters challenged, and list of assisted voters; and one package to contain the unused ballots.

SEC. 29. Section 1265 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1265. On receipt of the packages the clerk must file the one containing ballots, and must keep it unopened and unaltered for six months, after which time, if there is not a contest commenced in some tribunal having jurisdiction about such election, he shall thereafter destroy the package without opening or examining its contents; *provided, however*, that after the time limited for a contest, and in the event any contests have been commenced, then after said ballots have been opened and counted by the superior court in said contest, a judge of the superior court of the county wherein said ballots were voted may order said packages to be opened for inspection in any case being tried in his court where he has jurisdiction of the same, whenever he shall deem it necessary to inspect the ballots contained in said packages in order to produce testimony to establish the proof of any material issue of fact arising in the course of the trial of said case. In no event shall the said packages, or any of them, or the ballots contained therein, be taken from the custody of the county clerk.

Whenever said packages, or any of them, shall have been inspected and examined, and a record made of the testimony therein contained, the same shall be restored to the exclusive control and custody of the county clerk, who shall reseal the packages with the ballots contained therein, and keep the same until he shall thereafter destroy them, in accordance with the direction of this section; *provided, further*, that if in any congressional district within this state there has been or shall be filed a contest of the election of any person declared to have been elected a member of congress, and the county clerk or registrar of voters in any county or city and county be notified by the contestant, that such congressional election contest is pending then and in that case such county clerk or registrar of voters shall not destroy the ballots in that county or city and county, or in the part or portion thereof within such congressional district in which such contest is pending, until the final determination of such contest before the house of representatives of the congress of the United States, and such county clerk or registrar of voters shall hold such ballots in his custody subject to the inspection of any committee of the house of representatives or subcommittee thereof, having in charge the investigation of such contest, and shall produce such ballots for examination before any such committee of the house of representatives or subcommittee or before any commissioner designated by such congressional committee or subcommittee or before any officer designated by act of congress and duly selected to take depositions and proof in any such contest of the election of any person to congress.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "twenty-four thousand nine hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "twenty-five thousand".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "state treasury" following the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state school land fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not otherwise appropriated".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 and 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The sum of twenty-two thousand three hundred six dollars and fifty-nine cents ($22,306 59) is".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. G. Celio & Sons, against the State of California, $118.44.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the following words: "any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the highway maintenance fund".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy Company against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark & Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. J. and T. D. Borie against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G. Johnson against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J. H. Newman against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft Way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies by the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "no" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "which is not or will not at the time of delivery of title or possession be".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "inclusive of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

That lines 20 to 39 on page 4, of the printed bill, be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof

Eighth—Whenever between the first day of July and the last Monday in April of the succeeding year and prior to the receipt by the school districts of their state, county or city and county or special or high school fund, the school districts of a county or city and county shall not have sufficient money to their credit to meet current expenses of maintenance, it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors of said county or city and county to order, and of the treasurer of said county or of said city and county to make, a temporary transfer from any fund of said county or said city and county, not immediately needed to pay claims against it, to the proper school fund an amount not to exceed eighty-five per cent of the amount of tax moneys which will accrue to such school district during such fiscal year, and upon the making of such transfer the treasurer shall immediately notify the superintendent of the amount so transferred. The funds so transferred to the credit of a school district shall be retransferred by the treasurer to the fund from which they were taken from the first moneys accruing to such school district and before any other obligation of such school district is paid from such moneys so accruing.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "forty" and insert the word "twenty" in lieu thereof.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of clerks of school districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to repeal article V, part III, title VI, chapter I of the Political Code, being sections 2429 to 2447, inclusive, relating to pilots and pilot commissioners.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections two thousand four hundred thirty-six and two thousand four hundred sixty-eight of the Political Code, relating to pilotage.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 24, inclusive, and strike out all of page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2436 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2436. Pilots for all the ports in this state, other than San Francisco, Mare island, Benicia, and Humboldt bay, are governed by the following regulations:

1. They must keep, for the purpose of piloting, at least one boat for every six pilots, in good condition, and seaworthy, sufficiently large to cruise in heavy weather, to be exclusively used as a pilot-boat.

2. They must cruise at least ten marine miles seaward from the headlands at the entrance of the port;

3. They shall receive for piloting every vessel into or out of port the sum of eight dollars per foot draft; *provided, however*, that all vessels shall be exempt from all pilotage unless a pilot be actually employed;

4. For incompetency, neglect of duty, or other good cause, the Governor may suspend or remove any pilot appointed by him;

5. They must strictly observe and obey all legally established quarantine regulations.

SEC. 2. Section 2468 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2468. All vessels shall be exempt from all pilotage unless a pilot is actually employed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 14 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved

May 23, 1917, relating to proceedings before the Industrial Accident Commission in certain death benefit cases.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to procedure before the Industrial Accident Commission following death of compensation claimants.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a board of medical examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "twenty" strike out the word "first" and insert in lieu thereof the word "second"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the remainder of the line, and all of lines 9 and 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following "fifty-eighth, fifty-ninth, sixtieth, sixty-second, sixty-third, sixty-fourth, sixty-sixth and sixty-seventh assembly districts shall constitute the eighth congressional district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the remainder of line 12 and all of lines 13 and 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifty-first, fifty-second, fifty-third, fifty-fourth, sixty-first, sixty-eighth and sixty-ninth assembly districts shall constitute the ninth congressional district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act shall become effective at the same time as an act entitled "An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the state into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act" enacted at the forty-seventh regular session of the Legislature in 1927 and shall not go into effect until or unless the above mentioned act becomes effective. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not effect the validity of the remaining parts of the act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that

any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out lines 37, 38, 39, and 40.

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 570.

MOTION.

On motion of Mr. Jones, unanimous consent to continue consideration of Assembly Bill No 570 until after recess was granted.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 570, under consideration at time of recess, was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a State park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park," at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19½ of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act" approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17½2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322½31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1081—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and duties of the county horticultural commissioner; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., *Chairman.*

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 1240—An act to amend section 52 of and to add a new section to be designated section 52½ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts', approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' " approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented

By Mr. Witter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Clowdsley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act relating to the advertising and specifications for bids for patented materials or processes for paving or surfacing of public highways, roads and streets and requiring the advertisement and specifications for bids to admit bids for unpatented pavements or surfacing materials.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 568—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English

language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 509—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*b*, relating to the powers and duties of governing boards of school districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1721 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 321—An act empowering the State Board of Health, the State Department of Education and the State Department of Public Welfare to carry on their respective functions for the benefit of the Indians of California to the extent that the cost of such services shall be provided for by the Congress of the United States through federal appropriations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to schools

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 193—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 141—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2261 and 2262, relating to establishment of kindergarten service for the blind and for vocational training in schools for the blind.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 86—An act to amend section 1740 of the Political Code, relating to meeting places of high school boards.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 355—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 102—An act granting to the city of Eureka tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Eureka, and regulating the management, use and control thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 570 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Hornblower, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, West, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—47.

NOES—Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—30.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto: to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses, and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 264 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman,

Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—68

NOES—Miller, James A., and Oliva—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with notice given on a previous day, Mr. Carter moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 604 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "white" and insert in lieu thereof the word "yellow".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 604, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifty-three minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—Proposed amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution, relative to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Brock, Deuel, Gant, and Jewett—4.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Coombs moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and of officers, employees and attaches."

Amendment adopted.

Title read, as amended, and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 22.

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting therefor hereby propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by amending section 23*a* of article IV to read as follows:

Sec. 23*a*. The Legislature may provide for additional help; but for the regular biennial sessions the expenses for officers, employees and attaches shall not exceed the sum of four hundred fifty dollars per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of three hundred fifty dollars per day for the Senate, and at the special or extraordinary sessions such expenses shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of two hundred fifty dollars per day for the Senate. The law providing for the officers, employees and attaches and their compensation, shall remain in force subject to change, amendment or repeal by the Legislature. No increase shall be made in the compensation of any officer, employee, or attache, after he shall have been elected or appointed. The Legislature shall provide for the selection of all officers, employees and attaches of both houses, and each house may fix the compensation of its officers, employees, and attaches, and, so far as advisable, shall require such selection to be under the provisions of the law governing civil service.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—Relative to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Just, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A. Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Walters, and Wright—2.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 28.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section to article IV thereof to be numbered 25¾, relating to boxing and sparring matches or exhibitions.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-seventh regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of this State by adding a new section to article IV thereof, to be numbered 25¾ to read as follows:

SEC. 25¾. The Legislature may provide for the supervision, regulation and conduct, in such manner as it may determine, of boxing or sparring matches or exhibitions of not more than twelve rounds of not more than three minutes duration for each round. All moneys, except such sum as the Legislature shall appropriate annually to defray the expenses of the State Athletic Commission of California and to pay the salaries of officers and employees as provided by law, received by the State from license fees, taxes or other means, on or in relation to boxing or sparring matches or exhibitions, shall be and are hereby appropriated for the purpose of maintaining such homes for the care of veterans of any war of the United States as may be existing at the time this amendment becomes effective, or that may be established by the laws of this State. Such moneys shall be apportioned as the Legislature of the State of California may direct.

Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f* and 363*g* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill as amended in the Assembly on March 22, 1927, strike out the word, "rights".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on March 22, 1927, after the word "engineer", insert the following "and he shall receive a salary of five thousand dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on March 22, 1927, after the word "engineer", insert the following "and he shall receive a salary of ten thousand dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on March 22, 1927, after the word "architect", insert the following "and he shall receive a salary

of five thousand dollars per annum. The chief of the division of water rights shall receive a salary of five thousand dollars per annum".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Feigenbaum as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1119, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act," creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems; for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley, comprised within the district, with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto River and its tributaries, and for the protecting the water sheds from fire; and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, and improving, expending and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization; and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 554 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Conservation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 554 to Committee on Conservation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jost moved that Assembly Bill No. 826 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 826 to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682.60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Deuel moved that Assembly Bill No. 1128 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No 1128 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 4268a, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "annum" strike out the period, insert a semicolon and add the following: "he may also appoint one deputy assessor for four months of each year at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and one deputy assessor for five months of each year at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month. All fees or commissions which may heretofore have been collected, or which may hereafter be collected, under the provisions of law and which have heretofore been allowed the county assessor for his own benefit shall hereafter be paid to the county treasurer to be deposited in the general fund of the county. The provisions of this subsection relating to the appointment of the two deputy assessors by the county assessor do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect ninety-one days after the final

adjournment of the one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven session of the Legislature."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 21 and 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

12. The surveyor fifteen dollars per day when engaged in county work. He shall also receive his actual and necessary expenses when at work in the field.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 344, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOODBRIDGE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wemple moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committe of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 14 and 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

12. The surveyor ten dollars per day when engaged in county work. He shall also receive his actual and necessary expenses when at work in the field.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 and 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

16. License collector. The license collector, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 25, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

17 Jurors. For attending as a grand juror or a trial juror in both civil and criminal cases, in the superior court, for each day's attendance, three dollars; for each mile actually traveled one way as such grand juror or trial juror in both civil and criminal cases, in the superior court, under summons or order of the court, twenty-five cents The county clerk shall certify to the auditor the number of days attendance, and the number of miles traveled by each juror, and the auditor shall then draw his warrant therefor and the treasurer shall pay the same.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wemple as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 131, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WEMPLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Miller, James A., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Miller, James A., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 123, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MILLER, JAMES A., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, March 25, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 25, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little,

Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Neilsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Wright moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

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

On motion of Mr. Brock, Mr. Witter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Walters, Mr. Duval was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, Mr. W. F. Young, principal, Mrs. Leona C. Humphrey, teacher, of the Dixon Union High School of Dixon, California, and the following pupils: Joe Truffini, Paul Fuchow, Ernest Dietrich, Willard Van Sant, Della Mace, Eula McGrew, Helen Ashby, Oruska Saltzen, Clara Pedrick, Elizabeth Bibby, Elsie Reimers, Nina Van Pelt, Henry Buhlert, Cecil McCoy, Ed Morgan and Harold Dickie, and Mrs. Viola Brown and Mrs. Olga Sipura, guests accompanying pupils, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Planing Mill Workers, Owners and Managers, in convention at Sacramento, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, Mrs. Herbert McDowell of Fresno was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Wemple, Mr. J. H. Hunter, president of the Supervisors Association, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Charles Culbert of Jackson was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Judge Walter E. Herzinge of Redding, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Judge James W. Bartlett of Weaverville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Mabel Zimmer of Toronto, Canada, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. H. C. Fumming of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roberts, Mr. John D. Drake of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roberts, Mr Lawrence Sledge of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Paul Heisinger and son, Donald, of Denver, Colorado, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, the eighth grade classes of the Lottie Grunsky School, Stockton, accompanied by their principal, Mr. John MacDonald, and Miss Marie Meier, Miss Katherine Donelon, Mrs. Frederickson, Mrs. Cairglia, Mr. Code, Mrs. Hackabay, Mrs. Marion Tredway, Mrs. Battaglia, and pupils: Shirley Rasch, Louise Fortner, Vivian Desper, Nelle McGinely, Constance Storms, Ardath Shackelford, Patrick Zilembe, Glenn Fredrickson, Lorin Anderson, Arthur Caviglia, Augusta Battaglia, Harriet Podesto, Genevieve Brunner, Julius Neubarth, Jack Skotland, Robert Gray, Doris Dunn, Josephine Da Valle, Lucille Freitas, Janice McLaughin, Jack Colhoeur, Alice Carr, George Hull, Robert Nelson, Kenneth Miller, Naomi Rolphe, Fern Clemens, Hazel Webb, Ada Moore, Frank Chinchola, Lester Fifield, Harold Ackerman, William McNee, Floyd Paddock, George Booker, John Cade, Elsie Smith, Helen Tredway, Charles Evans, Eddie Dell'Ara and Bob Stone were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. Bradley Grover, principal; Nora McAndrews, Ruth Hoerl, teachers of the Fair Oaks School, Stockton, and the following pupils of the eighth grade: Violet Hansen, Agnes Cain, LaVerne Atwood, Edith Hayford, Audrey Faulkner, Lida Rossi, Virginia Beery, Juanita LaBrada, Pearl Barnes, Jewel Dougherty, Dora Barry, Azalda Voyer, Helen Beyett, Arta Babcock, Frank Spino, Melvin Mazzera, James Nakashima, Leonard Dougherty, Marcus Brown, Alan Thomas and Jack Ghiglieri were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mrs. Youngberg, Miss Hill and Mr. Gibson, teachers of the Pittsburg Grammar School, and the fol-

lowing pupils: Nuzio Leondine, Joe Tonso, Mamie Flores, Salvatore Genvese, Sam Russo, John Aiello, Theresa Banchio, Rose Lucido, Frances Guildi, Raymond Peirano, John DeVito, Mary Evola, Helen Catiello, Jack King, James Lanz, Billy Lanz, Alberta Jackson, Salvatore Riccabona, Norris Teakle, Mary Bruno, Fannie DiMercurio, Ellen Moore, Grace Lucido, Ursala Haynes, Mike Billeci, Peter Costanza, Herbert Colombo, Dorothy Christian, Ratzi Trezzi, Tony Anello, Russell Steiner, Neno Russo, Natalie Silveria, Constance Cardinalli, Joe Bruno, George South, Adolph Panfili, Salvatore Russo, Peter Abernathy, Basel Rebstock, Janice McFaul, Helen Walker, Lillian Cavagnola, Nora Bruno, Frances Cardinalli, Raymond Williamson, Annie Marie Parker, Edna Synider, Mary Meratta, Leslie Brown, Rose Mercurio, Elsie Lesteck, Dorothy Sturgis, Frank Arcidiacono, Cocino Bruno, Marjorie Cleary, Evelyn Caruso, Marie Russo, Angelina Costanza, Eddie Lopez, Jennie Carine, John Evola, Dorothy Spucito, Lucy Bruno, Rose Cardinalli, Salvatore Costanza, Jennie Promesso, Mike Pappas, Rose Siino, Charlie Gambino, Jennie Bruno, Neda Costanza, Annie Cavallier, Carl Stovall, Charles Patterson, Hazel Davis, John Pardi, Henry Summer, Neno Siino, Frances Rogers, Marie Gaspardone, Salvatore Davi, Mary Bruno, Mary Davi, Antonina Costanza, Frances Terranova, Jim Bruno, Tony Troia, Camille Allen, Joe Circo, Peter Bannano, Joe Mercurio, Horace Smario, Neno Billeci, Frances Chiparo, Angelina Billeci, Manuel Canciamello, Elwood Flemming, Frank Cardinalli, Esther Mabey, Bemina Colma, Dorothy Messick, Aden Irving, Mary Tonso, Victornia Scribante, George Burris, Vincent Zeno, Ruth Woolcolt, Mary Louise Baker, Ruth Haag, Barbara Ford, Walter Whitman, Annie Buzacott, Evelyn Webb, Laura Fisher, Rosalie Lucido, Ratzi Costanza, Sally Partnico, Rose Catania, Roland MacDonald, Ratzi Davi, Frank Olvera, Eivor Holst, Santina Bennetti, Leonore Azevedo, Vivian Yeaton, Barney Davi, Pearl Pugmire, Annie Felix, Vincent Jimno, Edda Botto, Clarice Jackson, John Russo, Lewis Campbell, Helen Work, Tony Tapello, Steve Beratta, Martin Christian, Emma Davis, Circo DeMercurio, Dorothy Fennenbock, Virginia Turner, Malcolm Champlin, Lena Ferranti, Mamie Davi, Neno Davi, Mike Scotto, Florence Cardinalli, Sara Billeci, Ben Puente, Bradford Champlin, Mary Catherine Irving, Rosie Aiello, Vincent Davi, Andrew Russo, Catherine South and Rose Scotto were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

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

By Mr Speaker:

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, March 18, 1927.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the Lower House of the State Legislature

GENTLEMEN At a regular meeting of Stanton Post No 55, Department of California and Nevada, Grand Army of the Republic, a motion was made and carried most heartily endorsing the request of Peter H. Mass, Department Commander of the California and Nevada Grand Army of the Republic, asking that the appropriation for improvements at the Veterans' Home near Yountville, Napa County, California, be doubled so that two new barracks can be erected during the ensuing two years instead of only one.

Stanton Post No. 55 has a membership of 500 members, veterans of the Civil War, who are deeply interested in this measure, and all that pertains to the defenders of our country.

Very truly yours,

HARVEY LUNDY, Commander.

Also:

Resolution No. 26945 (new series), as follows

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 650, introduced by Senator Lyon, if passed, would remove all discretionary powers of this board of supervisors and every other board of supervisors in granting franchises for private toll bridge projects; and

WHEREAS, This would be accomplished by the provision that, if a bridge project merely complies with the various State and federal laws and regulations, the supervisors of the county on the left-bank "shall grant the application by an order entered in its minutes and particularly describing the bridge"; and

WHEREAS, Under this provision, this board would be mandated immediately to grant bay bridge franchises for apparently five surface bridges and two subsurface tube projects which claim to comply with existing Federal regulations; thereby creating unbearable financial confusion, engendering litigation, removing all prospect that the existing War Department restrictions would ever be modified, and making it impossible for this board to select a bridge location properly based upon the advice of consulting engineers; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this board hereby shall proceed to do its utmost to bring about the defeat of Senate Bill No. 650; and be it further

Resolved, That to this end this board's legislative committee is hereby instructed to make this a main object of its work at Sacramento; that the delegates of this board to the State Supervisors' Convention are hereby instructed to seek similar action on the part of that body, and that copies of this resolution shall be sent to the Governor, the presidents of the Senate and the Assembly, the committees of the Senate and Assembly having this matter in hand and the individual members of the Senate and Assembly.

Adopted by the board of supervisors March 7, 1927.

Ayes—Supervisors Badaracco, Byington, Colman, Deasy, Gallagher, Harrelson, Havenner, Hayden, Kent, Marks, McSheehy, Powers, Roncovieri, Schmidt, Shannon, Stanton, Todd—17.

Absent—Supervisor Bath—1

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk

Approved March 18, 1927.

JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor

Also:

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
State Capitol, Sacramento, California.

DEAR SENATOR: At a meeting of 1200 journeymen barbers held March twenty-first, I was instructed to write to you and solicit your good office for the passage through the Assembly of Senate Bill No. 99—Barbers' Sanitation Law. This bill has the endorsement of 8000 shop owners and 15,000 journeymen barbers in California and is a protective measure along sanitary lines.

The barbers of California, both shop owners and journeymen, are seeking this piece of legislation as a protective measure for the future barber along the lines of trying to inaugurate decent and efficient colleges for the same. The only objection that we meet at the present time comes from the so-called barber colleges that now exist. They have no regulation, nothing to govern their business, and nothing to protect the student who may enter their institution.

The barber bill is based on scientific educational requirements that have been endorsed by the International Association of Master Barbers and the International Journeymen Barbers. And, as I have said before, has the united support of all the shop owners and journeymen barbers in California.

My association would be very happy to have you lend your support on behalf of the passage of this measure without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 99 has received the endorsement of the State Federation of Labor, the State Building Trades Council, the State Board of Education, the State Board of Health, the Federation of Women's Clubs, the Hotel Men's Association and various chambers of commerce, so you can see that it is not a labor nor a capitalistic measure, but one that will perform civic benefit.

Hoping that you will give this your earnest support, I remain

Fraternally yours,

DANIEL T. TATTENHAM,
Secretary-Treasurer, California State Federation of Journeymen Barbers.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, March 21, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
State Capitol, Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: At a meeting of the council of the city of Los Angeles, held March 21, 1927, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is now pending before the city of Los Angeles the important question of establishing a municipal airport; and,

WHEREAS, It is deemed necessary that a certain bill pending before the State Legislature, to wit, Assembly Bill No. 54, relating to the establishment of airports by municipalities, be amended; and

WHEREAS, In the opinion of this council, section 1 of said bill should be amended as follows:

"Any city and county, or county, or city, operating under a freeholders charter, or otherwise, or any town or any municipal corporation in the State of California, is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire by purchase, condemnation, donation, lease, or otherwise, real or personal property, or to use any real property owned by it within or without its corporate limits for a site upon which an airport or airports may be maintained and upon which any such city and county, or county, or city, or town, or municipal corporation, may erect and maintain, or permit the erection and maintenance of hangars, flying fields, and all places for flying, taking off and landing of aircraft and the storage of the same when not in active use." Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the council of the city of Los Angeles hereby endorses said amendment and respectfully recommends to the Legislature of the State of California that said Assembly Bill No. 54 be amended in the manner above indicated and that the city attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to present such amendment, in proper form, to the Legislature for its action.

Respectfully,

BOYLE WORKMAN, President of the Council.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, March 22, 1927.

Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the House,
State Legislature, Sacramento, California.

HONORABLE SIR: The following resolution was unanimously adopted by the executive committee of the Church Federation of Los Angeles:

Be it resolved, By the executive committee of the Church Federation of Los Angeles that the report of the commission for the reform of criminal procedure, be and the same is hereby approved.

Be it further resolved, That the members of the Legislature of the State of California be and they are hereby urged to enact the pending bills introduced, in order to accomplish the reforms proposed by said commission; and to submit the necessary constitutional amendments, except the one authorizing the judge to comment upon the evidence, to a vote of the people for the purpose of protecting society against the organized assaults of criminals, without depriving any individual, charged with crime, of a fair and impartial trial.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded forthwith to the Speaker of the Assembly and to the Lieutenant Governor of the State of California for appropriate reference.

Very truly yours,

NATHAN NEWBY,
Chairman Civic Righteousness Committee.
W. E. McCULLOCH, President.

E. J. LICKLEY, Secretary.

Also:

LOS ANGELES, March 22, 1927.

Resolution passed by the executive committee of the Republican County Central Committee of Los Angeles County, March 21, 1927:

WHEREAS, Organized crime is endangering the safety of life, person and property of the people of this State, and

WHEREAS, The California commission for the reform of criminal procedure has recommended to the Legislature revision of criminal procedure designed to insure the safety of life, person and property,

Therefore, be it resolved, By the executive committee of the Republican County Central Committee of Los Angeles County, that the legislators be urged to vote for all measures tending to insure greater safety of life, person and property, and

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and to each legislator of this State.

W. R. KILGORE, Vice Chairman.

IDA R. KOVERMAN, Secretary.

Also:

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the House,
State Capitol, Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR: At a recent meeting of our executive committee, it was decided to send you a letter urging you to interest yourself in the passage, without amendment, of Senate Bill No. 99, known as the California Barber Law

This measure is intended to raise the standard of our business and is a protective measure for the public. As men, women and children now patronize the barber, it will prove beneficial to 85 per cent of our population. There is at present no protection for the public as to mental, physical and mechanical fitness—any one can now practice barbering no matter how unfit he may be.

This measure is sponsored and endorsed by 8000 barber shop owners and 15,000 journeymen. It also has the endorsement of the Federation of Women's Improvement Clubs, of the State Board of Health, Mr. Cooper of the State Board of Education, the State Federation of Labor, the Building Trades Council, the approval of the California Hotel Men's Association and other bodies.

It has not been disapproved by any civic body or association. The only objectors have been the few owners of barber colleges who are adverse to being regulated.

Respectfully requesting your careful consideration of the above, we remain

Yours truly,

JOHN BERNHARD,
President Master Barbers' Association of San Francisco,
Vice President State Master Barbers' Association.

R. D. PENNY, Secretary Master Barbers' Association of San Francisco
and California State Master Barbers' Association.

The following communication was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

California Taxpayers' Association—Rolland A. Vandegrift.
Oakland Tribune—Hall Frahm.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the director of agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, as amended, without recommendation.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736b, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior

court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act, to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2979*b*, 2979*c*, 2979*d*, 2979*e*, 2982*a*, 4041*d*, relating to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of eighteen years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the State Board of Health and by and under the direction of county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, disposing of the balance in said fund:

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 3664*c* of the Political Code, relating to the State Board of Equalization,

Also Assembly Bill No 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L E Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WRIGHT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter CCLXXXVII of the statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said district, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers, providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing

therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any acts, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another, and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON GOVERNMENTAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the tenth olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of state bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of two thousand dollars for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

BERNARD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also Senate Bill No 24—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 20—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters;

Also. Senate Bill No 95—An act to amend section 1197 of the Political Code, relating to election ballots, the manner of voting and conduct of elections;

Also. Assembly Bill No 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197c, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

HON. RAY WILLIAMSON IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Ray Williamson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 360—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 32, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands; by adding a new section to be known as 19*b*, relating to the reassessment of land after a five-year period; by adding a new section, to be 23½ and relating to the allocation of the net returns from the generation of electric power; by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title,

Also: Senate Bill No. 110—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California: the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destructon of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumpton, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage district, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby; providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, as amended, by amending sections numbered 6, 7, 10, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered and providing as follows, to wit:

Section 8*a*, relating to the offices of assessor, collector and treasurer; section 8*b*, relating to consolidation and segregation of the offices of assessor and collector; section 8*c*, relating to deputies to assessor and collector; section 15*b*, relating to lack of benefits to improvements in district of operation and maintenance of irrigation system; section 27*a*, relating to time for completion of assessment roll and time for equalizing assessments, section 27*b*, relating to hearing as to equalization of values and duty of secretary in respect thereto; section 28*a*, relating to levy of taxes by

boards of supervisors; section 28*b*, relating to duty of district attorney and attorney general on default in levy and collection of taxes; section 28*c*, relating to extension of time for duties in assessment, levy and collection of taxes; section 28*d*, relating to collection of unsecured taxes; section 28*e*, relating to addition of unpaid water tolls and charges to taxes; section 28*f*, relating to assessment lien; section 28*g*, relating to change of assessments and refund of erroneous taxes; section 28*h*, relating to notice that assessments are due and collection and delinquency of taxes; section 28*i*, relating to suit against delinquents to collect taxes; section 28*j*, relating to duty of collector on sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*k*, relating to sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*l*, relating to rights of owner of realty resold in default of payment, and purchase by district; section 28*m*, relating to certificates of sale; section 28*n*, relating to record book of property sold for taxes and interest on redemption; section 28*o*, relating to redemption of property and collector's deed; section 28*p*, relating to delinquent taxes and deed on dissolution of district; section 28*q*, relating to tax deed as prima facie and conclusive evidence and effect thereof; section 28*r*, relating to assessment roll or delinquent list as prima facie evidence; section 28*s*, relating to misnomers; section 28*t*, relating to waste after sale for taxes, district's rights and actions to enforce the same; section 28*u*, relating to settlements between secretary and collector; section 29*a*, relating to warrants unpaid for lack of funds and payment thereof; section 62, relating to assessment and equalization schedule for the year 1927; section 63, relating to effect of unconstitutionality and intention of this act; and section 64, relating to short title of this act;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of and to add a new section to be numbered 1*m* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921,

Also: Senate Bill No. 166—An act to amend section 653*p* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative agricultural, viticultural and horticultural associations,

Also: Senate Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 9 of and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*m* and 4*n* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the registry of all dealers in seed and verification of origin statements,

Also: Senate Bill No. 580—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State, interstate and foreign markets; to protect the State's reputation in these markets, to establish standards and standard containers for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing, marking and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved May 23, 1925;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H Levy Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A J and T. D Borie against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G Johnson against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs J. H. Newman against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft Way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 382—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18 1923, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 667—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received;

Also Assembly Bill No 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 or 271*a* of this code to work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to procedure before the Industrial Accident Commission following death of compensation claimants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 14 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to proceedings before the Industrial Accident Commission in certain death benefit cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626o of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from scull-boats in Fish and Game District No. 2;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith.

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named member of the Assembly for the amount set opposite his name, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same

John E. Wherrell.....$51 20

FLYNN, Chairman.

Mr Flynn moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, and Woodbridge—47.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert the word "five" in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert the word "ten" in lieu thereof

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

The recorder shall have such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office at a compensation not to exceed five cents per folio: *provided, however*, that all instruments that are partly written or typewritten and partly printed, and for the recording of which the county has furnished the county recorder with books containing printed forms corresponding to such instrument, the compensation shall be two and one-half cents per folio for the entire number of folios of written and printed matter in said instrument.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

The county clerk, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; he shall have two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum. He shall also have three additional deputies for a period of not to exceed ten months during each and every even numbered year at a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and four deputies for a period of not to exceed six months during each and every even numbered year, such deputies to receive a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and also for such even numbered years he shall appoint such deputies in the county as are necessary for the purpose of registering the electors, such deputies to receive five cents for each elector legally registered by them. The county clerk shall pay into the county

treasury at the close of each month all fees received by him as county clerk during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one assistant at a salary of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each; a detective at the salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one combination stenographer and telephone clerk at a salary not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Neither of these stenographers shall receive other compensation by reason of services as stenographic reporter in any action or proceeding wherein the fee or per diem of the stenographic reporter constitutes a charge against the county.

The district attorney and his deputies shall devote their entire time during office hours to the work of the county and state and are prohibited from engaging in private work within such office hours. It is understood that this provision relative to private work does not affect the district attorney until his salary is six thousand dollars per annum.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and to be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit:

In townships of the first class	$125 00
In townships of the second class	100 00
In townships of the third class	90 00
In townships of the fourth class	75 00

In addition to the monthly salaries above provided each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil cases, and shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in carrying out the duties and prerogatives of his office in other matters, provided that in addition thereto, that when a constable is required to go out of the county to serve a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, he shall be allowed mileage in going and returning outside of the county at the rate of five cents per mile."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

Sealer of Weights and Measures. The sealer of weights and measures shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and three deputies shall receive one hundred and fifty dollars per month.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies and other employees.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In lines 13 and 14 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "add a new section to said code to be numbered" and insert in lieu thereof the following "amend section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" insert the following:

Section 4236*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*a*. In counties of the seventh class the county clerk shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law the sum of four thousand dollars per annuum, *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the county clerk, the following deputies, clerks and employees, to be appointed by said clerk, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows. One chief deputy who shall serve as chief deputy and registrar of voters, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy, two thousand four hundred eighty dollars per annum; eight deputies, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; six deputies, one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars each per annum; *provided*, that whenever a special state or special county, or municipal election is held, the county clerk, in counties of this class, shall be, and is hereby allowed the following additional help; five clerks for a period of and not exceeding sixty days, immediately preceding such election date, whose salary shall be one hundred twenty-five dollars each, per month; *provided, further*, that in such years as the compilation of a great register of voters is required by law to be made, the county clerk in counties of this class shall be, and he is hereby allowed the following additional help. As many clerks as are necessary, in his discretion, from January first, to November first, at one hundred dollars each per month, and whose compensation shall not exceed the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars in the aggregate, for all clerks, so employed; *provided, further*, the county clerk may appoint such number of registration deputies in any precinct as may be necessary for the purpose of registering electors, each of whom shall be a qualified elector in his respective precinct, each of said deputies in precincts outside of the corporate limits of municipalities containing twenty-five thousand or more inhabitants, shall be paid the sum of fifteen cents per name, for each person legally registered by him, and that each of said deputies, within the corporate limits of a municipality containing twenty-five thousand or more inhabitants, shall be paid the sum of seven and one-half cents per name for each person legally registered by him, and the said registration deputies to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the county auditor of said county, a duly verified claim therefor, duly approved by the said county clerk. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputy clerks and employees shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month, all fees received by him as county clerk during the month accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

SEC. 2. Section 4236*b* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*b*. In counties of the seventh class the sheriff shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum salary; the sheriff shall also be paid fifteen cents per meal each, for all meals furnished prisoners confined in the county jail. He shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties, including the actual and necessary expense incurred by him in recovering or searching for the body of any person meeting death through drowning; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the sheriff, the following deputies, jailers and bailiffs, to be appointed by said sheriff, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One deputy, who shall act as undersheriff, at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy, who shall act as chief criminal deputy and Bertillon expert, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one chief jailer at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies who shall act as process servers at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two deputies who shall act as criminal deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars each per annum; thirteen deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; one matron, to attend female prisoners at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as bookkeeper at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one matron at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, jailers and bailiffs, shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid

The sheriff shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month all fees, mileage and per diem received by him as sheriff during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received

SEC. 3. Section 4236*c* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*c*. In counties of the seventh class the recorder shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the county recorder, the following deputies, clerks and copyists, to be appointed by said recorder, which positions are herby created, and the salaries of each

are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one comparing clerk, at a salary of two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars per annum; one comparing clerk, at a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars per annum; one index clerk, at a salary of two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars per annum; one filing clerk, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; said recorder may also appoint such copyists not to exceed six, as may be required, for the recording of all papers, notices or documents in his office, who shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; said recorder may also appoint two copyists at a salary of one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars each per annum. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, clerks and copyists and employees herein provided for, each of whom shall be a deputy county recorder, shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 4. Section 4236*d* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*d*. In counties of the seventh class the auditor shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the auditor, the following deputies, clerks and employees to be appointed by said auditor, which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, one redemption deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one warrant deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one claim expert, at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one assistant claim clerk, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, two deputies, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum, and such additional assistants as the auditor may require, and whose compensation shall not exceed two thousand dollars per annum, in the aggregate, for all assistance so rendered, *provided further*, that the auditor shall certify thereon, as to the correctness of such additional assistance. In counties of this class the auditor shall be allowed one deputy to be known as a budget deputy and whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided, however*, that the provision for the appointment of such additional deputy shall be dependent upon the enactment of an act entitled "An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes", and known as Senate Bill No. 289, forty-seventh session of the Legislature. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies and clerks, shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 5. Section 4236*e* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*e*. In counties of the seventh class the county treasurer shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that he shall also be allowed not to exceed the sum of five dollars per day for his actual and necessary traveling expenses in visiting towns outside the county seat for the purpose of opening safety deposit boxes under the provisions of the "inheritance tax act"; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed the following deputies, to be appointed by said treasurer, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one bond deputy to act as accountant at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy to act as cashier at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, the salaries and compensation of each of said deputies and bookkeeper shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. The county treasurer shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month, all fees received by him as county treasurer during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

SEC. 6. Section 4236*f* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*f*. In counties of the seventh class the county tax and license collector shall receive as full compensation for services as tax collector and ex officio license collector, required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the tax collector, the following deputies, bookkeepers and assistants, to be appointed by said tax collector, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one office deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one cashier, at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be correspondence and mail clerk, at a salary of one thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars per annum; and such emergency deputy or deputies as shall be required and who shall receive for his or their services a sum not to exceed six dollars per diem each, *provided, however*, that the aggregate pay of such emergency deputy or deputies shall not exceed in the aggregate four thousand five hundred

dollars per annum. The salaries and compensations of each of said deputies, assistants and bookkeepers shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner as other county officials are paid. The tax collector is hereby declared to be the ex officio license collector, and the office of license collector heretofore existing is hereby abolished

The tax and license collector shall deposit in the county treasury all the money received by him in his official capacity, not later than the day succeeding the collection thereof, in the manner provided by section 4101*a* of the Political Code; *provided* that checks, drafts and postoffice orders received or accepted by the tax and license collector at his own risk, the proceeds of which are to be applied on tax or license collections, may be deposited in bank and a reasonable time allowed for "clearance" not to exceed one week, before depositing the money in the county treasury, *provided, further*, that nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the payment of taxes other than in "lawful money of the United States," as provided by section 3888, of the Political Code. The tax and license collector shall be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred by him, in the performance of his official duty, not exceeding two hundred dollars for the year.

SEC. 7. Section 4236*g* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*g* In counties of the seventh class the county assessor shall receive as full compensation for services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum and such fees and commissions as allowed by law while acting as an agent of the State of California as the collector of the state poll tax. He shall also be provided with transportation to be used by him in assessing property and gathering assessment data and shall be allowed a sum not exceeding one hundred twenty-five dollars per month for expenses in the performance of the duties of his office, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the assessor, the following deputies, clerks and assistants, to be appointed by said assessor, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows One assistant county assessor at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; seven office deputies at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum; as many deputies as are necessary in the discretion of the county assessor during each year and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of twenty-four thousand seven hundred forty dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed In counties of this class the assessor is hereby allowed an additional deputy, whose compensation is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, *provided, however*, that the provision for the appointment of such additional deputy shall be dependent upon the enactment of any legislation which shall impose upon the assessor the additional work of entering upon the assessment rolls of the county any special assessments. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, clerks and assistants shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 8. **Section 4236*h* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:**

4236*h* In counties of the seventh class the district attorney shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law the sum of five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the district attorney the following assistant deputies and employees, to be appointed by said district attorney which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One assistant district attorney, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum; one chief deputy district attorney, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum; one deputy district attorney whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy district attorney whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum: one deputy district attorney, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum: one clerk, who shall be a stenographer, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; one chief clerk, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum, one county detective who shall have all the powers of a peace officer as set forth in sections 834 and 836 of the Penal Code and who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by the district attorney, or by the ordinances of the board of supervisors of the county, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein fixed for said county detective he shall be allowed and paid actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties; *provided, further*, that the said county detective shall file with the board of supervisors a verified statement and claim showing in detail the amount paid, and the persons to whom and the purpose for which such payments were made; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class the district attorney, in addition to the salary herein fixed, shall be allowed his traveling and other personal expenses incurred in criminal cases arising in the county, and in civil actions and proceedings in which the county is interested, and all other expenses necessarily incurred by him in the investigation and detection of crime and the prosecution of criminal cases and in civil actions and proceedings, and all other matters in which the county is interested, all of which said charges and

expenses so incurred by him shall be a legal charge against the county. Neither the district attorney nor any of his assistants or deputies shall engage in the private practice of law, nor shall they be associated directly or indirectly with any lawyer or law firm as such in private practice, but each shall devote his entire time to the service of the county.

The salaries and compensation of each of said assistants, deputies and employees shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid

SEC. 9. Section 4236*i* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*i*. In counties of the seventh class there shall be one coroner who shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law; *provided*, the coroner, or other officer holding an inquest upon the body of a deceased person may subpena a chemist to make an analysis of the contents of the stomach or tissues of the body, or a physician or surgeon to inspect the body, or hold a post mortem examination of the deceased, and give a professional opinion as to the cause of death, and shall cause the testimony of all the witnesses at such inquest to be reduced to writing under his direction; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the coroner the following assistants to be appointed by said coroner which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One deputy and one stenographer; said deputy shall have the power and it shall be his duty when directed by the coroner to hold inquests, and all such power conferred by law upon the coroner may be exercised by said deputy, who shall receive a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum; the salary of said stenographer shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which salary shall be in full for all services rendered by such stenographer. Said stenographer shall take down in shorthand the testimony of witnesses at inquests and shall transcribe the same into longhand and file a verified copy thereof with the county clerk. The salaries and compensation of said deputy and stenographer, shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 10. Section 4236*j* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*j*. In counties of the seventh class the superintendent of schools shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum and actual and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of the duties of his office not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per month; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the superintendent the following assistants and deputies to be appointed by said superintendent which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One assistant superintendent of schools who shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer, who shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. The salary of said assistant superintendent of schools and deputy superintendents of schools and stenographer shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. Each member of the board of education of the county shall receive five dollars per day as compensation for his services when in actual attendance upon said board, and mileage at the rate of twenty cents per mile, one way only, from his residence to the place of meeting of said board. The secretary of said board of education of said county shall receive five dollars per day for his services for the actual time that the board may be in session. Said compensation of the members of the said board and of said secretary shall be paid out of the same funds as the salary of the superintendent of schools. Claims of such service and mileage shall be presented to the board of supervisors and shall be allowed at the rate above named, and in the same manner as other claims against the county are allowed. The compensation of members of the county board of education of this county hereby provided is not in addition to that provided in section 1770 of this code.

SEC. 11. Section 4236*k* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*k*. In counties of the seventh class, the county surveyor shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; and in addition thereto all necessary expenses for work performed in the office and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field; *provided, however*, commencing January 3, 1927, in counties of the seventh class the county surveyor shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty dollars per annum, and in addition thereto all necessary expenses for work performed in the office and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field.

SEC. 12 Section 4236*l* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*l*. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of township justices and constables in counties of the seventh class, townships shall be classified on the basis of population, said population to be determined by the board of supervisors by

multiplying by three the number of registered voters at the last general election next preceding the date of such determination, said census so taken shall be known and shall become the official census of the township in which the same is taken, and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of such township. Incorporated cities having a population of twenty thousand or more, shall be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of five thousand and less than twenty thousand shall be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of more than two thousand and less than five thousand shall be known as townships of the third class; *provided*, that no township shall contain less than two thousand population; *provided, further*, that the number of townships shall not exceed eight in counties of this class. It shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to fix the boundaries of townships, so that all the territory in counties of the seventh class, shall be comprised within the above limitations of population, and where the boundary line of any township is changed they shall take the census of said township or townships in the manner as in this section provided and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of the township.

Townships of the second and third classes shall each have one justice and one constable.

Townships of the first class shall have one justice and two constables; *provided, however*, that in all such townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, there shall be one clerk to be appointed by the justice of the peace, such clerk to receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, payable monthly in the same manner as salaries of county officers are paid. All fees chargeable and collectible by justices of the peace in criminal and civil cases for services rendered by them shall be collected by them and by them paid monthly into the county treasury. All fees and mileage collected by constables in civil cases shall be deposited in the county treasury monthly.

In townships containing twenty thousand or more inhabitants the board of supervisors shall furnish the justice of the peace and the constables of such township an office to be occupied by such justice and constables jointly. In such townships the constables shall be allowed one clerk at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month.

The compensation of justices of the peace in counties of the seventh class is hereby fixed as follows. Class one townships, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; class two townships, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; class three townships, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum The salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as county officers are paid.

The compensation of constables in counties of the seventh class is hereby fixed as follows: Class one townships, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; class two townships, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; class three townships, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. The salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as county officials are paid

SEC. 13. Section 4236*m* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*m*. In counties of the seventh class the public administrator shall receive as compensation such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

SEC. 14. Section 4236*n* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*n*. In counties of the seventh class each supervisor shall receive as compensation two thousand dollars per annum and in addition thereto the board of supervisors as a whole shall be allotted and paid five hundred dollars per year for traveling expenses, and ten cents per mile for traveling to and from the county seat; *provided*, mileage for traveling to and from the county seat shall not be allowed oftener than once in each month.

SEC. 15. Section 4236*o* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*o*. In counties of the seventh class the fees for trial jurors for attendance in any court shall be three dollars for each day's attendance, and said trial juror shall be allowed mileage at the rate of ten cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in attending upon and returning from court, said mileage to be computed for daily attendance, irrespective of whether said daily attendance covers one or more sessions of court.

Each member of the grand jury shall be allowed three dollars for each day in attendance upon the sessions of the grand jury or for each day's service as a member of any committee of the grand jury; each grand juror shall be allowed mileage at the rate of ten cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in attendance upon and returning from meetings of the grand jury, or any session of a grand jury committee, duly called by the secretary, or committee chairman.

SEC. 16. Section 4236*p* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*p*. In counties of the seventh class the salary of the county librarian shall be three thousand dollars per annum.

SEC. 17. Section 4236*q* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*q*. In counties of the seventh class the salary of the county traffic officer shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer two deputies, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said county traffic officer and shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each, which shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county traffic officer is paid. Said traffic officer and his deputies shall be provided by the county with motorcycles or other vehicles and gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same and shall pay all the expenses of the upkeep of said machines. They shall be allowed their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties. All the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 6, add the following:

1. County clerk, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and hereby is, allowed to the county clerk, one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, two deputies who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, two deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and in each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law, he shall appoint as many deputy registration clerks as may be necessary for the convenient registration of the voters of the county, which deputy registration clerks shall receive as compensation for their services a sum of ten cents per name for each and every voter registered by them, and also one additional deputy to compile the great register, and for mailing sample ballots, at a compensation not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars for each such registration year; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class the county clerk shall be and hereby is authorized to retain for his own use and benefit such fees or parts of fees as are now or which hereafter may be allowed to the county clerks by the laws of the United States, pertaining to naturalization of citizens and to the public lands.

2. Sheriff, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and hereby is, allowed to the sheriff one undersheriff whose salary is hereby fixed in the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, three deputies, who shall be jailers, who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be finger-print expert who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, two deputies who shall be court bailiffs who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall also be chauffeur who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be matron and stenographer and who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, two deputies who shall be chain gang guards who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that such guards may be used by the sheriff for other purposes when not required as guards; five additional deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one bookkeeper who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that there shall be, and hereby is, allowed to the sheriff such extra deputies as the board of supervisors may deem necessary to properly guard the outlying districts of the county; *provided*, that the total compensation of all such deputies shall not exceed the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars in any one year.

3. Recorder, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and is hereby allowed the recorder one deputy at

a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and two deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and as many copyists as may be required who shall receive as compensation the sum of five cents per folio for recording, copying and comparing any instrument or notice, except maps or plats, and for copies of any record or paper, five cents per folio. The salaries of all copyists herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner, and out of the same fund that the salary of the county recorder is paid.

4. Auditor, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that there is hereby allowed to the auditor one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum, one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one deputy for not more than ten months in each year, who shall receive a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month and four additional clerks for not more than one month in each year, who shall receive a salary of one hundred ten dollars each per month.

5. Treasurer, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the treasurer, the sum of not exceeding one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, to be expended for the salary of a deputy.

6. Tax collector, three thousand dollars per annum; one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and eight deputies for not more than three months of each year, who shall each receive a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month.

7. Assessor, three thousand dollars per annum; one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars per annum, one stenographer and roll writer for not more than nine months in each year, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twelve and fifty hundredths dollars per month, one deputy for writing plat books for not more than six months in each year, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, one check deputy for not more than six months in each year, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, three additional deputies for not more than six months in each year, who shall each receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, one collection deputy for not more than two months in each year, who shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, twelve field deputies for not more than three months in each year who shall each receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one field deputy for the Bard district for not more than three months in each year, who shall receive a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; all of said field deputies shall pay their own expenses. It is hereby provided that in counties of this class, the assessor shall receive no fees or compensation for his collection of taxes on personal property, or possessory interests.

8 District attorney, four thousand dollars per annum; one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum, two deputies who shall each receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be known as "criminal investigator," who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum one stenographer who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, one official reporter who shall report and transcribe all preliminary hearings required of her by the district attorney, and whose duties and compensation shall be those prescribed by section 869 of the Penal Code, *provided*, that in counties of this class the district attorney shall devote all of his time to the duties of his office.

9. Coroner, such fees as are now, or may be hereafter, allowed by law.

10. Public administrator. Public administrator, such fees as are now, or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. Superintendent of schools. Superintendent of schools, three thousand dollars per annum, two deputies who shall each receive a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, said salaries to include traveling expenses in connection with the visitation of schools; one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class the superintendent of schools shall receive no compensation for services as a member of the county board of education, or as ex officio secretary thereof.

12. Surveyor. Surveyor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services required of him by the superior court or board of supervisors, or assessor. It shall be his duty on demand of the assessor, to prepare any and all maps, plats or block-books for the use of the county assessor.

13. Justices of the peace. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as county officers are paid, in townships having a population of more than five thousand, one hundred dollars per month; *provided*, that if the county seat shall be situated in a township of this class, one hundred and fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than five thousand and more than two thousand, seventy-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than two thousand, twenty dollars per month. It is hereby found as a fact that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation, and the same shall

apply immediately to incumbents; justices of the peace shall be allowed their necessary incidental expenses in such reasonable sums as may be fixed by the board of supervisors, according to the needs of the business of the justices courts in each township *provided*, that in townships where the county seat is situated, such incidental expenses shall include clerical help not to exceed fifty dollars per month, and in other townships having a population of more than two thousand, such expenses shall include clerical help, not to exceed more than twenty-five dollars per month. The board of supervisors of such counties shall furnish and supply to the justices of the peace of the various townships in such counties the codes of the state and amendments thereto, and all necessary stationery, legal blanks and forms for the proper and convenient conduct of business, and to the justice of peace of the township where the county seat is situated the board of supervisors shall also furnish and equip with necessary furniture and other appliances, a suitable room in the county court house for holding the court of such justice.

14. Constables. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month in the same manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them: in townships having a population of more than two thousand, seventy-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than two thousand, twenty dollars per month; *provided*, that in counties of this class constables shall in addition to the salaries herein provided receive the fees provided in section 4500*d* of the Political Code.

15. Population of townships. For the purpose of subdivisions XIII and XIV of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered electors at the last general election by three and one-half.

16. Supervisors. Each supervisor one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services as supervisor and road commissioner for each year; *provided, however*, that each supervisor shall be allowed his necessary traveling expenses at the rate of seven cents per mile, for each mile traveled in the county, in attending meetings of the board and performing his duties as road commissioner.

17. Physician. County physician, seventy-five dollars per month.

18. Health officer. County health officer, seventy-five dollars per month: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed the health officer, two deputies, who shall each receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, said deputies to pay their own expenses.

19. Livestock inspector. Livestock inspector, who shall be ex officio county veterinarian, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, the livestock inspector shall devote his entire time to the performance of the duties of the office; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class the livestock inspector shall be and is hereby allowed three deputies who shall each receive as salaries six hundred dollars per annum.

20. Librarian. County librarian, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

21. Jurors. In counties of this class, grand jurors and trial jurors in criminal cases shall receive as compensation for each day's attendance on the grand jury, the superior court or justice court, the sum of three dollars per day, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residences in attending court or grand jury, one way only, the sum of fifteen cents per mile; such mileage to be allowed but once during each session said jurors are required to attend.

(*b*) The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes, nor to increase or decrease the compensation paid to or received by any such person under the provisions of such statute, except as otherwise herein expressly provided.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the second word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "nine", and insert in lieu thereof the following "one thousand two"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "paid" add the following "Commencing on the first day of January, 1928, said county clerk shall be allowed one additional deputy which office is hereby created at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "annum", insert the following: "also one deputy who shall receive a salary of three hundred dollars per annum,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "three deputies", and insert in lieu thereof the following "one deputy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, lines 5, 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "for eight months out of each year, who shall receive salaries of two hundred dollars per month each for each month so employed" and insert in lieu thereof the following "who shall receive salaries of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "folio", and insert in lieu thereof a period and in lines 35, 36 and 37 strike out the following: "of which two cents per folio may be deducted for the comparing of such documents"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, after the second word "one", insert the following: "thousand five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "month", and insert in lieu thereof the word "annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 2, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "dollars", insert the following: "and one deputy, which office is hereby created, who shall be paid a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one thousand two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "year", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that in addition to said salary, the treasurer and tax collector is hereby allowed such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand", insert the following: "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 3, lines 26 and 27, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "two deputies, each to receive a salary of six hundred dollars per year", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one deputy at an annual salary of one thousand five hundred dollars and one deputy who shall receive a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "dollars", insert the following: "in counties of this class the district attorney is also allowed an additional stenographer, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of six hundred dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 5 of the printed bill, after line 36, insert the following:

20. The sealer of weights and measures shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum and he is hereby allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses while engaged in the performance of his duties as such sealer of weights and measures.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 25, of the printed bill, following the word "of", strike out the words "one thousand eight hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand four hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, following the words "at a salary of", strike out the word "sixty", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred",

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "one", strike out the word "deputy", and insert in lieu thereof the word "clerk".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 49, of the printed bill, following the words "the sum of", strike out the words "seventy-five", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, after the end of line 23, insert the following as a paragraph

19 Sealer of weights and measures, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum *provided*, that the salary of the sealer of weights and measures herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of other county officers are paid *and provided, further*, that the sealer of weights and measures shall be allowed the necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of his official duties.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out line 2 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "and four thousand twenty-two of the Political Code, relating to counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "collectors", insert the following "surveyors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "charge" add the following

SEC. 2 Section 4022 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

4022 The board of supervisors of each county shall, on or before the first Monday in September, preceding the election of the following officers, prescribe the amount in which said officers must execute official bonds treasurer, county clerk, auditor, sheriff, tax collector, district attorney, recorder, assessor, surveyor, superintendent of schools, public administrator, coroner, justice of the peace and constable. The judge or judges of the superior court shall, on or before the said first Monday of September prescribe the amount in which each member of the board of supervisors must execute an official bond before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office Immediately after this amendment takes effect and thereafter on or before the first Monday in September preceding every general county election, the board of supervisors shall determine what deputies and employees of the above named county officers shall execute official bonds and shall prescribe the amount thereof; *provided, however*, that such bonds shall be executed in the same form and manner as are the bonds of the above named officers, *provided, further*, that said bonds shall be in lieu of all bonds which said deputies or employees may have heretofore executed in favor of the hereinbefore designated county officers

The bonds and sureties of such officers and employees must, before the bonds can be recorded and filed, be approved by the judge or majority of judges, if there be more than one, of the superior court, *provided, however*, that in counties having five or more judges, the approval of three judges will be sufficient.

All persons offered as sureties on official bonds may be examined on oath touching their qualifications, and no person can be admitted as surety on any such bond unless he is a resident and freeholder or householder within the state, and is worth in real or personal property, or both, situate in this state, the amount of his undertaking, over and above all sums for which he is already liable, exclusive of property exempt from execution and forced sale

All official bonds shall be recorded in the office of the county recorded and then filed and kept in the office of the county clerk. The official bond of the county clerk shall after being recorded, be filed and kept in the office of the county treasurer.

The tax collector shall also before qualifying give a bond as license collector in such sum as may be fixed by the board of supervisors, to be approved as provided in this section.

The board of supervisors of each county shall require of the sheriff thereof a bond in such amount as may be prescribed by said board in reference to civil matters and shall require an additional bond from the sheriff in such amount as may be prescribed by said board in reference to criminal matters.

The premiums of all official bonds executed by county officers, their deputies and employees, shall be a charge against the county and paid out of the general fund.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, beginning with the second word "one", strike out all down to and including the first word "deputy" on line 37, page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two deputies to act as bailiffs at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars each per month."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "sheriff", insert the following: "to act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "for", strike out all down to and including all of line 4, on page 3, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all from lines 18 to line 2, page 7, inclusive, ending with the word "appointed", and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 13. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of the justices of the peace and constables in counties of the eleventh class the townships of said counties are hereby classified as follows: Townships having a population of fifteen thousand and more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class. Townships having a population of not less than ten thousand and under fifteen thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class. Townships having a population of not less than six thousand and under ten thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class. Townships having a population of not less than three thousand and under six thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class. Townships having a population of not less than one thousand and under three thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class. Townships having a population under one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the sixth class; *provided*, that for the purposes of this section the population of the several townships of the counties of this class shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last preceding general presidential election by three.

SEC. 14. Justices of the peace in townships of the first and second class shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month and in each justice's court in townships of the first class there shall be one justice's clerk who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace and who shall hold office at the pleasure of the said justice of the peace and who shall be paid a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month and which shall be payable in the same manner and out of the same funds as county officers are paid. For each justice's court in townships of the second class there shall be one justice's clerk who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace and who shall hold office at the pleasure of the said justice of the peace and who shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month and which shall be payable in the same manner and out of the same funds as county officers are paid. Said justice's clerks shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers and execute an official bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned upon and for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office of the justice's clerk and which bond shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers and the premium for said bonds shall be a charge against the county. Said justice's clerks may appoint as many deputies as may be

necessary for the prompt and faithful discharge of the duties of their office, said appointments to be made and filed in the same manner as the appointment of other county officers: *provided, however,* that the said deputies shall serve without compensation from the county. Said justice's clerks shall be authorized to administer all oaths, take and certify affidavits and shall be authorized to issue and sign writs, summons, notices and all other process in any action or proceedings in the justice's court of the township for which said clerks have been appointed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 7 of printed bill, strike out all from line 38 to line 8, page 8, of printed bill, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Justices of the peace in townships other than townships of the first and second classes, shall be paid the following monthly salaries, to wit: In townships of the third class one hundred twenty-five dollars per month: in townships of the fourth class, one hundred dollars per month; in townships of the fifth class, fifty dollars per month; in townships of the sixth class, thirty dollars per month; and all salaries provided for by this section shall be in full compensation of all services rendered by said justices of the peace and justice's clerks, in both civil and criminal cases, and all such fees as are allowed by law in civil cases shall be paid by all justices and justice's clerks into the county treasury.

The board of supervisors may provide a suitable office and court room, including furniture, telephone, stationery, books and supplies for each of the justices of the peace in this county, and the expense of the same, shall be a charge against the county; *provided, however,* the total expense of the office, court room, furniture, telephone, stationery, books, and supplies furnished to any justice of the peace in any fiscal year shall not exceed twenty-five per cent of the salary of that justice of the peace for the said fiscal year.

SEC. 15. Constables shall be paid the following monthly salaries each month in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, and said salaries shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in both civil and criminal cases. In townships of the first, second and third class, one hundred fifty dollars per month: in townships of the fourth class, one hundred dollars per month; in townships of the fifth class, seventy-five dollars per month; in townships of the sixth class, thirty dollars per month. All such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law in civil cases shall be paid by all constables into the county treasury. In addition to the monthly salary herein provided, each constable shall be allowed all expenses necessary and actually incurred by him, in the execution of all criminal and civil process.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two thousand", and insert in lieu thereof "eighteen hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred", and insert in lieu thereof "ninety-six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred", and insert in lieu thereof "ninety".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eighty", and insert in lieu thereof the words "seventy-two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of the counties of the thirty-fifth class

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the following "The district attorney shall act" and strike out lines 23, 24 and 25, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "county", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that all compensation, for outside work, received by the surveyor shall belong to and be the property of the surveyor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "law" strike out the period, and insert a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that the per diem fee now paid by parties litigant on behalf of such court reporter shall continue to be paid by such parties litigant to the clerk of court who shall transmit the same to the county treasury to be paid into the general fund of the county."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures "4235", insert the following. In counties of the sixth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county clerk one deputy county clerk who shall act as clerk of the probate department, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk to act as clerk to the board of supervisors, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk who shall be the registrar of voters and who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as general office clerk who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also three deputy county clerks who shall serve as clerks of the several departments of the superior court who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum each; also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as desk clerk, who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, *provided, however*, that the county clerk shall not be allowed the additional deputy provided by section 4290 of the Political Code of the State of

California, also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as assistant to the clerk of the probate department and who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk in the probate department, who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, the deputies herein provided for shall be appointed by the clerk of said county and their salaries shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county clerks. The county clerk shall also be allowed an additional deputy, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for; *provided, further*, that in any year in which a general election is held the said clerk may appoint two deputies who shall serve for a term of twelve months, who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for; four deputies who shall serve for a term of eight months who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for; and two deputies who shall serve for a term of six months who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for; also, in the event of special elections in any odd-numbered year, the county clerk shall be allowed additional deputies at a compensation to be fixed by said county clerk, such compensation, however, not to exceed in the aggregate for all of such deputies the sum of one thousand dollars in any one year; also one additional deputy in each voting precinct in the county for the purpose of registering electors in such precincts, who shall be paid ten cents per name for each elector legally registered by them, *provided*, that said county clerk may be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived.

2 The sheriff, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that there shall be and and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff one undersheriff whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; also thirteen deputies who shall each receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one of whom shall speak the Italian language and shall be competent to act as an Italian interpreter, also two deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy who shall act as matron of the county jail who shall receive a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum. The undersheriff and deputies herein provided for shall be appointed by the sheriff and paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the sheriff; *provided*, that said sheriff shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties. He shall pay into the county treasury all fees and mileage collected by him for the service of papers or process issued by any court of this state.

3. The county recorder, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said recorder may appoint one deputy recorder who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also four deputy recorders who shall each receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also two deputy recorders who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; also as many deputies to act as copyists as may be required, who shall receive as compensation the sum of seven cents per folio for recording all instruments or notices, except maps and plats, and for copies of any record seven cents per folio; *provided*, that such recorder may be allowed the actual and necessary expense incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived.

4 The county auditor, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and said auditor may appoint one deputy auditor who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, also one deputy auditor to serve as accountant who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also two deputy auditors who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum; also one redemption clerk who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that the auditor shall be allowed six additional deputies for a period of one month who shall each receive a salary or compensation of five dollars per day for each day actually employed, and five additional deputies for a period of two months who shall each receive a salary or compensation of five dollars per day for each day actually employed. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as is the county auditor; *provided*, that such auditor shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity.

5. The county treasurer, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. The treasurer may also appoint a deputy county treasurer, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum. All fees and commissions collected by said treasurer in his official capacity shall be paid into the county treasury. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the county treasurer.

6. The tax collector, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and said tax collector may appoint one deputy tax collector who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, four additional deputy tax collectors who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum; also four additional deputy tax collectors to serve as such for a period of six months in each year, and who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month; also fifteen additional deputy tax collectors to serve as such only for a period of two and one-half months in each year, and who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month; also five additional deputy tax collectors who shall serve as such only during two months of each year and who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month; also twelve copyists who shall serve only during one and one-half months of each year, and who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month. The deputies and copyists herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the tax collector; *provided*, that said tax collector shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, including the making and compiling of the necessary indices to the assessment roll, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived; *provided*, that checks, drafts and post office orders received or accepted by the tax and license collector at his own risk, the proceeds of which are to be applied on tax or license collections, may be deposited in bank and a reasonable time allowed for "clearance" not to exceed one week, before depositing the money in the county treasury, *provided, further*, that nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the payment of taxes other than in "lawful money of the United States," as provided by section 3888, of the Political Code.

7. The license collector, fifteen per cent of the whole amount of license collected by him, *provided*, that the entire compensation of said license collector shall not exceed the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

8. The county assessor, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and said assessor may appoint one chief deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one supervising deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, seven office deputy assessors who shall each receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also twenty-three deputy assessors who shall serve as such during the months of March, April, May, and June of each year who shall each receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; three deputy assessors to serve as such during six months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, four deputy assessors to serve as such during four months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, also two proofreaders to serve as such for only four months in any one year and who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and also seven copyists to serve as such only during four months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, *provided*, that the above salaries and compensations shall be in full for all services rendered by him as such assessor and that no commission for the collection of state or infirmary poll taxes or personal property taxes shall be retained by him but that all of such commissions shall be paid into the county treasury. The deputies, copyists and proofreaders herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as is the county assessor; *provided*, that the assessor shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of official duties, *and provided, further*, that all deputies herein specified shall be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the performance of official duties, not to exceed, however, for each deputy the sum of twenty-five dollars per month.

9. The district attorney, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; he may appoint a chief deputy at a salary of thirty-three hundred dollars per annum, four assistant district attorneys at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars each per annum; one detective who shall serve at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one clerk at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum, all of whom shall be paid in the same manner as said district attorney; *provided*, that said district attorney shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties. All fees and commissions collected by him shall be paid into the county treasury.

10. The coroner and public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law. Said coroner may appoint deputies not to exceed three in number; *provided*, that said deputy coroner shall receive only such fees as the coroner would receive if acting.

11. The county superintendent of schools, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and the said superintendent of schools may appoint a deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. He may also appoint an additional deputy superintendent of schools, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of one thousand

five hundred dollars per annum The said superintendent of schools shall also be paid actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the manner and out of the same fund as is the superintendent of schools

12. The county surveyor, the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and said surveyor may appoint a deputy surveyor who shall receive a salary of two thousand five hundred eighty dollars per annum; also, one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum who shall be a draftsman whose duties shall include the preparation of maps for the county assessor, and one deputy at salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, who shall be a draftsman whose duties shall include the preparation of maps for the county assessor; and one deputy at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. Such compensation and salaries as above set forth shall be in full for all services as such county surveyor, and all fees and compensation received or collected by him for surveying other than for the county, shall be paid into the county treasury; *provided*, that said county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary transportation and expenses incurred by himself or deputies for work performed in the field, and in the official discharge of his duties. Such salaries shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid. Said surveyor shall also have power to appoint such inspectors as he may deem necessary, for the proper supervision of all roads and bridges under construction, and the compensation of said inspectors shall be a proper charge against the county.

13. The fish and game warden, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum and the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties.

14. In counties of this class, justices of the peace shall be compensated as follows, and all salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, viz:

(1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, justices of the peace shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided, *provided, however*, that in all such townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, there shall be two township justices of the peace in and for any such township, and said justices of the peace shall each be allowed a clerk to be appointed by such justice of the peace at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month each, payable monthly in the same manner as salaries of county officers are paid.

(2) In townships having a population of fifteen thousand and less than twenty thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(3) In townships having a population of ten thousand and less than fifteen thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents per month for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(4) In townships having a population of five thousand and less than ten thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(5) In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of seventy-five dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(6) In townships having a population of two thousand and less than two thousand five hundred, justices of the peace shall each receive the sum of sixty dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases All fees collected by them shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury, *provided*, that where a township census has been ordered taken and adopted by the board of supervisors, as in this act contained, said census shall be and remain the official census of such township; and shall not be affected by any provision of this act with respect to the application of the federal census of 1920 in classifying townships

(7) In townships having a population of one thousand and less than two thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of fifty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(8) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of thirty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

Justices of the peace in all townships in counties of the sixth class shall be permitted to receive and retain for their own use fees for celebrating marriages and returning certificates thereof, but all other fees shall be collected by them and by them paid into the county treasury at least once a month They shall be furnished

with offices and necessary supplies, including light, heat, telephone service and incidental expenses, by the board of supervisors.

15. In counties of this class constables shall be compensated as follows, and all salaries herein provided shall be paid in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, viz.:

(1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, constables shall each receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered in civil cases and all other matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, a constable may collect and retain for his own use as his compensation such fees as are now, or may hereafter be allowed by law.

(2) In townships having a population of fifteen thousand and less than twenty thousand constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered by them in civil cases and in all matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, constables in such townships may collect and retain for their own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

(3) In townships having a population of ten thousand and less than fifteen thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered by them in civil cases and in all other matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, constables may collect and retain for their own use as compensation such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

(4) In townships having a population of five thousand and less than ten thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, civil cases and in the performance of all other duties imposed upon them by law. All fees chargeable and collectable in both criminal cases, civil cases, and in all other cases wherein fees are chargeable by constables, shall be collected in advance and paid monthly into the county treasury.

(5) In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as a salary for all services rendered by them in both civil and criminal cases. All fees collected by them in civil and criminal cases shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them, they may charge and retain for their own use such fees as are chargeable by law.

(6) In townships having a population of two thousand and less than two thousand five hundred, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases. All fees collected by them shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury; *provided*, that in townships in which a township census has been ordered, taken and adopted by the board of supervisors, as in this act hereinafter provided, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in criminal cases, and that for all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

(7) In townships having a population of one thousand and less than two thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of fifty dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in criminal cases. All fees collected by them in criminal cases shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

(8) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of forty dollars per month as a salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. All fees collected by them in criminal cases shall be paid monthly into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

Constables shall be allowed all necessary expenses incurred in conveying prisoners.

The population herein referred to in classifying townships for the purpose of regulating the compensation of justices of the peace and constables shall be the population found and determined by the federal census taken in the year 1920; *provided, however*, that a township census may be taken for the purpose of establishing the official census of such township in the manner hereinafter specified and when so taken, such census shall be known as and shall become the official census of such township in which it is taken and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of such township. Whenever there shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county a petition signed by the qualified electors of any township or townships in number equal to twenty-five per cent of the votes cast at the preceding general election, praying that said township or townships may be allowed to take the census of said township or townships for the purpose of ascertaining the population therein contained, the board of supervisors may order such census to be taken by one or more suitable persons appointed therefor by the board of supervisors and such census shall be taken by such persons so appointed, of all of the inhabitants of such township or townships. The full name of each person shall be plainly written, the names alphabetically arranged and regularly numbered

in one complete series and when completed, shall be verified by the proper official authorized to administer oaths and be filed with the county clerk and thereupon the same shall be known and shall be the official census of said township or townships.

16. Each supervisor, three thousand dollars per annum and mileage of ten cents per mile for each mile actually traveled in going to and from their residence to the county seat or in the performance of the duties required of them by law or by virtue of their office; *provided*, that in attending sessions of the board only four mileages shall be allowed for each month and that the total mileage allowed shall not exceed five hundred dollars in any one calendar year.

17. The fees of grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior courts of said counties of the sixth class, in civil and criminal cases shall be three dollars, in lawful money of the United States, for each day's attendance, and mileage to be computed at the rate of fifteen cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in attending court, in going only. In criminal cases such fees and mileage of said trial jurors in the superior court shall be paid by the treasurer of the county out of the general fund of said county upon warrants drawn by the county auditor upon the written order of the judge of the court in which said juror was in attendance, and the treasurer of said county shall pay said warrants. The board of supervisors of said county is hereby directed to make suitable appropriation for the payment of the fees herein provided for.

SEC. 2. Whenever under the provisions of law or otherwise a bond is required of any county officer or of any of his deputies, the premium of such bond shall be paid from the general funds of the county.

SEC. 3. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors and clerks of the counties of the sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "two *x* seven of the Political Code" and insert in lieu thereof "two *x* six of the Political Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, following the word "section", strike out "2322*x*7" and insert in lieu thereof "2322*x*6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Following line 2 of the printed bill, add the following:

2322*x*6. In counties of the sixth class, the commissioner shall receive a compensation of three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner the following deputies and inspectors to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows, to wit:

(*a*) Two deputy county horticultural commissioners at a compensation of twenty-four hundred dollars each per annum.

(*b*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed four inspectors at a compensation of five dollars per diem each during the time actually employed

(*c*) The commission is also authorized and empowered to appoint one clerk at a compensation of five dollars per diem during the time actually employed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend subdivision 42 of section 2322 of the Political Code.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend section two thousand three hundred twenty-two *x* forty-one of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the forty-first class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Beginning on line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, after the words "section 1", strike out all of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 2322*x*41 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2322*x*41. In counties of the forty-first class, the commissioner shall receive a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner the following deputies, inspectors and clerks to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows, to wit:

(*a*) Fifteen inspectors at a compensation of six dollars per diem each, during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such inspectors shall not exceed twelve thousand dollars

(*b*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed one clerk, at a monthly salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars, during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerk shall not exceed one thousand five hundred dollars."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1908, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and thirty-seven minutes a.m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "community", strike out the words "or municipal".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 20 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, insert the following after the word "in": "the ligitimate practice of his profession or business; with food for such oxen, horses or mules for one month;

7. One fishing boat and net, not exceeding the total value of five hundred dollars, the property of any fisherman, by the lawful use of which he earns his livelihood;

8 Poultry not exceeding in value seventy-five dollars;

9. The wages and earnings of all seamen, seagoing fishermen and sealers, not exceeding three hundred dollars, regardless of where or when earned, and in addition to all other exemptions otherwise provided by any law;

10 The earnings of the judgment debtor for his personal services rendered at any time within thirty days next preceding the levy of execution or attachment, when it appears by the debtor's affidavit or otherwise, that such earnings are necessary for the use of his family residing in this state, supported in whole or in part by his labor; but where debts are incurred by any such person, or his wife or family for the common necessaries of life, or have been incurred at a time when the debtor had no family residing in this state, supported in whole or in part by his labor, the one-half of such earnings above mentioned is nevertheless subject to execution, garnishment or attachment to satisfy debts so incurred;

11 The shares held by a member of a homestead association duly incorporated, not exceeding in value one thousand dollars if the person holding the shares is not the owner of a homestead under the laws of this state;

12. All the nautical instruments and wearing apparel of any master, officer, or seaman of any steamer or vessel;

13. All fire-engines, hooks and ladders, with the carts, trucks and carriages, hose-buckets, implements, and apparatus thereunto appertaining, and all furniture and uniforms of any fire company or department organized under the laws of the state;

14. All arms, uniforms, and accoutrements required by law to be kept by any person, and also one gun, to be selected by the debtor;

15. All court-houses, jails, public offices and buildings, lots, grounds and personal property, the fixtures, furniture, books, papers, and appurtenances belonging to the jail and public offices belonging and appertaining to any county of this state; and all cemeteries, public squares, parks, and places, public buildings, town halls, markets, buildings for the use of fire departments and military organizations, and the lots and grounds thereto belonging and appertaining, owned or held by any town or incorporated city, or dedicated by such town or city to health, ornament or public use, or for the use of any fire or military company organized under the laws of this state;

16 Building materials. All material not exceeding one thousand dollars in value, purchased in good faith for use in the construction, alteration or repair of any building, mining claim or other improvement as long as in good faith the same is about to be applied to the construction, alteration or repair of such building, mining claim or other improvement;

17. All machinery, tools and implements, necessary in and for boring, sinking, putting down and constructing surface or artesian wells, also the engines necessary for operating such machinery, implements, tools, etc, also all trucks necessary for the transportation of such machinery, tools, implements, engines, etc.; *provided* that the value of all the articles exempted under this subdivision shall not exceed one thousand dollars;

18. All the right, title, and interest of the insured and of the beneficiary in all policies of insurance for life, accident and health or either thereof, and the proceeds thereof, as to creditors of the insured and creditors of the beneficiary, up to but not in any such case exceeding insurance purchasable with an annual premium of five hundred dollars at the time the policies respectively were issued, and in addition thereto so much of the proceeds thereof when issued on a monthly income basis as shall not exceed one hundred dollars for an adult beneficiary or fifty dollars for a minor beneficiary, and in the case there is more than one policy, the court from which the execution issued shall, upon the application of any person interested, select and apportion the policies as between the creditors, the insured and the beneficiary;

19. Shares of stock in any building and loan association to the value of one thousand dollars;

20. Pensions. All money received by any person, a resident of the state as a pension from the United States government, whether the same shall be in the actual possession of such pensioner, or deposited, loaned or invested by him

Not exempt from judgment for price. No article, however, or species of property mentioned in this section is exempt from execution issued upon a judgment recovered for its price, or upon a judgment of foreclosure of a mortgage or other lien thereon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of lines 41 to and including line 51 on page 2 of the printed bill, and all of lines 1 to and including line 8 of page 3 of the printed bill.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, development, diversion, storage conservation, and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend by striking out sections 16 and 17 and inserting sections 16 to 140, inclusive, as follows:

SEC. 16. The board of directors of any natural gas district may also construct the necessary storages and works and sink the necessary wells and equip the same for the collection of gas and the generation of electric energy for said district, and do any and every lawful act necessary to be done, that the distribution of the natural resources of the district may be made as evenly and equitably in every portion of said district as is reasonably possible. The said board is hereby authorized and empowered to take conveyances, leases, contracts, or other assurances for all the property acquired by it under the provisions of this act, in the name of such natural recourse district, to and for the uses and purposes herein expressed, and to institute and maintain any and all actions and proceedings, suits at law and in equity, necessary or proper in order to fully carry out the provisions of this act, or to enforce, maintain, protect or preserve any and all rights, privileges and immunities created by this act, or acquired in pursuance thereof; and in all courts, actions, suits or proceedings, the said board may sue, appear and defend in person or by attorneys, and in the name of such natural resource district.

SEC. 17. It shall be the duty of the board of directors of any natural resource district to establish equitable by-laws, rules and regulations for the distribution and use of the natural resources developed and the electrical energy created therefrom among the owners of said lands, which must be printed in convenient form for distribution in the district. Said board shall have power generally to perform all such acts as shall be necessary to fully carry out the purposes of this act.

SEC. 18. The board of directors, when they deem it advisable for the best interests of the district, and the convenience of the electors thereof, may at any time, but not less than sixty days before an election to be held in the district, change the boundaries of the divisions or election precincts of the district or of both; *provided*, such changes shall be made to keep each division as nearly equal in area and population as may be practicable. Such change of boundaries of the divisions and precincts must be shown on the minutes of the board. The board of directors of any natural resource district now or that may hereafter be organized in the state, shall also have the power, and such board is hereby vested with the authority, to lease the system of canals and works in the district, or any part thereof, whenever such leasing may be for the benefit of the district; *provided*, that when the directors of any natural resource district contemplate the leasing of the properties, gas and power lines and works of such district, they shall give notice of such contemplation by publishing the same in some newspaper published in the county in which such natural resource district lies, at least three weeks prior to the making of any lease, and such lease shall be made to the highest bidder. But such board shall have the right to reject any and all such bids. Such lease shall in no way interfere with any rights that may have been established by law, at the time such lease is made; *and, further provided*, that the board of directors shall require a good and sufficient bond to secure faithful performance of the lease by the lessees.

SEC. 19. In case of condemnation proceedings the board shall proceed, in the name of the district, under the provisions of title seven, part three of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, and all pleadings, proceedings and process in said title provided shall be applicable to the condemnation proceedings hereunder.

SEC. 20. The use of all gas, petroleum and electric energy required for the use of the lands of any district formed under the provisions of this act, or the act of which this is supplementary or amendatory, and for domestic and other incidental and beneficial uses, within such district, together with the rights of way for pipe and power line sites for storages and all other property required in fully carrying out the provisions of this act is hereby declared to be a public use, subject to the regulation and control of the state, in the manner prescribed by law.

SEC. 21. An election, which shall be known as the general natural resource district election, shall be held in each natural resource district on the first Wednesday in February in each odd numbered year, at which a successor shall be chosen to each officer whose term shall expire in March next thereafter. The person receiving the highest number of votes for each office to be filled at such election shall be elected thereto. The elective officers of an irrigation district shall be as many directors as there are divisions in the district, and an assessor, a collector and treasurer; *provided*, that if any two or more offices shall have been consolidated as provided in this act only one person shall be elected to fill such consolidated offices. The term of office of each elective officer of a natural resource district elected at or after the general natural resource district election in 1928 shall be four years, or until his successor is elected and has qualified.

SEC. 22. Within ten days after receiving their certificates of election hereinafter provided for, said officers shall take and subscribe the official oath, and file the same in the office of the board of directors, and execute the bond hereinafter provided for. The assessor shall execute an official bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, and the collector an official bond in the sum of twenty thousand dollars, and the district treasurer an official bond in the sum of fifty thousand dollars; each of said bonds to be approved by the board of directors; *provided*, that the board of directors may, if it shall be deemed advisable, fix the bonds of the treasurer and collector, respectively, to suit the conditions of the district, the maximum amount of the treasurer's bond not to exceed fifty thousand dollars, and the minimum amount thereof not to be less than ten thousand dollars; and the maximum amount of the collector's bond not to exceed twenty thousand dollars, and the minimum amount of the collector's bond not to be less than five thousand dollars. Each member of said board of directors shall execute an official bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, which said bonds shall be approved by the judge of the superior court of said county where such organization was effected, and shall be recorded in the office of the county recorder thereof, and filed with the secretary of said board. All official bonds herein provided for shall be in the form prescribed by law for the official bonds of county officers and the premiums thereon may be paid by the district; *provided*, that in case any district organized under this title is appointed fiscal agent of the United States or by the United States in connection with any federal reclamation project, each of said officers shall execute a further and additional official bond in such sum as the secretary of the interior may require, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office and the faithful discharge by the district of its duties as fiscal or other agent of the United States under any such appointment or authorization, and any such bond may be sued upon by the United States or any person injured by the failure of such officer of the district to fully, promptly and completely perform their respective duties.

SEC. 23. If an election is not held as herein provided, then upon the filing of a petition with the secretary of the board of directors of such district, signed by ten per cent of the electors residing within the boundaries of any such natural resource district, requesting that a special election be called for the election of such officers, the directors of such district shall thereupon call a special election thereof for the election of such officers, such election to be held within not less than fifteen, nor more than thirty days after the filing of such petition.

SEC. 24. At noon of the first Tuesday in March next following their election, except as provided in section 14 of this act, the officers who shall have been elected at the preceding general natural resource district election shall enter upon the duties of their respective offices. On the first Tuesday in March next following each election, the directors shall meet and organize as a board, elect a president and appoint a secretary, who shall each hold office during the pleasure of the board.

SEC. 25. Fifteen days before any election held under this act, subsequent to the organization of any district, the secretary of the board of directors shall cause notices to be posted in three public places in each election precinct, of the time and place of holding the election, and shall also post a general notice of the same in the office of said board, which shall be established and kept at some fixed place, to be determined by said board, specifying the polling places of each precinct. Prior to the time for posting the notices, the board must appoint for each precinct, from the electors thereof, one inspector, two judges and two clerks, or at their option one inspector, one judge and one clerk, who shall in either case constitute a board of election for such precinct. If the board fail to appoint a board of election, or the members appointed do not attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of

election, the electors of the precinct present at that hour may appoint the board, or supply the place of an absent member thereof The board of directors, must, in its order, appointing the board of election, designate the house or place within the precinct where the election must be held.

SEC 26. The inspector is chairman of the election board and may administer all oaths required in the process of an election; and appoint judges, and clerks, if, during the progress of the election, any judge or clerk cease to act Any member of the board of election may administer and certify oaths required to be administered during the progress of an election Before opening the polls, each member of the board must take and subscribe an oath to faithfully perform the duties imposed upon them by law. Any electors of the precinct may administer and certify such oath. The polls must be opened at six a.m. on the morning of the election and be kept open until seven p.m., when the same must be closed, *provided, however*, the board of directors may in the notice of election as provided in section twenty-one of this act provide that the polls shall be open from eight a m. to four p m., at which time the polls shall be opened and closed respectively.

SEC. 27. The ballot used at the election shall be provided by the board of directors, and one of the clerks of election shall deliver to each of the electors one of the *ballots so provided. The ballots shall have printed on them the names of all* candidates whose names have been filed as provided in this act, with a voting square behind each name. The names shall be arranged in groups, alphabetically, under the designation of the office for which each person named is a candidate. Where more than one person is to be elected for an office of the same title, the words "Vote for_____(inserting the proper number)" shall be printed under the title of the office. Each elector shall stamp a cross, with a rubber stamp to be provided by the board of directors, in the square behind the name of each candidate he wishes to vote for.

SEC. 28 Not less than ten days before the election, any ten or more electors in the district may file with the board of directors a petition, requesting that certain persons, specified in such petition be placed on the ballot as candidates for the office named in the petition. The names proposed by the various petitions so filed, and no others, shall be printed on the ballots. But there shall be sufficient blank spaces left in which electors may write other names if they so desire. The petitions shall be preserved in the office of the secretary of the district

SEC 29. Voting may commence as soon as the polls are opened, and may be continued during all the time the polls remain opened, and shall be conducted, as nearly as practicable, in accordance with the provisions of the general election laws of this state As soon as all the votes are counted, a certificate shall be drawn upon each of the papers containing the poll lists and tallies, or attached thereto, stating the number of votes each one voted for has received, and designating the office to fill which he was voted for, which number shall be written in figures and in words at full length Each certificate shall be signed by the clerk, judge, and the inspector. One of said certificates, with the poll list and the tally paper to which it is attached, shall be retained by the inspector, and preserved by him at least six months. The ballots shall be strung upon a cord or thread by the inspector, during the counting thereof, in the order in which they are entered upon the tally list by the clerks, and *said ballots together with the other of said certificates, with the poll list and tally* paper to which it is attached, shall be sealed by the inspector in the presence of the judges and clerks, and indorsed "Election returns of (naming the precinct) precinct,", and be directed to the secretary of the board of directors, and shall be immediately delivered by the inspector, or by some other safe and responsible carrier designated by said inspector, to said secretary, and the ballots shall be kept unopened for at least six months; and if any person be of the opinion that the vote of any precinct has not been correctly counted, he may appear on the day appointed for the board of directors to open and canvass the returns, and demand a recount of the vote of the precinct that is so claimed to have been incorrectly counted

SEC. 30. No list, tally paper, or certificate returned from any election, shall be set aside or rejected for want of form, if it can be satisfactorily understood The board of directors must meet at its usual place of meeting on the first Monday after each election to canvass the returns If at the time of meeting, the returns from *each precinct in the district in which the polls were opened have been received, the* board of directors must then and there proceed to canvass the returns, but if all the returns have not been received, the canvass must be postponed from day to day until all the returns have been received, or until six postponements have been had. The canvass must be made in public and by opening the returns and estimating the vote of the district for each person voted for, and declaring the result thereof.

SEC 31 The secretary of the board of directors must, as soon as the result is declared, enter in the records of such board a statement of such result, which statement must show; (*a*) the whole number of votes cast in the district, and in each division of the district, (*b*) the names of the persons voted for, (*c*) the office to fill which each person was voted for, (*d*) the number of votes given in each precinct to each of such persons; (*e*) the number of votes given in each division for the office of director, and the number of votes given in the district for the offices of assessor, collector, and treasurer. The board of directors must declare elected the persons *having the highest number of votes given for each office. The secretary must imme-*

diately make out and deliver to such person a certificate of election, signed by him, and authenticated with the seal of the board.

In case of a vacancy in the office of assessor, collector, or treasurer, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment of the board of directors, *provided*, that if said board of directors shall neglect or refuse to make such appointment within a period of forty days, then the board of supervisors of the county wherein the office of said board of directors is situated shall make such appointment In case of a vacancy in the office of director, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the board of supervisors of the county where the office of such board of directors is situated, from the division in which the vacancy occurred An officer appointed as above provided shall hold his office until the next regular election for said district, and until his successor is elected and qualified

SEC 32 A director shall be a resident and freeholder of the natural resource district and a resident of the division which he is elected to represent.

SEC. 33. The board of directors, may, in its discretion, consolidate any two or more of the offices of assessor, collector, and treasurer The order of consolidation must be made at least thirty days prior to general election of the district, and shall take effect at the next succeeding election: *provided*, that the board of directors may, at least thirty days before a general election of the district, where the offices have been consolidated, segregate the same, each office to be filled at such election.

SEC 34. The treasurer and collector of any natural resource district may appoint as many deputies as may be necessary for the prompt and faithful discharge of the duties of his office, said deputies to hold office at the pleasure of the appointing power Such appointment must be in writing and filed in the office of the board of directors. Every such deputy shall take and file an oath in the manner required of his principal before assuming the duties of his office

SEC 35. In any district the board of directors thereof must, if a petition therefor signed by a majority of the holders of title or evidence of title to the lands within said district representing a majority in value of said lands shall have been filed in the office of the board at least seventy days before the next ensuing general natural resource district election, make an order that the number of directors in said district shall be changed to three or five, or that the directors shall be elected by the district at large or by divisions, or that both the number of directors and the method of their election shall be thus changed as may be requested in said petition, or, the board of directors on its own initiative, by resolution adopted not less than fifty days before the next ensuing general natural resource district election, may, and said board must, if a petition therefor signed by at least five hundred holders of title or evidence of title to lands within said district representing at least twenty per cent in value of the lands within said district shall have been filed in the office of the board at least seventy days before the next ensuing general natural resource district election, submit to the qualified electors of the district at said election the question whether the number of directors in said district shall be changed to three or five, or whether the directors shall be elected by the district at large or by divisions, or whether both the number of directors and the method of their election shall be thus changed. If upon the submission of said question at an election as aforesaid, a majority of the electors voting thereon in said district and a majority of the electors voting thereon in each division of a majority of the divisions within said district shall approve the change, or changes, proposed in the proposition submitted, the board of directors shall make an order in accordance with such approval. If an order made by the board of directors as in this section provided shall require a change in the method of electing directors, all directors thereafter elected in said district shall be elected by divisions or by the district at large as may be provided in said order. If such an order shall require a change in the number of directors, the board of directors shall forthwith redivide said district into the number of divisions corresponding to the number of directors specified in said order, and the terms of office of all the directors of the district shall expire on the first Tuesday in March following the next general natural resource district election, and at said election the number of directors designated in said order shall be elected and shall enter upon the duties of their office on the first Tuesday in March next following their election, and shall classify themselves and determine the length of their respective terms in the manner provided in this act in the case of directors elected upon the organization of a district The provisions of section 1 of this act regarding evidence of the genuineness of signatures and place of residence of petitioners shall apply to the petitions provided for in this section. If a question is submitted to the electors of a district as in this section provided, it shall be stated on the ballot and the method of voting thereon shall be, as nearly as practicable in conformity with the provisions of section 30 of this act, and the notice of election shall contain a statement showing what change or changes are proposed in the question thus to be submitted

SEC 36 The holder of any elective office of any natural resource district may be removed or recalled at any time by the electors; *provided*, he has held his office at least six months The provisions of this section are intended to apply to officials now in office, as well as to those hereafter elected The procedure to effect such removal or recall shall be as follows: A petition demanding the election of a successor to the person sought to be removed shall be filed with the secretary of the

board of directors of such district, which petition shall be signed by registered voters equal in number to at least twenty-five per cent of the highest vote cast within such district for candidates for the office, the incumbent of which is sought to be removed, at the last general election in such district at which an incumbent of such office was elected, or, in the case of the removal of the incumbent of an office elected by a subdivision of such district, such petition shall be signed by a like percentage of qualified electors of such subdivision computed upon the total number of votes cast in such subdivision for all candidates for the office, the incumbent of which is sought to be removed, at the last general election in such subdivision at which an incumbent of such office was elected; and said petition shall contain a statement of the grounds on which the removal or recall is sought, which statement is intended solely for the information of the electors. Any insufficiency of form or substance in such statement shall in no wise effect the validity of the election and proceedings held thereunder. The signatures to the petition need not all be appended to one paper. Each signer shall add to his signature his place of residence, giving the precinct, and if within a town having named streets and numbered houses, street and number. Each such separate paper shall have attached thereto an affidavit made by an elector of the district and sworn to before an officer competent to administer oaths, stating that the affiant circulated that particular paper and saw written the signatures appended thereto, and that according to the best information and belief of the affiant, each is the genuine signature of the person whose name purports to be thereunto subscribed and of a qualified elector of the district. Within ten days from the date of filing such petition, the secretary of the board shall examine and from the records of registration ascertain whether or not said petition is signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, and he shall attach to said petition his certificate showing the result of said examination. If by the said certificate the petition is shown to be insufficient, it may be supplemented within ten days from the date of such certificate, by the filing of additional papers, duplicates of the original petition except as to the names signed. The secretary shall, within ten days after such supplementing papers are filed, make like examination of a supplementing petition, and if a certificate shall show that all the names to such petition, including the supplemental papers, are still insufficient, no action shall be taken thereon, but the petition shall remain on file as a public record; and the failure to secure sufficient names shall be without prejudice to the filing later of an entirely new petition to the same effect. If the petition shall be found to be sufficient, the secretary shall submit the same to the board of directors without delay, whereupon the board shall forthwith cause a special election to be held within not less than thirty-five nor more than forty days after the date of the order calling such election, to determine whether the voters will recall such officer; *provided*, that if a general election is to occur within sixty days, from the date of the order calling for such election, the board may in its discretion postpone the holding of such election to such general election or submit such recall election at any such general election for officers of such district occurring not less than thirty-five days after such order. If a vacancy occur in said office after a recall petition is filed, the election shall nevertheless proceed as in this section provided. One petition is sufficient to propose a removal and election of one or more elective officials. One election is competent for the removal and election of one or more elective officials. Nominations for any office under such recall election shall be made in the manner prescribed by section 22*b* of this act.

There shall be printed on the recall ballot, as to every officer whose recall is to be voted on thereat, the following question: "Shall (name of person against whom the recall petition is filed) be recalled from the office of (title of the office)?" following which question shall be the words "Yes" and "No" on separate lines, with a blank space at the right of each, in which the voter shall indicate, by stamping a cross (X) his vote for or against such recall. On such ballots, under each such question, there shall also be printed the names of those persons who have been nominated as candidates to succeed the person recalled, in case he shall be removed from office by said recall election; but no vote shall be counted for any candidate for said office unless the voter also voted on said question of the recall of the person sought to be recalled from said office. The name of the person against whom the petition is filed shall not appear on the ballot as a candidate for the office. If a majority of those voting on said question of the recall of any incumbent from office shall vote "No", said incumbent shall continue in said office. If a majority shall vote "Yes", said incumbent shall thereupon be deemed removed from such office, upon the qualification of his successor. The election shall be conducted, canvass of all votes for candidates for said office shall be made and the result declared in like manner as in a regular election within such district. If the vote at any such recall election shall recall the officer, then the candidate who has received the highest number of votes for the office shall be thereby declared elected for the remainder of the term. In case the person who received the highest number of votes shall fail to qualify within ten days after receiving the certificate of election, the office shall be deemed vacant and shall be filled according to law. If the vote at any such recall election shall not recall the officer, no further petition for the recall of such officer shall be filed before the expiration of six months from the date of such first recall election.

SEC. 37. The legal title to all property acquired under the provisions of this act shall immediately and by operation of law vest in such natural resource district, and shall be held by such district, in trust for, and is hereby dedicated and set apart to the uses and purposes set forth in this act. And said board is hereby authorized and empowered to hold, use and acquire, manage, occupy and possess said property, as herein provided. The board of directors may determine by resolution duly entered upon their minutes that any property, real or personal, held by such natural resource district is no longer necessary to be retained for the uses and purposes thereof, and may thereafter sell such property; and a conveyance of any property held by any natural resource district, executed by the president and secretary thereof, in accordance with a resolution of the board of directors of such district, when sold for a valuable consideration, shall convey good title to the property so conveyed.

SEC. 38. For the purpose of constructing or purchasing necessary wells, pipe and power lines and works, and acquiring the necessary property and rights therefor, and for the purpose of acquiring natural gas, petroleum deposits and storages and storage sites, and other property necessary for the purposes of said district, and otherwise carrying out the provisions of this act, or any other act under which said district is or may be authorized to acquire property or construct works, the board of directors of any such district must, as soon after such district has been organized as may be practicable, and also whenever thereafter the board of directors shall find that the construction fund raised by the last previous bond issue is insufficient, or that the construction fund has been exhausted by expenditures herein authorized therefrom and it is necessary to raise additional money for said purposes, estimate and determine the amount of money necessary to be raised. For the purpose of ascertaining the amount of money necessary to be raised for such purposes, or any of them, said board shall cause such surveys, examinations, drawings, and plans to be made as shall furnish the proper basis for said estimate. Said surveys, examinations, drawings and plans and the estimate based thereon may provide that the works necessary for a completed project shall be constructed progressively during a period of years. In the estimate of the amount of money necessary to be raised by the first issue of bonds in any district, the board of directors may include a sum sufficient to pay the interest on all such bonds for three years or less. All such surveys, examinations, drawings and plans shall be made under the direction of a competent engineer and shall be certified by him.

SEC. 39. The board of directors shall then submit a copy of the said estimate and the said engineer's report to the commission authorized by law to approve bonds of natural resource districts for certification as legal investments for savings banks and for the other purposes specified in the act creating said commission. Said commission shall forthwith examine said report and any data in its possession or in the possession of said district and shall make such additional surveys and examinations at the expense of the district as it may deem proper or practicable, and as soon as practicable thereafter shall make to the board of directors of said district a report which shall contain such matters as, in the judgment of the said commission, may be desirable; *provided*, that it may state generally the conclusions of said commission regarding the supply of gas and petroleum products available for the project, the cost of works, rights and other property necessary for a complete and satisfactory project, the proper dates of maturity for the bonds proposed to be issued and whether in its opinion it is advisable to proceed with the proposed bond issue. If the estimate of the amount of said bond issue shall have included any amount for the payment of interest on the bonds of such issue, as provided in section 30 of this act, and such estimate for the payment of interest, or any part thereof, is approved by the commission in said report, it shall be lawful for the board of directors, if the issuance of such bonds is thereafter authorized by vote of the electors of the district, to use for the payment of interest on any bonds of such issue so much of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds as may have been approved for that purpose in said report of the commission.

SEC. 40. If after such examination and investigation the said commission shall deem it advisable that the said plans be modified or that the amount of the bonds proposed to be issued be changed, or that certain conditions should be prescribed to insure the success of the project, or that in its opinion it is not advisable to proceed with the proposed bond issue, it shall so state in its report to the board of directors. After receiving said report, or if no report is received within ninety days after the submission of said estimate and engineer's report to said commission, said board of directors, if it shall determine and shall declare by resolution that the proposed plan of works or some modified plan recommended by said commission is satisfactory and that the said project or said modified plan is feasible, shall make an order determining the amount of bonds that should be issued in order to raise the money necessary therefor, and in determining said amount sufficient shall be included to cover the estimated cost of inspection of works in course of construction, as provided for by law; *provided*, that if any district shall issue bonds to carry out any plans approved by said commission as herein provided it shall be unlawful to said district to make any material change in said plans thereafter without the consent of said commission.

SEC. 41. After the making of the order specified in section 39 of this act said board of directors may call a special election, at which shall be submitted to the electors of such district possessing the qualifications prescribed by this act, the

question whether or not the bonds of said district in the amount determined in said order of said board shall be issued, and said board must call such an election and submit said question upon receipt of a petition signed by a majority of the holders of title or evidence of title to lands within the district, representing, also, a majority in value of said lands, or by at least five hundred petitioners, each petitioner to the number of at least five hundred to be an elector residing within the district or a holder of title or evidence of title to lands therein; *provided*, that said petitioners shall include the holders of title or evidence of title to not less than twenty per cent in value of said lands. In determining the value of any lands within a natural resource district and the holders of title or evidence of title to such lands for the purpose of determining the sufficiency of any petition required by this act after the organization of the district, the assessment roll of the district last equalized at the time of the presentation of such petition shall be conclusive evidence, but if no assessment roll of the district has theretofore been equalized then the county assessment roll of the county within which any lands within the district are situated, which county assessment roll has been last equalized at the time of the presentation of such petition, shall be conclusive evidence of such facts for such land.

SEC. 42. Notice of such election must be given by posting notices in three public places in each election precinct in said district for at least twenty days and also by publication of such notice in some newspaper published in the county where the office of the board of directors of such district is required to be kept, once a week for at least three successive weeks. Such notices must specify the time of holding the election, the amount of bonds proposed to be issued; and said election must be held and the result thereof determined and declared in all respects as nearly as practicable in conformity with the provisions of this act governing the election of officers; *provided*, that no informalities in conducting such an election shall invalidate the same if the election shall have been otherwise fairly conducted.

SEC. 43. At said election questions as to the issuance of bonds may be submitted separately on the same ballot if estimates of the cost of the respective projects have been made and the natural resource district bond commission has reported thereon and the respective propositions have been stated in the notices of the election. At such election the ballots shall contain a general statement of the proposition or propositions to be voted on, including the amount of bonds proposed to be issued for each purpose, but no informality in such statement shall vitiate the election Each proposition shall be followed by the words "Yes" "No" on separate lines, with a small inclosed space after each of said words. The electors shall vote for or against any proposition by stamping a cross (×) in the voting space after the word "Yes" or "No" respectively. On the ballot shall be printed the following under the heading "Instructions to voters": "To vote for a proposition, stamp a cross (×) in the voting space after the word "Yes" following the proposition. To vote against a proposition, stamp a cross (×) in the voting space after the word "No" following the proposition." If two-thirds of the votes cast for and against any proposition are for "Yes", the board of directors shall cause bonds in the amount specified in such proposition to be issued; *provided*, that if said election shall have been called after the presentation of a petition therefor as provided in section 30*c* of this act, the board of directors shall cause bonds in the amount specified in any proposition to be issued if a majority of the votes cast for and against said proposition are for "Yes". If the number of votes for any proposition is less than the number required herein to authorize the issuance of the bonds provided for therein, the result of the vote on said proposition shall be entered of record, but said proposition may be again submitted to the electors of the district at a special election upon the presentation to the board of directors of a petition therefor signed as provided in section 30*c* of this act.

SEC 44. Subject to the provisions of this act, the board of directors shall prescribe the form of the bonds issued by the district and of the interest coupons to be attached thereto An issue of bonds is hereby defined to be all the bonds issued in accordance with a proposal approved by the electors of the district. Each issue of the bonds of a district shall be numbered consecutively as authorized, and the bonds of each issue shall be numbered consecutively The board of directors shall fix the date of said bonds, or may divide any issue into two or more divisions and fix different dates for the bonds of each respective division. The date of any bond must be subsequent to the election at which its issuance was authorized and prior to its delivery to a purchaser from the district. The date of issue of any bond authorized under this act or heretofore or hereafter issued in pursuance of this act shall be deemed to be the apparent date of the said bond appearing on the face thereof. Each bond shall be signed by the president and secretary of the board of directors of the district, who may be in the office at the date of said bond or at any time thereafter prior to the delivery of said bond to the purchaser thereof from the district, and the seal of the district shall be impressed on each bond. The interest coupons shall also bear the signature of the secretary of the board of directors or a facsimile of such signature The board of directors shall fix the denominations of said bonds, which shall not be less than one-hundred dollars nor more than one-thousand dollars. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed by the board of directors, but the rate shall not exceed six per centum per annum. The interest shall be payable on the first day of January and the first day

of July of each year. The board of directors shall also designate the place or places at which said bonds or any of them and the interest thereon shall be payable. Each issue or each division of any issue of said bonds shall be payable in gold coin of the United States in twenty series as follows, to wit: at the expiration of twenty-one years from the date of any issue or any division of any issue of said bonds, two per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of twenty-two years from said date, two per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of twenty-three years from said date, three per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of twenty-four years from said date, three per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of twenty-five years from said date, four per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of twenty-six years from said date, four per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of twenty-seven years from said date, four per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of twenty-eight years from said date, four per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of twenty-nine years from said date, five per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of thirty years from said date, five per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of thirty-one years from said date, five per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of thirty-two years from said date, five per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of thirty-three years from said date, six per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of thirty-four years from said date, six per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of thirty-five years from said date, six per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of thirty-six years from said date, six per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of thirty-seven years from said date seven per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division; at the expiration of thirty-eight years from said date, seven per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, at the expiration of thirty-nine years from said date, eight per centum of the whole amount of said issue or division; at the expiration of forty years from said date, eight per centum of the whole amount of such issue or division, *provided*, that if any bonds are not dated on the first day of January or the first day of July, they shall nevertheless be payable on the first day of January or the first day of July next preceding the date on which they would become payable according to the foregoing schedule Bonds of any issue may be made payable at the ends of other periods than are specified herein and the number of series may be more or less than twenty if the number of series and the length of the respective periods at the ends or which the respective amounts of bonds shall be made payable have been specified in the notice of the election at which the issuance of such bonds was authorized, or on the recommendation of the natural resource district bond commission, but in any event the bonds shall all be made payable on the first day of January or the first day of July next preceding the ends of the respective periods specified, unless said bonds are dated on the first day of January or the first day of July, and in no case shall the maturity of any bond be more than forty years from date thereof, nor shall more than eight per centum of the total amount of any issue or division be made payable in any one year if the number of series is made more than twenty Each bond shall be made payable at a given time for its full face value and not for a percentage thereof

SEC. 45. The board may sell said bonds from time to time in such quantities as may be necessary and most advantageous to raise money for the construction of said wells, pipe and power lines and works, the acquisition of said property and rights, or the acquisition of any natural gas and petroleum rights, and otherwise to fully carry out the objects and purposes of this act. Before making any sale the board shall, at a meeting, by resolution, declare its intention to sell a specified amount of the bonds, and the day and hour and place of such sale, and shall cause such a resolution to be entered in the minutes, and notice of the sale to be given, by publication thereof at least three weeks in some newspaper published in the county where the office of the board of directors is located and in any other newspaper at its discretion. The notice shall state that sealed proposals will be received by the board at their office, for the purchase of bonds, till the day and hour named in the resolution. At the time appointed, the board shall open the proposals and award the purchase of the bonds or any portion or portions thereof to the highest responsible bidder or bidders; *provided, however*, that they may reject any or all bids; *and provided, further*, that no proposal shall be accepted which is not accompanied by a certified check for such reasonable percentage of the amount of the bid as shall be determined by the board of directors, but in no event less than two per cent of the amount thereof to apply on the purchase price of the bonds, the amount of which check shall be forfeited if after the acceptance of the proposal the bidder shall refuse to accept said bonds and complete his purchase thereof on the conditions stated in his proposal In case no award is made, the board thereafter may either readvertise said bonds or any part thereof for sale or sell the same

or any part thereof at private sale but no sale of said bonds at private sale shall be valid unless approved by the California bond certification commission.

SEC. 46. The board of directors of any natural resource district organized and existing under or subject to the provisions of this act may, by a majority vote of the members of the board, submit to the electors of said natural resource district at any election, the proposition of the issuance of new bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding any or all bonds of such district outstanding at the time of such election.

Such election shall be held and the result thereof determined and declared substantially in the same manner, and the vote required for the authorization of such bonds shall be the same as provided by this act for the issuance of other bonds of such districts.

Such funding or refunding bonds shall be issued in substantially the manner and in the form required by this act for the issuance of other bonds of natural resource districts, and the provisions of this act, and of the act creating the California certification commission, concerning the authorization, certification, issuance and sale of bonds of natural resource districts, shall be applicable to funding or refunding bonds; *provided, however*, that the maturities of said funding or refunding bonds shall be fixed by the board of directors of said district, subject to the approval of the California bond certification commission, but in no case shall the maturity of any such bonds be more than forty years from the date thereof. Such funding or refunding bonds may be sold from time to time in the same manner as other bonds of the district, or, if the directors of the district and the holders of any outstanding bonds so elect, any such funding or refunding bonds may be exchanged for any outstanding bonds. Any such outstanding bonds so funded or refunded or exchanged shall be immediately canceled by the board of directors.

SEC. 47. If any natural resource district bonds have been authorized before the time when this section shall go into effect but have not been sold and the board of directors of said district deems it desirable that said board be authorized to sell said bonds for less than the par value thereof, said board may call a special election to submit to the voters of the district said proposition. Such election shall be held and notice thereof shall be given in the same manner as is provided in the case of special elections to authorize the issuance of bonds in natural resource districts. The proposition shall be stated in substantially the following form: "Shall the board of directors of_____(*insert the name of the natural resource district*) be authorized to sell bonds of the district for less than par value thereof?" followed by the words "YES" and "NO" as provided in section 30 hereof. If at least two-thirds of the legal votes cast at such election are for "YES" then the board of directors may sell any bonds authorized by said district before this section shall take effect to the highest responsible bidder.

SEC. 48. Said bonds and the interest thereon shall be paid from revenue derived from an annual assessment upon the land within the district; and all the land within the district shall be and remain liable to be assessed for such payments as hereinafter provided

SEC. 49. In case the money raised by the sale of bonds issued be insufficient, or in case the bonds be unavailable for the completion of the plan of development and works adopted, and the acquisition of the necessary property, gas and petroleum rights therefor, and additional bonds by not voted, it shall be the duty of the board of directors to provide for the completion of said plan, and the acquisition of such necessary property, gas and petroleum rights, by levy of assessments therefor; *provided, however*, that such levy of assessments shall not be made except first an estimate of the amount required for such purposes has been made by said board, and the question as to the making of said levy submitted to a vote of the electors of the district. Before such question is submitted the order of submission shall be entered in the minutes of the board, stating the amount to be levied and the purpose therefor, and if submitted at a special election said order shall, in addition, fix the day of election. Notice of such election must be given by posting notices in three public places in each election precinct in said district for at least twenty days, and also by publication of such notice in some newspaper published in the county where the office of the board of directors of such district is required to be kept once a week for at least three successive weeks Such notices must specify the time of holding the election, and the amount of assessment proposed to be levied Said election must be held and the result thereof determined and declared in all respects as nearly as practicable in conformity with the provisions of this act governing the election of officers; *provided*, that no informalities in conducting such an election shall invalidate the same, if the election shall have been otherwise fairly conducted At such an election the ballots shall contain the words "Assessment"—"Yes", or "Assessment"—"No", or words equivalent thereto If a majority of the votes cast are "Assessment—Yes", the board of directors shall cause an assessment in the amount named in the order of submission to be levied; if a majority of the votes cast are "Assessment—No", the result of such election shall be so declared and entered of record

SEC. 50. The assessor must, between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in June, in each year, assess all real estate in the district, to the persons who own, claim or have possession or control thereof, at its full cash value, as follows: He must prepare an assessment book with appropriate headings, in which must be listed all such property within the district, in which must be specified, in separate columns, under the appropriate head: (1) the name of the person to whom the property is assessed, if the name is not known to the assessor, the property shall be assessed to "unknown owners"; (2) land by township, range, section or fractional section, and when such land is not congressional division or subdivision, by metes and bounds, or other description sufficient to identify it, giving an estimate of the number of acres and locality; (3) city and town lots, naming the city or town and the number and block, according to the system of numbering in such city or town; (4) the cash value of real estate, other than city or town lots; (5) the cash value of city and town lots, (6) the total value of all property assessed; (7) the total value of all property after equalization by the board of directors; (8) such other things as the board of directors may require Improvements on any lands or town lots within such districts shall be exempt from taxation for any of the purposes mentioned in this act Any property which may have escaped the payment of any assessment for any year, shall, in addition to the assessment for the then current year, be assessed for such year with the same effect and with the same penalties as are provided for in such current The term improvements as used in this section includes trees, vines, alfalfa and all growing crops and all buildings and structures of whatever class or description erected or being erected upon said lands or city or town lots

SEC. 51 The board of directors must allow the assessor as many deputies, to be appointed by him, as will, in the judgment of the board, enable him to complete the assessment within the time herein prescribed. The board must fix the compensation of such deputies, which shall be paid out of the treasury of the district The compensation must not exceed five dollars per day for each deputy, for the time actually engaged, nor must any allowance be made but for work done between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in August in each year.

SEC. 52 On or before the first Monday in August in each year, the assessor must complete his assessment book, and deliver it to the secretary of the board, who must immediately give notice thereof, and of the time the board of directors, acting as a board of equalization, will meet to equalize assessments, by publication in a newspaper published in each of the counties comprising the district. The time fixed for the meeting shall not be less than twenty nor more than thirty days from the first publication of the notice, and in the meantime the assessment book must remain in the office of the secretary for the inspection of all persons interested.

SEC 53 Upon the day specified in the notice required by the preceding section for the meeting, the board of directors, which is hereby constituted a board of equalization for that purpose, shall meet and continue in session from time to time, as long as may be necessary, not to exceed ten days, exclusive of Sundays, to hear and determine such objections to the valuation and assessment as may come before them and the board may change the valuation as may be just. The secretary of the board shall be present during its sessions, and note all changes made in the valuation of property, and in the names of the persons whose property is assessed; and within ten days after the close of the session he shall have the total values, as finally equalized by the board, extended into columns and added.

SEC 54 The board of directors shall then within fifteen days after the close of its session as a board of equalization, levy an assessment upon the lands within the district in an amount sufficient to raise the interest due or that will become due on all outstanding bonds of the district on the first day of the next ensuing January, and the first day of the next ensuing July, or that the board of directors believes will become due on either or both of said dates, on bonds authorized but not sold; also sufficient to pay the principal of all bonds of the district that have matured or that will mature before the close of the next ensuing calendar year; also sufficient to pay in full all sums due or that will become due from the district before the close of the next ensuing calendar year on account of rentals, or charges for lands, gas or petroleum rights acquired by said district under lease or contract; also sufficient to pay in full the amount of all unpaid warrants of the district issued in accordance with this act and the amount of any other contracts or obligations of the district which shall have been reduced to judgment, also sufficient to raise such amount not exceeding two per centum of the aggregate value of the lands within the district according to the latest duly equalized assessment roll thereof, as the board of directors shall determine may be needed to be raised by assessment for any of the purposes of this act. The board of directors may also include in any annual assessment such an amount as it may deem proper, not exceeding one per centum of the total assessed value of the land in the district to be apportioned to the bond fund and to be used as provided in section 52 of this act, for the redemption of immatured bonds of the district or for the creation of a sinking fund to pay any of such bonds as they become due, *provided however* that notwithstanding any provision of this act or any act amendatory hereof, or supplementary hereto, the board of directors may in lieu, either in whole or in part, of levying the annual assessment for the payment

of interest on or principal of bonds or for any other purposes of this act, use any income or revenue of the district derived from the sale of electric power or from the sale or lease of gas or the use of gas or for power purposes.

SEC. 55. The secretary of the board must compute and enter in a separate column of the assessment book the respective sums in dollars and cents to be paid as an assessment on the property therein enumerated. When collected, the assessment shall be paid into the district treasury and be apportioned to the several proper funds.

SEC. 56. If as the result of the neglect or refusal of the board of directors to cause such assessment and levies to be made as in this act provided, then the duly equalized assessment made by the county assessor of the county or each of the respective counties in which the district is situated shall be the basis of assessment for the district, and the board of supervisors of the county in which the office of the board of directors of said district is situated shall cause as assessment roll of said district to be prepared, and shall make the levy required by this act, in the same manner and with like effect as if the same had been made by said board of directors and all expenses incident thereto shall be borne by such district and may be collected by suit at law, which shall be commended by the district attorney of the county whose board of supervisors caused said assessment roll to be prepared, unless the amount of such expenses shall be paid within sixty days from the time when proper demand shall have been made therefor. In case of the neglect or refusal of the collector or treasurer of any natural resource district to perform the duties imposed by law, then the tax collector and the treasurer of the county in which the office of the board of directors of such district is situated must respectively perform such duties and shall be accountable therefor upon their official bonds; but, in case any county tax collector shall collect any assessment for any natural resource district, he shall pay the same to the county treasurer, who shall place such money in special fund to the credit of the district and shall disburse the same to the proper persons for the purposes for which such assessments have been levied and shall not pay any part thereof to the treasurer of said district until said county treasurer shall be satisfied that all of the valid obligations for which such assessments were levied and for which payment has been demanded have been paid.

SEC. 57. It shall be the duty of the district attorney of each county in which the office of any natural resource district is located to ascertain each year whether the duties relating to the levying and collection of assessments, as in this act provided, have been performed, and if he shall learn that the board of directors or any official of any such natural resource district has neglected or refused to perform any such duty, said district attorney shall so notify the board of supervisors or the county official required by this act to perform such duty in such case, and unless such board of supervisors or such county official shall proceed to the performance of such duty within thirty days after the receipt of such notice the district attorney shall take such action in court as may be necessary to compel the performance of such duty, and said district attorney shall give such notice to other officials, and shall take such action, as may be necessary to secure the performance in their proper sequence of the other duties relating to the levying and collection of assessments, as in this act provided, that for the enforcement of the levying and collection of any assessment hereafter required to be levied and collected for the payment of any debt hereafter incurred, in case complaint shall be made to the attorney general of the State of California that the district attorney of any county has not performed any duty devolving upon him by the provisions of this section, or that he is not proceeding with due diligence or in the proper manner in the performance of any such duty, the attorney general shall make an investigation, and if it shall be found that such charge or charges are true, said attorney general shall take such measures as may be necessary to enforce the performance of the duties relating to the levying and collection of assessments, as in this act provided

SEC. 58. If as the result of the neglect or refusal of any official or officials to perform any duty relating to the levying and collection of assessments, as in this act provided, it shall be impossible for such duty to be performed within the time required and such duty shall subsequently be performed, then the time within which all duties consequent upon the performance of such duty shall be performed shall be extended so as to allow the elapsing of the intervals required by this act to elapse between the performance of such duties, and the assessments herein provided for shall not become delinquent for at least thirty days after the first publication of the notice that such assessments are due and payable, as provided in section 41 of this act.

SEC. 59 In the event any land within said district subject to assessment for the purposes of the district has not been assessed by the county assessor or does not appear upon the county assessment roll adopted by said board of supervisors as the basis of assessment for the district, the land so omitted belonging to any person, association, corporation, or municipality shall be forthwith assessed by the county assessor upon an order of the board of supervisors and a description of the property so omitted shall be written in the roll prepared for the purpose of district assessments In such case, before any assessment is levied, the board of supervisors must meet and equalize said assessment with that of the assessment of other land in said district The same notice shall be given by the board of supervisors of such meeting for purpose of equalizing the assessment to be made as herein directed as is provided

in this act to be given by the board of directors of a natural resource district when the said board is to meet for the purpose of equalizing assessments. All the powers and duties respecting the collection of all assessment on possession of, claim to, or right to the possession of land, now provided in sections 3820, 3821, 3822, 3823, 3824, 3825 and 3829 of the Political Code, as regards county assessors shall apply, so far as applicable, to natural resource district assessors

SEC. 60 Whenever any tolls and charges for the use of gas, petroleum or electric energy and other public uses provided for by this act have been fixed by the board of directors, it shall be lawful to make the same payable in advance. In case any tolls or charges remain unpaid at the time specified for the delivery of the assessment book to the collector of the district, the amount due for such tolls and charges, may be added to and become a part of the annual assessment levied upon the land upon which the gas, petroleum or electric energy for which such tolls and charges are unpaid was used and upon the lands subject to tolls and charges for other public uses, and shall constitute a lien on said land, and if such assessment is divided and made payable in two installments such unpaid tolls and charges may be added to and become a part of the first installment of said assessment.

SEC. 61. The assessment upon land is a lien against the property assessed from and after the first Monday in March for any year

SEC. 62 In case the board of directors of any natural resource district shall find that any property has been assessed in any year more than once or has been assessed by reason of a clerical error for more than its full cash value, or computed on an excessive acreage, or that any property assessed was not in the district when so assessed, the board may authorize the collector to cancel or modify such assessment, as may be proper, and in case of any such change in any assessment, the secretary shall credit the collector with the amount of said assessment if it is cancelled, or the amount by what it is reduced if it is modified

Any assessments, penalties or costs thereon or portions thereof, provided for by this act, heretofore or hereafter paid more than once or heretofore or hereafter erroneously, or illegally collected, may by order of the board of directors be refunded by the district treasurer

No order for the refund of assessments, penalties or costs under this section shall be made except upon a verified claim therefor, verified by the person who has paid said assessments, penalties or costs, or by his guardian, or in case of his death, by his executor or administrator, which said claim must be filed within one year after the making of the payment sought to be refunded.

SEC. 63 On or before the first day of November, the secretary must deliver the assessment book to the collector of the district, who shall within twenty days publish a notice in a newspaper published in each county in which any portion of the district may lie, that said assessments are due and payable and will become delinquent at six o'clock p m. on the last Monday of December next thereafter, and that unless paid prior thereto ten per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and also the time and place at which payment of assessments may be made, which notice shall be published for the period of two weeks. The collector must attend at the time and place specified in the notice to receive assessments, which must be paid in gold and silver coin; he must mark the date of payment of any assessment in the assessment book, opposite the name of the person paying and give a receipt to such person, specifying the amount of the assessment and the amount paid, with the description of the property assessed On the last Monday in December at six o'clock p m. of each year all unpaid assessments are delinquent and thereafter the collector must collect thereon, for the use of the district, an addition of ten per cent.

SEC. 64 The board of directors at any time after any assessment has become delinquent direct the collector not to proceed with the sale of any property on the delinquent list, but to bring suit against the delinquent in the proper court in the name of the district to enforce such collection The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to pleadings, proofs, trials, and pleas are hereby made applicable to the proceedings herein provided for, and in such suit the district may recover the amount of said assessment together with the penalties and interests, provided in this act, and costs of suit

SEC. 65 On or before the first day of February, the collector must publish the delinquent list, which must contain the names of the persons and a description of the property delinquent, and the amount of the assessments and costs due opposite each name and description He must append to and publish with the delinquent list a notice, that, unless the assessments delinquent, together with costs and percentage, are paid, the real property upon which such assessments are a lien will be sold at public auction. The publication must be made once a week for three successive weeks, in a newspaper published in the county in which the property delinquent is situated, *provided*, that if any property assessed to the same person or corporation shall lie in more than one county, then such publication may be made in any county in which any portion of such property may lie The publication must designate the time and place of sale. The time of sale must not be less than twenty-one nor more than twenty-eight days from the first publication, and the place must be at some point designated by the collector within the district; *provided, however*, that if there should occur any error in the publication of the sale of the delinquent property, which might

invalidate a sale made thereunder, and such error is discovered prior to sale thereunder the collector shall at once republish the sale of the property affected by such error, making such republication conform to the provisions of this law, and the time of sale designated in such republication must not be less than twenty-one nor more than twenty-eight days from the first publication, and the place of sale must be at some point designated by the collector within the district, and stated in such republication

SEC 66 The collector must collect, in addition to the assessments due on the delinquent list, and ten per cent added, fifty cents on each lot, piece or tract of land separately assessed. On the day fixed for the sale, or some subsequent day to which he may have postponed it, of which he must give notice, the collector, between the hours of ten a.m. and three o'clock p.m., must commence the sale of the property advertised, commencing at the head of the list and continuing alphabetically, or in the numerical order of the lots or blocks, until completed He may postpone the day of commencing the sales, or the sale, from day to day, but the sale must be completed within three weeks from the day first fixed; *provided*, that if any sale or sales shall be stayed by legal proceedings, the time of the continuance of such proceedings is not part of the time limited for making such sale or sales, *and provided, further*, that in any district where the validity of any assessment shall be in litigation at the time this act shall take effect, the sale of any property, whether it be involved in such litigation or not, may be postponed for a time not to exceed four months.

SEC 67 The owner or person in possession of any real estate offered for sale for assessments due thereon may designate, in writing, to the collector, prior to the sale, what portion of the property he wishes sold, if less than the whole, but if the owner or possessor does not, then the collector may designate it and the person who will take the least quantity of the land, or in case an undivided interest, is assessed, then the smallest portion of the interest, and pay the assessments and costs due, including two dollars, for the duplicate certificate of sale, is the purchaser. If the purchaser does not pay the assessments and costs before ten o'clock a.m. the following day, the property on the next sale day must be resold for the assessments and costs. But in case there is no purchaser in good faith for the same on the first day that the property is offered for sale, then, when the property is offered thereafter for sale and there is no purchaser in good faith for the same, the whole amount of the property assessed shall be struck off to the natural resource district within which such lands are situated, as the purchaser, and the duplicate certificate delivered to the treasurer of the district, and filed by him in his office No charge shall be made for the duplicate certificate where the district is the purchaser, and, in such case, the collector shall make an entry, "sold to the district" and he shall be credited with the amount thereof in his settlement. A natural resource district as a purchaser at such sale, shall be entitled to the same rights as a private purchaser, subject to the right of redemption hereinafter provided, and the district as such purchaser may sell, assign and transfer such certificate of sale for a consideration of not less than the amount of the assessment, penalties and costs.

SEC. 68 After receiving the amount of assessments and costs, the collector must make out in duplicate a certificate, dated on the day of sale, stating (when known) the name of the person assessed, a description of the land sold, the amount paid therefor, that it was sold for assessments, giving the amount and year of the assessment, and specifying the time when the purchaser will be entitled to a deed The certificate must be signed by the collector, and one copy delivered to the purchaser, and the other filed in the office of the county recorder of the county in which the land is situated.

SEC 69 The collector, before delivering any certificate, must in a book enter a description of the land sold, corresponding with the description in the certificate, the date of the sale, purchasers' names, and amount paid, regularly number the description on the margin of the book and put a corresponding number on each certificate. Such book must be open to public inspection, without fee, during office hours, when not in actual use On filing the certificate with such county recorder the lien of the assessments vests with the purchaser, and is only divested by the payment to him, or to the collector for his use, of the purchase money, and two per cent per month from the day of sale until redemption

SEC. 70. A redemption of the property sold may be made by the owner or any party of interest, within three years from the date of purchase, or at any time thereafter before a deed has been made and delivered. Redemption must be made in gold or silver coin, as provided for the collection of state and county taxes, and when made to the collector he must credit the amount paid to the purchaser or his assignees. In each report the collector makes to the board of directors, he must name the person entitled to redemption money, and the amount due each. On receiving the certificate of sale, the county recorder must file it and make an entry in a book similar to that required of the collector. On the presentation of the receipt of the person named in the certificate, or of the collector for his use, of the total amount of the redemption money, the recorder must mark the word "redeemed," the date, and by whom redeemed, on the certificate and on the margin of the book where the entry of the certificate is made. If the property is not redeemed within the time herein provided, the collector or his successor in office, upon demand,

must make to the purchaser, or his assignee, a deed of the property, reciting in the deed substantially the matters contained in the certificate, and that no person redeemed the property during the time allowed by law for its redemption. The collector shall receive from the purchaser for the use of the district, two dollars for making such deed. Where property has been sold to the district and a deed for it has been given to the district as the purchaser, the title so acquired by the district may be conveyed by deed executed and acknowledged by the president and secretary of the board of directors; *provided*, that authority to so convey must be conferred by resolution of the board entered on its minutes fixing the price at which such sale may be made; *and provided, further*, that where property has been sold to the district it may be redeemed as herein provided at any time before the district has disposed of the same.

SEC. 71. The five year period herein prescribed for the redemption of properties sold for delinquent taxes shall not operate as a bar to the dissolution of any natural resource district. If any land has been sold for delinquent taxes of a district in process of dissolution, or in a district which has been dissolved, and the time allowed for redemption has not expired, the owner of such property or any one in interest may redeem the same by paying the amount due thereon, computed as provided in section 46 of this act, to the county treasurer, who must issue his receipt therefor, and upon presentation of such receipt the county recorder must cancel the certificate of sale in the manner required in the preceding section.

In the event any land has been sold for nonpayment of taxes as herein provided, and no redemption has been made within five years from the date of purchase in any district which may have been dissolved before the expiration of said redemption period, then a deed for the property sold and described in the certificate of sale must be made to the purchaser upon demand by the county treasurer of the county in which said natural resource district is or was situated. Such deed shall contain all the recitals of the certificate of sale, and in addition thereto, a recital that the district has been dissolved, and a deed executed in pursuance of the authority given by this section. A deed so executed shall have the same force and effect as if executed by the collector of a natural resource district

SEC. 72. The matter recited in the certificate of sale must be recited in the deed, and such deed duly acknowledged or proved is prima facie evidence that: (a) The property was assessed as required by law; (b) the property was equalized as required by law; (c) the assessments were levied in accordance with law; (d) the assessments were not paid; (e) at a proper time and place the property was sold as prescribed by law, and by the proper officer; (f) the property was not redeemed; (g) the person who executed the deed was the proper officer.

Such deed duly acknowledged or proved is (except as against actual fraud) conclusive evidence of the regularity of all the proceedings from the assessment by the assessor, inclusive, up to the execution of the deed. The deed conveys to the grantee the absolute title to the lands described therein free of all encumbrances, except when the land is owned by the United States, or this state, in which case it is prima facie evidence of the right of possession.

SEC 73. The assessment book, or delinquent list, or a copy thereof, certified by the collector, showing unpaid assessments against any person, or property, is prima facie evidence of the assessment, the property assessed, the delinquency, the amount of assessments due and unpaid, and that all the forms of the law in relation to the assessment and levy of such assessments have been complied with.

SEC. 74 When land is sold for assessments correctly imposed, as the property of a particular person, no misnomer of the owner, or supposed owner, or other mistake relating to the ownership thereof affects the sale, or renders it void, or voidable.

SEC. 75. On the first Monday in each month, the collector must settle with the secretary of the board for all moneys collected for assessments, and pay the same over to the treasurer; and within six days thereafter he must deliver to and file in the office of the secretary a statement under oath, showing: (a) an account of all his transactions and receipts since his last settlement; (b) that all money collected by him as collector has been paid. The collector shall also file in the office of the secretary, on said first Monday in each month, the receipt of the treasurer for the money so paid.

SEC. 76. Upon presentation of any matured bond or any matured interest coupon of any bond of the district, the treasurer shall pay the same from the bond fund. If funds are not available for the payment of any such matured bond or interest coupon, it shall draw interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of its presentation for payment until notice is given that funds are available for its payment, and it shall be stamped and provision made for its payment as in the case of a warrant for the payment of which funds are not available on its presentation Whenever the bond fund contains ten thousand dollars in excess of the amount necessary to pay all bonds and interest coupons of the district that have matured or that will mature before the time when any part of the next annual assessment to be levied in the district will become delinquent, the board of directors may advertise,

in the manner hereinbefore provided for the sale of bonds, for the receipt of sealed proposals for the delivery to the district for redemption of any of its bonds not due. Said advertisement shall state the amount which may be used for the redemption of such bonds. Any such proposals shall be opened by the board in open meeting at the time named in said advertisement, and the offer or offers of such bonds at the lowest rate or rates shall be accepted; *provided*, that no bonds shall be redeemed at more than the par value thereof except by unanimous vote of the directors. In case two or more proposals are equal and there is not sufficient money available to accept them all, the lowest numbered bonds shall have the preference. In case not enough bonds are offered for redemption at prices which the board of directors accepts, the board may invest any money available for redemption of bonds in bonds of the United States or the State of California and shall hold the bonds so purchased as part of the bond fund until such time as the board may determine that it is for the best interests of the district that such bonds or any of them be sold. In case of the sale of any such bonds, the proceeds of the sale shall be deposited in the bond fund.

SEC. 77. After adopting a plan for such wells, pipe lines and power lines, storages and works, as in this act provided for, the board of directors shall give notice, by publication thereof not less than twenty days in one newspaper published in each of the counties composing the district (provided a newspaper is published therein), and in such other newspapers as they may deem advisable, calling for bids for the construction of such work, or of *any portion thereof*, if less than the whole work is advertised, then the portion so advertised must be particularly described in such notice. Said notice shall set forth that plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the board, and that the board will receive sealed proposals therefor, and that the contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, stating the time and place for opening said proposals, which, at the time and place appointed, shall be opened in public, and as convenient thereafter the board shall let said work, either in portions or as a whole, to the lowest responsible bidder; or they may reject any or all bids and readvertise for proposals or may proceed to construct the work under their own superintendence, *provided*, that in case of emergency or urgent necessity for the construction, extension or repair of works, the board of directors, by unanimous vote of those present at any regular or special meeting, may award contracts therefor without advertising for bids, but the cost of such work shall not exceed five hundred dollars and such additional amount as shall be equal to five cents for each acre of land in the district. Contracts for the purchase of material shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. Any person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded shall enter into a bond, with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the board, payable to said district for its use, for twenty-five per cent of the amount of the contract price, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract. The work shall be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the engineer, and be approved by the board.

SEC. 78. During the construction of any gas, petroleum or electric works to be paid for out of the proceeds of any bond issue which has been certified by the state natural resource district bond commission as provided in the act creating said commission, the state engineer shall have access to all plans, specifications, and records of such construction, and shall from time to time make such investigations and such reports to the board of directors of the district as he shall deem to be in the interest of the public or of the district.

SEC. 79. No claim shall be paid by the treasurer until allowed by the board, and only upon a warrant signed by the president, and countersigned by the secretary; *provided*, that the board may draw, from time to time, from the construction fund, and deposit in the county treasury of the county where the office of the board is situated any sum in excess of the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars. The county treasurer of said county is hereby authorized and required to receive and receipt for the same and place the same to the credit of said district, and he shall be responsible upon his official bond for the safe keeping and disbursement of the same, as in this act provided. He shall pay out the same, or any portion thereof, to the treasurer of the district only, and only upon the order of the board, signed by the president, and attested by the secretary. The said county treasurer shall report, in writing, on the second Monday in each month, the amount of money in the county treasury, the amount of receipts for the month preceding, and the amount or amounts paid out; said report shall be verified and filed with the secretary of the board. The district treasurer shall also report to the board, in writing, on the first Monday in each month, the amount of money in the district treasury, the amount of receipts for the month preceding, and the amount and items of expenditures, and said report shall be verified and filed with the secretary of the board.

SEC. 80. During the construction of any work to be paid for out of the proceeds of the sale of any bonds of any natural resource district within this state, the secretary of the board of directors shall, within one week after each regular meeting of said board, forward to the state engineer copies of all reports made to said board as to the progress of said work and a statement of the amounts paid for the doing of any part of said work. Immediately after the publication of the statement of the financial condition of any natural resource district within this state, required by section 14 of this act to be made annually, the board of directors of said district

shall cause a copy of said statement and a report stating the general condition of any works constructed or acquired by said district and whether or not the plans adopted by the district are being successfully carried out and any other matters which the board may deem proper, to be forwarded to the state engineer, who shall examine said statement and report and make to said board such recommendations and comments as he may deem proper. The state engineer may at any time make or cause to be made an examination of the affairs of any natural resource district within this state, or call upon the authorities of such district for such information as he may desire and make such report thereon as he may deem advisable.

SEC. 81. The cost and expense of purchasing and acquiring property and constructing the works and improvements herein provided for shall be wholly paid out of the construction fund; *provided, however*, that when any lands, waters, natural gas, petroleum rights or other property shall be acquired by the district by any lease or contract, under the terms of which the consideration or rental shall be payable in such installments that a like amount shall be payable in each year of the life of such lease or contract, then such rental or consideration shall be paid out of the funds derived from the levying of annual assessments, or from the collection of rates, tolls, and charges, fixed and collected as hereinafter provided for. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the organization of the district, and of the care, operation, management of same, repairs and improvements, also salaries of officers and employees, and installments of rental or consideration accruing under any lease or contract as hereinabove in this section mentioned, the board may, in lieu (either in part or in whole) of levying assessments as herein provided for, fix rates of toll and charges for power and other public uses declared by this act, and collect the same.

SEC. 82. The board of directors shall have power to construct pipe and power lines across any street, avenue, highway or railway which the route of said pipe or power lines may intersect or cross, in such manner as to afford security for life and property, but said board shall restore the same when so crossed or intersected, to its former state as near as may be, or in a sufficient manner not to have impaired unnecessarily its usefulness; and every company whose railroad shall be intersected or crossed by said pipe or power lines shall unite with said board in forming said intersections and crossings, and grant the privilege aforesaid; and if such railroad company and said board, or the owners and controllers of said property, thing or franchise so to be crossed, cannot agree upon the amount to be paid therefor, or the points or the matter of said crossings or intersections, the same shall be ascertained and determined in all respects as is herein provided in respect to the taking of land. The right of way is hereby given, dedicated, and set apart, to locate, construct, and maintain said works over and through any of the lands which are now or may be the property of this state; and also there is given, dedicated, and set apart, for the uses and purposes aforesaid all gas and petroleum rights belonging to this state within the district.

SEC. 83. The directors when sitting as a board, or acting under the orders of the board, shall each receive not to exceed ten dollars per day and fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually traveled from his place of residence to the office of the board, and actual and necessary expenses paid while engaged in official business under the order of the board; *provided*, that in natural resource districts containing five hundred thousand acres or more the directors, in lieu of said per diem, shall each receive a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. The board shall fix the compensation to be paid to all officers named in this act, to be paid out of the treasury of the district; *provided*, that said board shall, upon the petition of at least fifty freeholders within such district therefor, submit to the electors at any general election a schedule of salaries and fees to be paid hereunder, which may include the salary or per deim to be paid to the directors. Such petition must be presented to the board not less than twenty days, nor more than forty days, prior to a general election, and the result of such election shall be determined and declared in all respects as other elections are determined and declared under this act.

SEC. 84. No director or any other officer named in this act shall in any manner be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract awarded or to be awarded by the board, or in the profits to be derived therefrom; and for any violation of this provision, such officer shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and such conviction shall work forfeiture of his office, and he shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed six months, or by both fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 85. The board of directors may at any time call a special election and submit to the qualified electors of the district the question whether a special assessment shall be levied for the purpose of raising money to be applied to any of the purposes of this act or of any act supplementary hereto. Such election must be called upon the notice prescribed, and the same shall be held and the result thereof determined and declared in all respects in conformity with the provisions of section 30*d* of this act. The notice must specify the amount of money proposed to be raised, and the purpose or purposes for which it is intended to be used, and it may state that said assessment shall be levied in two or three annual installments and

specify the amount of the installment to be levied in each year. At the special election the ballots shall contain the words "Assessment—Yes" or "Assessment—No", or words equivalent thereto. If a majority of the votes cast are "Assessment—Yes", the board of directors shall, at the time of the annual levy hereunder, levy a sum sufficient to raise the amount voted, or, if the notice of election shall have provided for levying said assessment in annual installments, the board of directors shall, at the time of the annual levy in each of the years specified in said notice, levy such assessment as shall raise the amount of the installment provided in said notice to be raised in said year.

SEC. 86. The rate of assessments levied under the provisions of this act shall be ascertained by deducting fifteen per cent for anticipated delinquencies from the aggregate assessed value of the property in the district as it appears on the assessment roll for the current year, and then dividing the sum to be raised by the remainder of such aggregate assessed value. Special assessments shall be computed and entered by the secretary and collected as a part of the regular assessment levied thereunder, and, when collected, shall be paid into the district treasury for the purpose or purposes specified in the notices calling the respective elections at which they were voted.

SEC. 87. The board of directors or other officers of the district shall have no power to incur any debt or liability whatever, either by issuing bonds or otherwise, in excess of the express provisions of this act; and any debt or liability incurred in excess of such express provisions shall be and remain absolutely void, except that for the purposes of organization, or for any of the purposes of this act, the board of directors may before the levying of the first assessment, incur indebtness in such sum or sums as shall amount to two thousand dollars, or, if the district shall contain more than four thousand acres, to one-half as many dollars as there are acres of land in the district, and may cause warrants of the district to be issued therefor, bearing interest at not more than seven per centum per annum, said rate to be fixed by the board of directors. Each such warrant shall be made payable on a date not later than the first day of July next after the first assessment in the district shall be levied, and of not paid when presented on the due date or thereafter shall be registered and the amount due thereon shall draw interest as provided in section 61*a* of this act. Nothing contained in this section shall be construed as limiting the right of the board to enter into any contract or lease for any lands, gas, petroleum or electric power rights or other property as elsewhere in this act authorized and such lease or contract to bind the district for the payment of the consideration specified in such lease or contract, but if the smallest payment to be made under such lease or contract in any year exceed an amount equal to ten cents an acre for all the land in the district such lease or contract shall not be valid unless approved by the commission authorized by law to approve the bonds of natural resource districts as legal investments for savings banks, or unless an assessment sufficient to meet all the payments to become due under such lease or contract shall have been or shall be authorized for that purpose in accordance with section 59 of this act.

SEC. 88. Whenever any warrant of the district payable on demand is presented to the treasurer for payment when funds are not available for the payment thereof, it shall thereafter draw interest at a rate to be determined by resolution of the board of directors, not, however, to exceed seven per centum per annum, until public notice is given that such funds are available. Upon the presentation of any such warrants for payment, other than warrants issued under the provisions of section 61 hereof, when funds of the district are not available to pay the same, the treasurer of the district shall endorse thereon the words, "funds not available for payment," with the date of presentation and shall specify the interest that such warrants shall thereafter bear and shall sign his name thereto. He shall keep a record showing the number and amount of each such warrant, the date of its issuance, the person in whose favor it was issued, and the date of its presentation for payment. Whenever there is sufficient money in the treasury to pay all such outstanding warrants or whenever the board of directors shall order that all such warrants presented for payment prior to a certain date, be made and there is sufficient money available for such payments, the treasurer shall give notice in some newspaper published in the district, or, if none is published therein, then in some newspaper published in the county in which the district or any portion thereof is situated, or, if none is published in such county, then the treasurer shall post such notice conspicuously in the place in which the board of directors of the district holds its regular meetings, stating that he is prepared to pay all warrants of the district for the payment of which funds were not available upon their original presentation, or all such warrants which were presented for payment prior to the date fixed by the board of directors, as the case may be, and no further description of the warrants entitled to payment shall be made in such notice. Upon the presentation of any warrant entitled to payment under the terms of such notice, the treasurer shall pay it, together with interest thereon at the rate specified by the board of directors, from the date of its original presentation for payment to the date of the first publication or posting of said notice, and all warrants for the payment of which funds are declared in said notice to be available shall cease to draw interest at the time of the first publication or posting of said notice. The treasurer shall enter in the record hereinbefore required to be kept, the dates of the

payment of all such warrants, the names of the persons to whom payments are made, and the amount paid to each person.

SEC. 89. The board of directors of natural resource districts may acquire by purchase or condemnation gas or electric power systems and works through which lands in such districts have been or may be supplied, and may exchange bonds of such district for such system or works, or for any portion thereof, or for any interest therein, or for the capital stock of any corporation owning such system, or any portion thereof, upon such terms and conditions as the said board of directors may deem best.

SEC. 90. Where the board of directors of a natural resource district have exchanged bonds or have agreed to exchange bonds for property rights in any natural resource system or works or for any interest therein under the provisions of section 89 of this act, the court shall, in any proceeding brought under the provisions of the last section, by its decree determine the validity of all bonds issued or to be issued under any contract or contracts for the exchange of bonds for property interests and by its decree shall determine whether the bonds provided for in said contracts, when delivered to the person or corporation entitled thereto under the terms of any such contract, shall constitute valid obligations of said natural resource district against all persons.

SEC. 91. All rights of way, wells, rigs, pipe-lines, storages, gas and petroleum rights, and other property of like character, belonging to any natural resource district shall not be taxed for state, and county or municipal purposes.

SEC. 92. The following funds are hereby created and established, to which the moneys properly belonging shall be apportioned, to wit: bond fund, construction fund, general fund.

SEC. 93. Whenever an object for which money has been specially provided by assessment or by bond issue has been accomplished and any money provided therefor remains unexpended, the same shall in the discretion of the board of directors be transferred to the general fund and thereafter be available for any of the purposes of this act.

SEC. 94. The board of directors may, at any time after the issue of any bonds or the levy of any assessment herein provided for, bring an action in the proper superior court of the county wherein is located the office of such board, to determine the validity of any such bonds or such levy of assessments; such action shall be in the nature of a proceeding in rem, and jurisdiction of all parties interested may be had by publication of summons for at least once a week for three weeks in some paper of general circulation published in the county where the action is pending, such paper to be designated by the court having jurisdiction of the proceedings. Jurisdiction shall be complete within ten days after the full publication of such summons in the manner herein provided. Anyone interested may at any time before the expiration of said ten days appear and by proper proceedings contest the validity of such bonds or assessments. Such action shall be speedily tried and judgment rendered declaring such matter so contested either valid or invalid. Either party may have the right to appeal to the supreme court at any time within thirty days after rendition of such judgment, which appeal must be heard and determined within three months from the time of taking such appeal.

SEC. 95. If no such proceedings shall have been brought by the board of directors, then, at any time within thirty days after the levy of any assessment or issue of any bonds under the provisions of this act, any district assessment payer may bring an action in the superior court of the county where the office of the board of directors is located to determine the validity of any such assessment or such bonds. The board of directors shall be made parties defendant, and service of summons shall be made on the members of the board personally. Said board shall have the right to appear and contest such action. Such action shall be speedily tried, with the right of appeal to either party, within the time and manner herein provided for the bringing of actions by the board to determine such matters. Such appeal shall be heard and determined in the manner and within the time therein provided.

SEC. 96. If more than one action shall be pending at the same time concerning similar contests in this act provided for, they shall be consolidated and tried together.

SEC. 97. The court hearing any of the contests herein provided for, in inquiring into the regularity, legality, or correctness of such proceedings, must disregard any error, irregularity, or omission which does not affect the substantial rights of the parties to said action or proceeding. The rules of pleading and practice provided by the Code of Civil Procedure, which are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are applicable to all actions or proceedings herein provided for. The motion for a new trial of any such action or proceeding must be heard and determined within ten days from the filing of the notice of intention. The costs on any hearing, or contest herein provided for, may be allowed, and apportioned between the parties, or taxed to the losing party, in the discretion of the court.

SEC. 98. No contest of any thing or matter herein provided shall be made other than within the time and manner herein specified, and in any such action all findings of facts or conclusions of said board of directors, or of the board of supervisors upon

all matters shall be conclusive, unless such action was instituted within six months after such finding or conclusion was made.

SEC. 99. For any wilful violation of any express duty herein provided for, on the part of any officer herein named, he shall be liable upon his official bond, and be subject to removal from office, by proceedings brought in the superior court of the county wherein the office of the board of directors of the district is located, by any assessment payer of the district; but no officer of a natural resource district shall be personally liable for any damage resulting from the operations of the district or from the negligence or misconduct of any of its officers or employees unless such damage was proximately caused by the officer's own negligence or misconduct or by his wilful violation of official duty.

SEC. 100. The boundaries of any natural resource district hereafter organized under the provisions of this act, may be changed, and tracts of land which were included within the boundaries of such district at or after its organization under the provisions of said act, may be excluded therefrom, in the manner herein prescribed; but neither such change of the boundaries of the district nor such exclusion of lands from the district shall impair or affect its organization, or its right in or to property, or any of its rights or privileges of whatever kind or nature; nor shall it affect, impair, or discharge any contract, obligation, lien, or charge for or upon which said district was and may become liable or chargeable, had such change of its boundaries not been made, or had not such land been excluded from the district.

SEC. 101. The owner or owners in fee of one or more tracts of land which constitute a portion of a natural resource district may jointly or severally file with the board of directors of the district a petition, praying that such tract or tracts, and any other tracts contiguous thereto, may be excluded and taken from said district. The petition shall state the grounds and reasons upon which it is claimed that such lands should be excluded and shall describe the boundaries thereof, and also the lands of such petitioner or petitioners which are included within such boundaries; but the description of such lands need not be more particular or certain than is required when the lands are entered in the assessment book by the county assessor. Such petition must be acknowledged in the same manner and form as is required in the case of a conveyance of land, and the acknowledgment shall have the same force and effect as evidence as the acknowledgment of such a conveyance.

SEC. 102. The secretary of the board of directors shall cause a notice of the filing of such petition to be published for at least two weeks in some newspaper published in the county where the office of the board of directors is situated, and if any portion of such territory to be excluded lie within another county or counties, then said notice shall be so published in a newspaper published within each of said counties, or, if no newspaper be published therein, then by posting such notice for the same time in at least three public places, one of said notices must be so posted on the lands proposed to be excluded. The notice shall state the filing of such petition, the names of the petitioners, a description of the lands mentioned in said petition, and the prayer of said petition; and it shall notify all persons interested in, or who may be affected by such change of the boundaries of the district, to appear at the office of said board at a time named in said notice, and show cause, in writing, if any they have, why the change of the boundaries of said district, as proposed in said petition, should not be made. The time to be specified in the notice at which they shall be required to show cause shall be the regular meeting of the board next after the expiration of the time for the publication of the notice.

SEC. 103. The board of directors, at the time and place mentioned in the notice, or at the time or times to which the hearing of said petition may be adjourned, shall proceed to hear the petition, and all evidence or proofs that may or shall be introduced by or on behalf of the petitioner or petitioners, and all objections to such petition that may or shall be presented in writing by any person showing cause as aforesaid, and all evidence and proofs that may be introduced in support of such objections. Such evidence shall be taken down in shorthand, and record made thereof and filed with the board. The failure of any person interested in said district, other than the holders of bonds thereof outstanding at the time of the filing of said petition with said board, to show cause, in writing, why the tract or tracts of land mentioned in said petition should not be excluded from the said district, shall be deemed and taken as an assent by him to the exclusion of such tract or tracts of land, or any part thereof, from said district; and the filing of such petition with said board, as aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken as an assent by each and all such petitioners to the exclusion from such district of the lands mentioned in the petition, or any part thereof, the expenses of giving said notice and of the aforesaid proceeding shall be paid by the person or persons filing such petition

SEC. 104. If, upon the hearing of any such petition, no evidence or proofs in support thereof be introduced, or if the evidence fail to sustain said petition, or if the board deem it not for the best interest of the district that the lands, or some portion thereof, mentioned in the petition, should be excluded from the district, the board shall order that said petition be denied as to such lands; but if the said board deem it for the best interest of the district that the lands mentioned in the petition, or some portion thereof, be excluded from the district, and if no person interested in the district show cause in writing why the said lands or some portion thereof, should not be excluded from the district, or if, having shown cause, withdraws the same, or upon the hearing fails to establish such objections as he may have made,

then it shall be the duty of the board to, and it shall forthwith, make an order that the lands mentioned and described in the petition, or some defined portion thereof, be excluded from said district; *provided*, that it shall be the duty of said board to so order, upon petition therefor as aforesaid, that all lands so petitioned to be excluded from said district shall be excluded therefrom, which can not be supplied from, or which are not susceptible to supply of gas or electric energy from a common source or by the same system of works with the other lands of said district, or from the source selected, chosen, or provided, or the system adopted for the supply of gas or electric energy to the lands in said district, or which are already supplied or entitled to be supplied from another source or by another system of gas or electric energy.

SEC. 105 If there be outstanding bonds of the district at the time of the filing of said petition, the holders of such outstanding bonds may give their assent, in writing, to the effect that they severally consent that the lands mentioned in the petition, or such portion thereof as may be excluded from said district by order of said board or the decree of the superior court as hereinafter provided, may be excluded from the district; and if said lands, or any portion thereof, be thereafter excluded from the district, the lands so excluded shall be released from the lien of such outstanding bonds. The assent must be acknowledged by the several holders of such bonds in the same manner and form as is required in case of a conveyance of land, and the acknowledgment shall have the same force and effect as evidence as the acknowledgment of such conveyance. The assent shall be filed with the board, and must be recorded in the minutes of the board; and said minutes, or a copy thereof, certified by the secretary of said board, shall be admissible in evidence, with the same effect as the said assent, and such certified copy thereof may be recorded in the office of the county recorder of the county wherein said lands are situated.

SEC. 106. In the event the said board of directors shall exclude any lands from said district upon petition therefor, it shall be the duty of the said board of directors to make an entry in the minutes of the board describing the boundaries of the district, should the exclusion of said lands from said district change the boundaries of said district, and for that purpose the board may cause a survey to be made of such portions of the district as the board may deem necessary; and a certified copy of the entry in the minutes of the board excluding any land, certified by the president and the secretary of the board, shall be filed for record in the recorder's office of each county within which are situated any of the lands of the district; but said district, notwithstanding such exclusion, shall be and remain a natural recourse district as fully, to every intent and purpose, as it would be had no change been made in the boundaries of the district, or had the lands excluded therefrom never constituted a portion of the district.

SEC. 107. If the lands excluded from any district under this act shall embrace the greater portion of any division or divisions of such district, then the office of the director for such division or divisions shall become and be vacant at the expiration of ten days from the final order of the board excluding said lands; and such vacancy or vacancies shall be filled by appointment by the board of supervisors of the county where the office of such board is situated, from the district at large. A director appointed as above provided shall hold his office until the next regular election for said district, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

SEC. 108. In case land is excluded from any district, the board of directors thereof, if they deem it desirable, but not less than thirty days before any election in such district, may reestablish the boundaries of the divisions and election precincts within such district.

SEC. 109. A guardian and executor, or an administrator of an estate, who is appointed as such under the laws of this state, and who, as such guardian, executor, or administrator, is entitled to the possession of the lands belonging to the estate which he represents, may, on behalf of his ward, or the estate which he represents, upon being thereto properly authorized by the proper court, sign and acknowledge the petition in this act mentioned, and may show cause, as in this act provided, why the boundaries of the district should not be changed.

SEC 110. Nothing in this act provided shall, in any manner, operate to release any of the lands so excluded from the district from any obligation to pay, or any lien thereon, of any valid outstanding bonds or other indebtedness of said district at the time of the filing of said petition for the exclusion of said lands, but upon the contrary, said lands shall be held subject to said lien, and answerable and chargeable for and with the payment and discharge of all of said outstanding obligations at the time of the filing of the petition for the exclusion of said land, as fully as though said petition for such exclusion were never filed and said order or decree of exclusion never made; and for the purpose of discharging such outstanding indebtedness, said lands so excluded shall be deemed and considered as part of said natural resource district the same as though said petition for its exclusion had never been filed or said order or decree of exclusion never made; and all provisions which may have been resorted to to compel the payment by said lands of its quota or portion of said outstanding obligations, had said exclusion never been accomplished, may, notwithstanding said exclusion, be resorted to to compel and enforce the payment on the part of said lands of its quota and portion of said outstanding obligations of

said natural resource district for which it is liable, as herein provided But said land so excluded shall not be held answerable or chargeable for any obligation of any nature or kind whatever, incurred after the filing with the board of directors of said district of the petition for the exclusion of said lands from the said district; *provided*, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any outstanding bonds, the holders of which have assented to the exclusion of such lands from said district, as hereinbefore provided.

SEC. 111. The boundaries of any natural resource district now organized or hereafter organized under the provisions of this act may be changed in the manner herein prescribed; but such change of the boundaries of the district shall not impair or affect its organization, or its rights in or to property, or any of its rights or privileges of whatsoever kind or nature; nor shall it affect, impair, or discharge any contract, obligation, lien, or charge for or upon which it was or might become liable or chargeable, had such change of its boundaries not been made.

SEC. 112. The petition shall describe the boundaries of said parcel or tract of land, and shall also describe the boundaries of the several parcels owned by the petitioners, if the petitioners be the owners, respectively, of distinct parcels, but such descriptions need not be more particular than they are required to be when such lands are entered by the county assessor in the assessment book. Such petition must contain the assent of the petitioners to the inclusion within said district of the parcels or tracts of land described in the petition, and of which said petition alleges they are, respectively, the owners; and it must be acknowledged in the same manner that conveyances of land are required to be acknowledged.

SEC. 113. The secretary of the board of directors shall cause a notice of the filing of such petition to be given and published in the same manner and for the same time that notices of special elections for the issue of bonds are required by this act to be published. The notice shall state the filing of such petition and the names of the petitioners, a description of the lands mentioned in said petition, and the prayer of said petition; and it shall notify all persons interested in, or that may be affected by such change of the boundaries of the district; to appear at the office of said board, at a time named in said notice, and show cause in writing, if any they have, why the change in the boundaries of said district, as proposed in said petition, should not be made. The time to be specified in the notice at which they shall be required to show cause shall be the regular meeting of the board next after the expiration of the time for the publication of the notice. The petitioners shall advance to the secretary sufficient money to pay the estimated costs of all proceedings under this act.

SEC. 114. The board of directors, at the time and place mentioned in said notice, or at such other time or times to which the hearing of said petition may be adjourned, shall proceed to hear the petition, and all the objections thereto, presented in writing by any person showing cause as aforesaid why said proposed change of the boundaries of the district should not be made. The failure by any person interested in said district, or in the matter of the proposed change of its boundaries, to show cause, in writing, as aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken as an assent on his part to a change of the boundaries of the district as prayed for in said petition, or to such a change thereof as will include a part of said lands. And the filing of such petition with said board, as aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken as an assent on the part of each and all of such petitioners to such a change of said boundaries that they may include the whole or any portion of the lands described in said petition.

SEC. 115. The board of directors to whom such petition is presented, may require, as a condition precedent to the granting of the same, that the petitioners shall severally pay to such district such respective sums, as nearly as the same can be estimated (the several amounts to be determined by the board), as said petitioners or their grantors would have been required to pay to such district as assessments, had such lands been included in such district at the time the same was originally formed.

SEC. 116. If the board of directors deem it for the best interest of the district that the boundaries of the district be changed as proposed and if no protest against such change is made as provided in this act, or, if such protest be made and enough signatures be withdrawn therefrom so that said protest is no longer sufficient, the board shall order that the boundaries of the district be changed so as to include therein the lands described in said petition; or such portion thereof as the board shall find will be benefited by such inclusion. The order shall describe the boundaries as changed and shall also describe the entire boundaries of the district as they will be after the change thereof as aforesaid is made; and for that purpose the board may cause a survey to be made of such portions of such boundaries as is deemed necessary; *provided, however*, that any public land of the United States of America adjoining the boundaries of any natural resource district may be included within the boundaries of any such natural resource district by order or resolution of the board of directors of such district without any petition being filed asking for such inclusion; *and provided, further*, that when additional land is included within any natural resource district and the board of directors of such district finds either that such inclusion without condition would work an injury to the land already in the district, either by impairment of existing rights or by requiring a greater expense for furnishing gas or electric energy to the lands proposed to be included, the board may prescribe conditions upon such inclusion of land, either by providing for priority of

rights or for the payment of an additional annual charge, or such other conditions as may to the board seem just. If such inclusion is upon petition of property owners, all such property owners shall sign and acknowledge an agreement with the district, specifying such conditions and describing the land so to be included. Such agreement must be recorded in the office of the county recorder of the county in which such lands are situated, together with a certified copy of the order including such lands, and thereupon such lands shall become a part of such natural resource district subject to such conditions.

SEC. 117. If a protest against the inclusion of such lands, signed by not less than three per cent of the holders of title or evidence of title to lands within the district and holding the title or evidence of title to not less than three per cent in value of the lands within the district according to the last equalized assessment roll of said district, shall have been presented to the board of directors and upon the hearing of said matter said protest shall not be withdrawn, or after the withdrawal therefrom of any signatures it shall still be signed by not less than three per cent of the holders of title or evidence of title to lands within the district and holding the title or evidence of title to not less than three per cent in value of the lands within the district according to the last equalized assessment roll of said district, or if the board of directors deem it not for the best interests of the district to include therein the lands described in said petition for inclusion, or any of them, the board shall adopt a resolution stating the facts and describing the boundary of the tract of land proposed to be included in the district; but, before calling the election provided for in the next section, the board may require an undertaking with sufficient sureties, from the petitioners for the inclusion of said land conditioned that the petitioners or the sureties will pay all the costs of holding such election in case such inclusion shall be denied.

SEC. 118. Upon the adoption of the resolution mentioned in the last preceding section, the board shall order that an election be held within said district, to determine whether the boundaries of the district shall be changed as mentioned in said resolution, and shall fix the time at which such election shall be held and cause notice thereof to be given and published. Such notice shall be given and published, and such election shall be held and conducted, the returns thereof shall be made and canvassed, and the result of the election ascertained and declared, and all things pertaining thereto conducted in the manner prescribed by said act in case of a special election to determine whether bonds of a natural resource district shall be issued. The ballots cast at said election shall contain the words "For change of boundary," or "Against change of boundary," or words equivalent thereto. The notice of the election shall describe the proposed change of the boundaries in such manner and terms that it can readily be traced.

SEC. 119. If at such election a majority of all the votes cast at said election shall be against such change of the boundaries of the district, the board shall order that said petition be denied, and shall proceed no further in that matter. But if a majority of such votes be in favor of such change of the boundaries of the district, the board shall thereupon order that the boundaries be changed in accordance with said resolution adopted by the board. The said order shall describe the entire boundaries of said district, and for that purpose the board may cause a survey of such portions thereof to be made as the board may deem necessary.

SEC. 120. Upon a change of the boundaries of a district being made, a copy of the order of the board of directors ordering such change, certified by the president and secretary of the board, shall be filed for record in the recorder's office of each county within which are situated any of the lands of the district, and thereupon the district shall be and remain a natural resource district, as fully, and to every intent and purpose, as if the lands which are included in the district by the change of the boundaries, as aforesaid, had been included therein at the original organization of the district.

SEC. 121. Upon the filing of the copies of the order, as in the last preceding section mentioned, the secretary shall record in the minutes of the board the petition aforesaid; and the said minutes, or a certified copy thereof shall be admissible in evidence, with the same effect as the petition.

SEC. 122. A guardian, an executor, or an administrator of an estate, who is appointed as such under the laws of this state, and who, as such guardian, executor, or administrator, is entitled to the possession of the lands belonging to the estate which he represents, may, on behalf of his ward, or the estate which he represents, upon being thereunto authorized by the proper court, sign and acknowledge the petition in this act mentioned, and may show cause, as in this act mentioned, why the boundaries of the district should not be changed.

SEC. 123. In case land is included within any district as aforesaid, the board of directors thereof shall, but not less than thirty days before any election in such district, re-establish the boundaries of the divisions and election precincts within such district, so as to include such land therein and so as to make such divisions as nearly equal in size and population as may be practicable. In case of the inclusion of any land less than thirty days before an election within such district, the inhabitants of the land so included shall not be entitled to vote at such election.

SEC. 124. Whenever the board of directors of a natural resource district heretofore organized, or hereafter organized under the provisions of this act, shall determine

that the authorized bonded indebtedness of such natural resource district is greater than such district is liable to need to complete its system as planned, and there be no outstanding bonds, the board of directors may call a special election for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to reduce such bonded indebtedness to such sum as the board may determine to be sufficient for such purpose.

SEC. 125. Notice of the said election shall be given in the same manner as provided in section 30 of said act, in relation to calling special elections for issuance of bonds. The notice of election must state the amount of the authorized bonded indebtedness of such district, and the amount to which it is proposed to reduce the same; also, the date on which said election will be held, and the polling places, as established by said board of directors. The ballots cast at said election shall contain the words "For reducing bonds—Yes," or "For reducing bonds—No,". When the vote is canvassed by the board of directors and entered of record, if a majority of the votes cast shall be "For reducing bonds—Yes," then in that event the board of directors shall only be empowered to issue or sell such amount of bonds as was stipulated in the said notice of such special election; but if a majority of said votes are not "For reducing bonds—Yes,", then the authority to issue bonds shall remain the same as before said special election was held.

SEC. 126. In case there be outstanding bonds of any district desiring to take advantage of the provisions of this act concerning reduction of bonded indebtedness, the assent of such bondholders may be obtained to such reduction of the bonded indebtedness, in the same manner as provided in section 79 of this act. If such assent is obtained in the manner therein provided, then, and in that event, such district shall be empowered to take advantage of all the provisions of this act, but not otherwise. No reduction of the bonded indebtedness, as in this act provided, shall in any manner affect any order of court that may have been made, adjudicating and confirming the validity of said bonds.

SEC 127. Whenever any natural resource district, heretofore organized, or hereafter organized under the provisions of this act, in the development of its works as by law provided, may have opportunity, without increased expenditure, to utilize gas or petroleum products or electric energy produced by the use thereof, by it owned or controlled, for any purposes not inconsistent with the provisions of said act, the board of directors may lease the same, as in this act hereinafter provided.

SEC 128 Whenever the board of directors may desire to lease the use of gas, petroleum or electric energy, as hereinbefore stated, they shall pass a resolution of intention to so lease the same. Immediately thereafter the secretary shall cause notice of such intention to be given by publication in one newspaper published in each county in which lands of the district are situated, for at least twenty days (*provided*, a newspaper is published therein, otherwise in any newspaper the board of directors may select), and, if the board thinks proper in such other newspapers as may be deemed advisable, calling for bids for the leasing of said gas, petroleum or electric energy for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned. Said notice shall state that the board will receive sealed proposals therefor, that the lease will be let to the highest responsible bidder, stating the time and place of opening said proposals.

SEC. 129. At the time and place appointed the board shall proceed to open the proposals in public. As soon thereafter as may be convenient the board shall let said lease in portions, or as a whole, to the highest responsible bidder, or they may reject any or all bids, and re-advertise for proposals for the same.

SEC. 130 The rental accruing upon said lease may vary from year to year, as shall be specified in said lease, and shall be payable semiannually, on the thirtieth day of December and thirtieth day of June of each year. All moneys collected, as in this act provided, shall be paid into the treasury, and be apportioned to such funds as may be deemed advisable

SEC. 131. The board shall power, as in this act provided, to execute a lease for any period not exceeding twenty-five years If at any time the rental shall not be paid on the days hereinbefore mentioned, the amount of such rental then due shall be doubled, and if not paid within ninety days thereafter, the said lease shall be forfeited to said district, together with any and all works constructed, owned, used, or controlled by said lessee

SEC. 132. Upon the letting of any lease, as in this act provided, the board may require the lessee to execute a bond for the faithful performance of the covenants of said lease, or give such other evidence of good faith as in their judgment may be necessary.

SEC. 133. Whenever there remains in the hands of the board of directors of any natural resource district heretofore organized or organized under the provisions of this act, after the completion of its system and the payment of all demands against such district, any bonds voted to be issued by said district, but not sold, and not necessary to be sold for the raising of funds for the use of such district, said board of directors may call a special election for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to destroy all unsold bonds, or so many of them as may be deemed best, or may submit such proposition at a general election.

SEC. 134. Such election shall be held in the same manner as other elections held under the provisions of this act. A notice of such election shall be given in the same manner as provided in section 30 of this act in relation to calling special elections for the issuance of bonds. The notice of election must state the amount of

the bonded indebtedness of such district authorized by the vote of the district, the amount of the bonds remaining unsold, and the amount proposed to be destroyed, and the date on which such election is proposed to be held, and the polling places as fixed by the board of directors. The ballots to be cast at such election shall contain the words, "For destroying bonds—Yes," and "For destroying bonds—No," and the voter must erase the word "No" in case he favors the destruction of bonds, otherwise the word "Yes".

SEC. 135. When the vote is canvassed by the board of directors and entered of record, if a two-thirds majority of the votes cast should be found to be in favor of the destruction of said bonds, then the president of the board, in the presence of a majority of the members of the board, must destroy the bonds so voted to be destroyed; and the total amount of bonds so destroyed and cancelled shall be deducted from the sum authorized to be issued by the electors of said district, and no part thereof shall thereafter be reprinted or reissued

SEC. 136. Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to affect the validity of any district heretofore organized under the laws of this State, or its rights in or to property, or any of its rights or privileges of whatsoever kind or nature; but said districts are hereby made subject to the provisions of this act so far as applicable; nor shall it affect, impair, or discharge any contract, obligation, lien, or charge for, or upon which it was or might become liable or chargeable had not this act been passed; nor shall it affect the validity of any bonds, which have been issued but not sold; nor shall it affect any action which now may be pending.

SEC. 137. The name of any district hereafter organized hereunder shall contain the words "Natural resource district."

SEC. 138. Nothing in this act shall be construed as repealing or in wise modifying the provisions of any other act relating to the subject of gas, petroleum or power commissioners

SEC. 139. This act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

SEC. 140. This act may be referred to in any action, proceeding or legislative enactment as "The California natural resource district act."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That the title of said printed bill be amended by striking out in line 2 thereof the words "forty-nine *b*", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "forty-nine *a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

That line 2 of said printed bill be stricken out and the following inserted in lieu thereof, "Code to be numbered 4049*a*, to read as follows:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

That lines 3 and 4 of the said printed bill be stricken out and the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "4049*a*. The board of supervisors may by a four-fifths vote in advance cause to be prepared and printed.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

That the words "Reports or statements" in line 5 of said printed bill be stricken out and the words "An annual statement" be inserted in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

That the words "of property" be inserted at line 7 of said printed bill after the word "assessment" and before the word "and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

That lines 8, 9, 10 and 11 of said printed bill be stricken out.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

That line 12 of said printed bill be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof "(*b*) An annual budget adopted by the board of supervisors;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

That line 13 of said printed bill be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof "(c) Reports and statements of county ordinances and of rules or procedures".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

That lines 16, 17, 18 and 19 of said printed bill be stricken out.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the word "from" in line 5 of the printed bill, and also lines 6 to 15, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "all fees and charges incurred by the public administrator for the benefit of any estate, in which the assets prove or may prove insufficient therefor, are hereby declared to be county charges. Such fees or charges may be paid, or if previously paid by such public administrator repaid upon a warrant drawn by the county auditor on the order of the board of supervisors based upon such voucher as will show proper evidence of the facts. In no event shall the payments or repayments authorized by the provisions of this section exceed the sum of one thousand dollars, during any fiscal year or the total amount of the fees paid in during the same fiscal year by such public administrator."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill after the word "time" insert the following "If the notice is published in a weekly newspaper it must appear therein on at least two different days of publication, and if in a newspaper published oftener than once a week it shall be so published that there must be at least ten days from the first and last day of publication, both the first and last day being included."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, omit the words "posting in three public places in the county" and insert in lieu thereof "by a notice posted at the court house in the county where the court is held."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "costs" omit the words "of expense" and insert in lieu thereof "or expenses".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease

the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "time" insert the following: "If the notice is published in a weekly newspaper it must appear therein on at least two different days of publication; and if in a newspaper published oftener than once a week it shall be so published that there must be at least ten days from the first and last day of publication, both the first and last day being included."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "by posting in three public places in the county" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by a notice posted at the court house in the county where the court is held".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "time" insert the following: "If the notice is published in a weekly newspaper it must appear therein on at least two different days of publication; and if in a newspaper published oftener than once a week it shall be so published that there must be at least ten days from the first and last day of publication, both the first and last day being included."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "days" strike out the words "by posting in three public places in the county" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by a notice posted at the court house in the county where the court is held".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 533—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "hearing" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "or by publication in a newspaper for the same length of time If the notice is published in a weekly newspaper it must appear therein on at least two different days of publication; and if in a newspaper published oftener than once a week it shall be so published that there must be at least ten days from the first and last day of publication, both the first and last day being included"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "clerk" omit the words "by notice posted in three public places in the county" and insert in lieu thereof the

following: "by a notice posted at the court house in the county where the court is held".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6 of the printed bill, the word "predicted" should be changed to read "predicated".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

HON. HENRY E. CARTER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Henry E. Carter, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-first Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to tresspass.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Camping or building" and insert in lieu thereof "Building".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title Xa of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, after the comma strike out the word "and" and insert the following: "*provided, however*, if the city in which the action is commenced is not the proper place for the trial thereof, the action may, notwithstanding, be tried therein, unless the defendant, at the time he answers or demurs, files an affidavit of merits, and demands, in writing that the trial be had in the proper city or county, *and provided further*".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill after the words "this state" strike out the following: "and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "therefrom", strike out everything to and including the word "thereof" on line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this state".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the entire line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for valuable and adequate consideration".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words: "title thereto".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section_____of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend by-laws in division IX of section 599 of the Civil Code; for the benefit of women's clubs.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift or

other process, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2 and 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1 The state department of finance shall have the right, power and authority to receive and accept in the name of the people of the State of California, by gift, devise, grant or other conveyance, the property known as".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "a" add the word "public".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 128—An act to establish a State park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park" at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements, and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, beginning with the letter "a" strike out all the following to and including line 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Burney Falls State Park shall be under the direction and control of the department of finance, which in its discretion may rent or lease the land embraced within Burney Falls State Park, in whole or in part, for a period of not less than ten years nor more than twenty years. All plans for the improvement of the lands so rented or leased shall be approved by the state architect and department of finance. The revenue derived from the lands so rented or leased shall be paid into the treasury of the State of California to the credit of the Burney Falls State Park fund, which fund is hereby created, and the same may be drawn by the department of finance for the purpose of maintenance, repairing, improvements and other necessary and proper expenses, necessary or convenient for the administration of said park.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 16 inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 17 to 27, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 4. The land or territory constituting and comprising said park shall consist of all those lands, certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the county of Shasta, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Parcel A. Lot number one (1) and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter (S.E. ¼ of N.E. ¼) of section five (5) and lot number four (4) and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (S.W. ¼ of N.W. ¼) of section four (4), all in township thirty-six north, range three east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing one hundred sixty and seventy-nine hundredths acres more or less.

Parcel B. Beginning at the southwest corner of fractional section twenty-nine, township thirty-seven north, range three east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and running thence easterly along the southerly boundary line of said section twenty-nine to the southeasterly corner of lot two in said section twenty-nine; thence, along the easterly boundary line of said lot two and the north half of the northwest quarter of said section twenty-nine, north no degrees three and one-fourth minutes west two thousand four hundred sixty-two and one-tenth feet; thence north two degrees thirty-nine and one-half minutes east one thousand eighty feet; thence north eighty-eight degrees fifty-three minutes west one hundred seventy-eight feet; thence north two degrees thirty-nine and one-half minutes east two hundred thirty-nine and four-tenths feet; thence north eighty-nine degrees fourteen minutes west eight hundred forty-five feet; thence south one degree twenty-three and one-half minutes west nine hundred fifty-eight and three-tenths feet; thence north eighty-eight degrees fifty-three minutes west one hundred seventy-seven feet; thence south one degree twenty-three and one-half minutes west three hundred fifty-five feet, thence south no degrees seven minutes west six hundred forty feet; thence north eighty-eight degrees fifty-three minutes west one thousand two hundred twenty and one-tenth feet; thence north no degrees seventeen minutes east six hundred forty feet; thence south eighty-eight degrees fifty-three minutes east one hundred twenty-two feet; thence north no degrees six minutes east one hundred twenty-eight feet; thence south eighty-eight degrees fifty-three minutes east one hundred eighty-one feet, thence north no degrees six minutes east six hundred sixty-nine and two-tenths feet; thence north eighty-nine degrees fourteen minutes west five hundred sixty-six feet to a point in the westerly boundary line of section twenty, township thirty-seven north, range three east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, thence along the westerly boundary line of said section twenty, south no degrees six minutes west seven hundred ninety-three and seven-tenths feet, thence along the westerly boundary line of said section twenty-nine, south no degrees seventeen minutes west twenty-five hundred seven and seven-tenths feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing one hundred seventy-four and forty-six hundredths acres and being portions of sections twenty and twenty-nine, township thirty-seven north, range three east, Mount Diablo base and meridian. Said certain lands, pieces or parcels of land were conveyed to the State of California subject to the conditions set forth in deed of grant, dated May 11, 1920, executed by Frank McArthur and Ethel McArthur and subject to reservations set forth in that certain deed dated December 17, 1923, and executed by Mt. Shasta power corporation.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 28 to 32 inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and

treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*x*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures and deputies in counties of the second class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*x*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class, approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "peace" at the end of said line, insert a comma and the following words: "and the full time deputies and the bond clerk in the county treasurer's office"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four hundred and fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "seven hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Five hundred and fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the words "nine hundred twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "nine hundred twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred forty."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, beginning at line 47, of the printed bill, strike out all of the words beginning with the word "one" on line 47, all of line 48 and all of the words on line 49 down to and including the word "Assistant" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred and forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the words "eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred and eighty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 6, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred and eighty".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and duties of county horticultural commissioner.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the second and third lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Two *x* five of the Political Code relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the fifth class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning in line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, after the words "section 1" strike out all of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

2322*x*5. In counties of the fifth class the commissioner shall receive a salary of four thousand twenty dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner the following inspectors and clerks, to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows, to wit:

(*a*) Three inspectors at a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars each during the time actually employed, seven inspectors at a monthly salary of one hundred sixty dollars each during the time actually employed, one inspector at a compensation of five dollars per diem during the time actually employed; but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such inspectors shall not exceed nineteen thousand five hundred ninety dollars.

(*b*) One clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred forty dollars during the time actually employed, and one clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred dollars during the time actually employed; but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerks shall not exceed two thousand eighty dollars.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 4.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2322*c*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 665—An act to amend section 2322*x*42 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of horticultural commissioner in counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 246—An act to amend section 2322*x*47 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 247—An act relating to the passage of ordinances by cities or counties, and authorizing cities or counties to adopt ordinances relating to building construction, plumbing or electric wiring and other similar work by reference to printed codes on such subjects; provided not less than three printed copies of such code or codes, in book form have been filed with the clerk.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 276—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4056*c*, relating to the power of boards of supervisors to establish and maintain public airports within their respective counties.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 61—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 99—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 618—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies, and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein." approved May 29, 1915, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 6*a*, declaring breeding places for mosquitoes to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 833—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "medical" insert the words "or osteopathic".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo;

Also: Assembly Bill No 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa county;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of Merced county;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Clowdsley: An act relating to the advertising and specifications for bids for patented materials or processes for paving or surfacing of public highways, roads and streets and requiring the advertisement and specifications for bids to admit bids for unpatented pavements or surfacing materials.

By Mr. Witter: An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit

Constitutional amendment read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "and" insert the following: "*provided, further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring control of any entire international water system necessary for its uses and purposes, a part of which is situated in the United States, and a part thereof in a foreign country, may in the manner authorized by law acquire the stock of any foreign corporation which is the owner of, or which holds the title to the part of such system situated in the foreign country; *provided, further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring water and water rights and other property necessary for their use and purposes, may acquire and hold the stock of corporations, domestic or foreign, owning waters, water rights, canals, waterworks, franchises or concessions subject to the same obligations and liabilities as are imposed by law upon all other stockholders in such corporations; and".

Amendment adopted

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 read and ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

HON. ROBERT B. FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and seven minutes a.m., Hon Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 606 of the Civil Code, providing for the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 828 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Fimley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker —67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts, and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto five new sections, to be numbered 4½, 5½, 17½, 19½ and 23½, relating to the annexation of county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, the operation and maintenance of lateral and collecting sewers,

the construction by such districts of sewers under the "Improvement Act of 1911," and the dissolution of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 765 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 2322*x*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner deputies, inspectors, and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 400 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 133—An act to amend section 2322*x*21 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 133 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relative to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 230 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1127 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 741 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. THOMAS J. LENEHAN IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Thomas J. Lenehan, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 743 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 870 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of the boundaries of harbor districts for the improvement, development or protection of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 595 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 449 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," relative to record of exclusion.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 974 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson,

Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 975 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and relating to reassessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 386 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 793 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 605 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1069—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of the northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1069 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley,

Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days conclusive proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 15 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Wright, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 500 was made a special order for Monday, March 28, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murphy moved that Assembly Bill No. 81 be withdrawn from the file and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 81 to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

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

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 550—An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalty for the violation thereof; and creating a Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and fixing the compensation of the commissioner—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

GANT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a board of examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said board of examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to create a State Building Department, providing for the appointment of the members of such department; prescribing the powers and duties of such department; providing for the issuance of licenses by such department and fixing the fees for such licenses; providing the method for revocation of such licenses, prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Political Code, relating to a Department of Agriculture—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the adjutant general;

Also Assembly Bill No 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, prescribing the number and fixing the salaries thereof and making a supplement appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies, and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520, and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No 398—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER· Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 364—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail;

Also· Senate Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 1049 of the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases;

Also Senate Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials;

Also· Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictments and informations,

Also· Senate Bill No. 397—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also Senate Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for purpose of obtaining counsel;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 402—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate;

Also: Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases,

Also: Senate Bill No. 405—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases,

Also: Senate Bill No. 385—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1044, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 389—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 361—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 378—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information;

Also: Senate Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON DIRECT LEGISLATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Direct Legislation, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Relative to recommending the calling of a convention for the revision of the constitution of the State of California, recommending that the electors of the State vote at the next general election for the calling of a convention to revise the constitution, and to provide the number and qualifications, compensation and manner of electing the delegates to such convention—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

PARKMAN, Chairman.

The above reported resolution ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act relating to the advertising and specifications for bids for patented materials or pro-

cesses for paving or surfacing of public highways, roads and streets and requiring the advertisement and specifications for bids to admit bids for unpatented pavements or surfacing materials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Keaton: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26, approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Byrne:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensations of real estate and personal loan brokers.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fry:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento river outlet project number two of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Sewell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Walters:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvements in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating

a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Cloudman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State fish exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 46 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, relating to the entry of the record of assessment sales and the addition of penalties to assessments upon redemption.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 28 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fine.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 318 passed by the following vote·

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during

good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 813 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHARLES H. DEUEL IN THE CHAIR.

At 2 o'clock p.m., Hon. Charles H. Deuel, member of the Assembly from the Seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1160 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fine.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 319 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 222 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson. Roscoe J.. Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fmley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and eleven minutes p.m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 224 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fmley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to regulate the rebuilding of electric storage batteries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called. and Assembly Bill No. 1036 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fmley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Deuel—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 866 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 918 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to defrauding proprietors of hotels, inns, restaurants, boarding houses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 597 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Lyons moved that Assembly Bill No. 596 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 596 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 387 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relative to permanent road divisions

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1023 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Heisinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten dollars" and insert in lieu thereof "eight dollars".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Heisinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 316, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEISINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Lyons moved that Assembly Bill No. 228 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 228 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act relating to assessment districts in municipalities and to provide that no person shall be eligible to vote in bond elections for improvements within such districts except property owners living within such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Scofield moved that Assembly Bill No. 1102 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1102 to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, March 28, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 28, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesnersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple West Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Hedges was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Miss Ruth Dodds of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Miss Linda Johnson of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Henry Greer, district attorney, Marin County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mrs. Mattie A. Chandler, mayor, city of Richmond, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Angle of Pasadena were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Dr. J. D. Furby of Pasadena was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. J. Bresnahan of Boston, Massachusetts, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. D. F. Hagerty of Boston, Massachusetts, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Mr. Alexander Heron of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mrs. Viva N. Clark of Piedmont was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fisher, Mrs. Chris. N. Jespersen, wife of Assemblyman Jespersen, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mr. J. B. Scullan of Alhambra was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mr. Alfred E. Adam of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mr. A. H. Hoffman of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Parkman, Mrs. Roseline Brown, supervisor of San Mateo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Parkman, Mr. Thomas L. Hickey, supervisor of San Mateo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Judge Leonard Wilson of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Judge Daily Stafford of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rochester, Mr. Herman Spitzel of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. Rhoon, supervisor of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. White, supervisor of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. Meeker, supervisor of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. Craig, supervisor of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. H. H. Hume, county engineer of Butte County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, Judge of the Superior Court and Mrs. S. L. Strother of Fresno were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, Mr. A. F. Strother of Fresno was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

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

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

Through the courtesy of Mr Jespersen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Saur of San Luis Obispo County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. George Cuthbert of Morro Bay, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

To the Members of the Legislature

WHEREAS, There is a movement on foot as outlined in Senate Bill No. 652 and Senate Resolution No. 17 to secure the approval of the State Legislature to have Juan Rodriquez Cabrillo, early Spanish explorer, and John C. Fremont, of the early California militia, represent California in Statuary Hall in the Capitol of the Nation at Washington, D. C ; and

WHEREAS, Both these men took a vital part in the early history of the State of California ; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the East Side Organization, a nonprofit improvement development association, add their endorsement to that of other civic bodies representing 40,000 citizens, to have these early California pioneers represent the State of California in Statuary Hall

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed by the executive committee of the East Side Organization at their meeting on March 16, 1927

[SEAL] GEO W. C. BAKER, Executive Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 258—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 63½, to the Public Utilities Act, approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to increase in

rates—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1072—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobile, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended:

Also Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 3—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section to be numbered 14½ to article XIII of said constitution, relating to the taxation of foreign insurance corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be not adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19b of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917; as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, approved May 26, 1923; as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 25, 27, 61, 62 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing section 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617a, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish; and to repeal section 633 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of public defender, to provide for the election of such officers and prescribing their duties and compensation,' approved May 24, 1921, relating to the compensation of public defender,

Also Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C G Celio & Sons, against the State of California,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1108—An act to amend section 2436 and 2468 of the Political Code, relating to pilotage,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies, of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto to be numbered 8½, 8¾, and 13¾, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the improvement act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes nigrum), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class;

Also· Assembly Bill No 164—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 22*a*, to the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to maintenance of public schools in detention homes;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 165—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Newport Beach upon certain trusts and conditions,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class,

Also· Assembly Bill No 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class,

Also· Assembly Bill No 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act providing for the publication of an index of the laws of California and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 23, 1919, as amended, relating to the price of such index;

Also: Assembly Bill No 658—An act to amend section 1974d of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for the enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the revocation of licenses;

Also Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 796—An act authorizing the State Board of Forestry to receive in the name of the State of California gifts or donations of lands for forest and watershed purposes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 926—An act to amend sections 5 and 18 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 4190 of the Political Code, relating to establishment and government and the creation of a fund for the Law Library;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund";

Also Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers or materials used for manurial purposes, and to provide penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of March, 1927, at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON LIBRARIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article 2c of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Byrne: An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensations of real estate and personal loan brokers.

By Mr. Cloudman: An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

By Mr. Fry: An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

By Mr. Walters: An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvement in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district.

By Mr. Sewell: An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and

the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund', and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 116—An act to amend section 4300*f* of the Political Code, relating to fees of jurors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 165—An act to amend section 653*w* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No 168—An act to amend sections 653*ff*, 653*kk*, and 653*jj* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative associations with or without capital stock;

Also: Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1770*a*, relating to the management of the estate of an incompetent ward, to expenditures that may be made therefrom, and the procedure to be followed in obtaining the order of the court for such expenditures;

Also: Senate Bill No. 280—An act to amend section 4300*l* of the Political Code, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 116 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 165 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 168 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 212 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 280 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 428 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 2646 of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance and repair of county highways;

Also: Senate Bill No. 579—An act to authorize the Director of Agriculture to provide for the certification of fruits, vegetables and other farm products, to cooperate with the United States Department of Agriculture in carrying out the provisions of

this act, to provide for the payment of fees, to establish a fruit and vegetable certification fund and revolving fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No 595—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 655—An act to amend sections 15 and 17 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the purchase of materials and supplies and providing for cooperation of said flood control district with public and private corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 806—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of school boards.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 347 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Senate Bill No 579 read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No 595 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 655 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 806 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 229—An act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to terms of imprisonment;

Also: Senate Bill No 255—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county officers of counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district or districts benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the letting of contracts for the said work and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited, lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities at their election.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 229 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 250 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 255 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 296 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 69—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 15*b*, relating to the bonds of said municipal utility districts, and the investment of trust and other funds therein, and providing for the use of said bonds as security in certain cases and as security for the deposit of public funds;

Also Senate Bill No. 215—An act to amend sections 2, 7 and 8 and to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to the resolution initiating proceedings, to the report of directors, to the purposes of the district and to assessments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
BY F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Also.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Also Assembly Bill No 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the sanitary board.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
BY W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322r11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852a of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager plan of government, also that they may abolish the same by a like vote;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States Forest Reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unapportioned funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for topographic surveys and investigations of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 22, 1909;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of waters therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 233:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 13, line 37, in section 24, of the printed bill, as amended by Assembly committee, in place of the words "of attorneys employed", which have been stricken out, insert the words "of attorneys and others employed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 21 of the printed bill, as amended by Assembly committee, strike out all of lines 17 and 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 12, line 46, of the amended printed bill, following the word "warrant", insert the words "of the county auditor, drawn upon an order".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 14, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "first meeting of the board of supervisors in September", and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteenth day of August".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 15, line 15, of the printed bill, change period to comma, and add "as revised by said board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 15, line 33, of the printed bill, change period to a semicolon, and add "*provided*, that if a fraction of a cent occur on a valuation of one hundred dollars, it shall be taken as a full cent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 16, line 17, of the printed bill, following the word "the", insert the words "county auditor, drawn upon orders of the".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 233 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield,

Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 957?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, lines 23 and 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in the public schools of this state".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 957 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 407?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "and no other, or others,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "paregoric,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the amended printed bill, after the word "saltpeter", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and such other remedies or drugs as the board may from time to time designate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 20, of the amended printed bill, after the comma following the word "poison", insert the following: "poultry vermifuge,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 23 to 27, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

This act shall not prevent the sale of Epsom salts in original packages of not less than ten pounds when plainly and properly labeled "For live stock only and not for medicinal purposes" in letters not less than one-half inch in height.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 407 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act—and respectfully request your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1151?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "portion of such county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "territory".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In lines 11 and 12, page 1, of the printed bill, and beginning immediately after the figures "1921," line 11, strike out the following: "or under the provisions of such act, as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 2, page 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "hereto" and substitute the word "heretofore".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 12, page 1, of the printed bill, after the word "existed" add the words "de facto".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1151 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Mr. Jones moved that the Assembly be at recess for the purpose of hearing addresses by Governor

C. C. Young, Hon. Hubert Work, Secretary of Interior, and Dr. Elwood Mead, Commissioner of Federal Reclamation.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the following Select Committee: Messrs. Fry, Reindollar and Crawford to meet with a like committee from the Senate to escort Governor C. C. Young, Secretary of Interior Hubert Work and Dr. Elwood Mead to the bar of the Assembly.

During the recess addresses were made by Governor C. C. Young, Hon. Hubert Work and Dr. Elwood Mead.

REASSEMBLED.

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

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

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

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 49—An act to amend section 6 of an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco,'" approved May 17, 1917;

Also: Senate Bill No. 82—An act to amend section 817 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers;

Also: Senate Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 4056b of the Political Code, relating to the creation of a fund for making exhibitions of products and the assistance of local fair associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment by the State or counties, or cities, or cities and counties, of the premium or charge on official bonds when given by surety companies," approved March 25, 1903, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 411 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons;

Also: Senate Bill No 484—An act to amend section 563*a* of the Penal Code, relating to false entries;

Also: Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 49 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 82 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No 194 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 372 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 448 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 483 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 484 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 478 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 543—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to the number of notaries public in counties of the second class;

Also. Senate Bill No. 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226, and 227 of, and to add two new sections to be numbered 224*m*, and 226*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption;

Also: Senate Bill No. 592—An act to amend section 494 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the sale of property and franchises of railroad corporations;

Also Senate Bill No 808—An act to amend section 4463 of the Political Code, relating to newspapers;

Also: Senate Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 524 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 543 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 573 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 592 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 808 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 841 real first time, and referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the organization and creation of improvement districts within irrigation districts organized under the "California Irrigation District Act;" to provide for the construction of improvements therein, and for the levy of assessments on the lands of such improvement districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them;

Also: Senate Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, so as to entitle the applicant for employment to double the amount of the fee paid in the event the fee paid is not returned within forty-eight hours after demand, in cases where the applicant fails to obtain employment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 5 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 41 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 43 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No 45 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensations of real estate and personal loan brokers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish

industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvement in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Badham:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr. Dillinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Lyons:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Clowdsley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out the words "and other commodities."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following as a paragraph:

The term "agricultural products" when used in this act shall, unless such construction be inconsistent with the context, be construed as including corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley, grain sorghums and rice.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, following the word "party", insert the words "and with the consent of the management of the industry where the service is to be performed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, following the word "party", insert the words "and with the consent of the management of the industry where the service is to be performed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the costs of the same" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the regular weighing fees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, lines 39 to 43, of the printed bill, strike out the following "All moneys collected under the provisions of this section shall be paid into a special fund under the control of the director, and an amount not exceeding such additional fees shall be paid to the employees by whom such additional services may be performed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 13

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "14" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "15" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "except as provided in section 12 of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "16" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "15."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "by the California debris commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "operations", strike out the period and add the following: "and for engineering investigations in connection therewith."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out lines 4, 5 and 6 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following, "with law, under the supervision and control of the state board of control upon the recommendation of the California debris commission for the purposes of purchasing dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailing from hydraulic operations and for the conducting of engineering investigations of said California debris commission in connection therewith.

SEC 2. The title to all land so purchased by the State of California upon recommendation of the California debris commission, under the provisions hereof, shall immediately upon the purchase thereof by the state, vest absolutely and unqualifiedly in the government of the United States for the purposes above designated."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued, hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to amend the Political Code of the State of California by adding thereto certain new sections to be known as and numbered sections 2331*a*, 2331*b*, 2331*c*, 2331*d*, 2331*e*, 2331*f*, 2331*g*, 2332*a*, and 2347, relative to the care and rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons under the age of twenty-one years by the State of California, under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Welfare, and appropriating funds therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans to select a site for a permanent penal institution for women offenders.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, and disposing of the balance in said fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 3664*c* of the Political Code, relating to appropriation for the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3465, 3480 and 3480½, chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add thereto a new section 3468 providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3494 providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal and interest of bonds of said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3495 providing for cancellation of bonds and of assessments securing said bonds by mutual agreement between bondholders and holders of title to lands in said districts, and to add thereto a new section 3496 providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 12 of the printed bill, as amended at the end of line 21, insert the following "or if within one year from the date of the election authorizing the issuance of bonds, none of the bonds have been deposited with the county treasurer,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof of the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing that said bonds may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardian, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 2 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered *2b*, *2c* and *2d*, relating to the formation of such districts and the selection of officers thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, in line 5 of the title on said page 2, after the word "sections" in said line of the title, insert the word "one,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, in line 1, strike out the letter "*a*" following the second figure "1" in said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "thereby", insert a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, between lines 34 and 35, insert the following:

SECTION 1 The holders of title or evidence of title to a majority in area of lands which form a contiguous body and which are susceptible of irrigation from a common source and by the same system of works may propose the organization of a water district by signing and presenting to the board of supervisors of the county in which the lands or the greater part thereof are situated, at any of its regular meetings, a petition setting forth the following facts,—that they propose to form under the provisions of this act a water district to be known as the "(_____) water district", a description of the boundaries thereof, specifying the county or counties in which the lands are located; the number of acres in the proposed district; the place where the principal business thereof is proposed to be transacted; and the source or sources (which may be in the alternative) from which said lands are proposed to be irrigated. The words "title or evidence of title" as used in this section include the possessory rights of entrymen or purchasers of public lands under any law of the United States or of this state whether evidenced by receipts or otherwise. The records of the United States land office for the district in which said lands are located; the records of the state land office; and the records in the office

of the county recorder of the county in which said lands are situated shall be conclusive evidence of ownership for the purposes of this section.

SEC. 2. Section 14 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, in line 27, strike out the word and figure "Sec. 2." and insert in lieu thereof the word and figure "Sec. 3."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, in line 25, of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 42, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, after the word "that", insert the following: "at such election the last equalized assessment roll or rolls of the county or counties within which any of the lands within said proposed district are situated shall be used in lieu of the assessment book mentioned in section 22 of this act, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 3, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the words "until their" in line 16, also strike out all of line 17 of said page and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for two years next succeeding their election and until their successors are elected and qualified. In each water district formed under this act there shall be an election every two years held at such time and place in the district as shall be provided in the by-laws of the district, at which election an assessor and five directors shall be elected, to hold office for two years and until their successors are elected and qualified."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 6 of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out lines 34 and 35 and the words "irrigation works" in line 36, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "its full cash value".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 7, lines 30 to 33, of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, strike out the words "the full cash value of the" in line 30, also strike out all of lines 31 to 33, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "its full cash value and shall fix the full cash value of any lands".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating

the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "is", strike out the word "regularly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "travel", strike out the words "about the state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "my", insert the following: "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the following: "personal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "to", insert the following: "cause the signature thereon to be compared with the signature upon the original affidavit of registration, and if it shall appear the said signature is by the same person who signed the original affidavit of registration, he shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "officer", strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "and", insert the following: "that it has".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "not", strike out the words "its return" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "been returned".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "personal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, after the word "injury" insert the following, "or disability".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "town", insert the following: "or any officer authorized by law to administer oath".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "the", strike out the words "civil, congressional,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating

the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893,'' approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out line 5 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five thousand dollars, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out line 5 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five thousand dollars, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out line 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five thousand dollars, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the word "remainder".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four hundred".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Santa Barbara.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "each of the judges", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the judge".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the printed bill, strike out the comma and insert a semicolon and strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three thousand five hundred dollars of which shall be paid by the state and the remainder thereof by the county for which the judges are elected or appointed. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "is", add the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737*o* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "Inyo".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "and of the county of Inyo five thousand dollars;".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "is", strike out the words "thirty-six hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "seventy-two hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "six thousand"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven", and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the words "each of the judges", and insert in lieu thereof the words "the judge"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the words "counties of Solano and Napa", and insert in lieu thereof the words "county of Solano".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, after the comma following the word annum, insert the words "and of the judge of the county of Napa is five thousand dollars per annum".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill, strike out the word "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand five hundred dollars"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "other half", and insert in lieu thereof the word "remainder".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of Merced county.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "one-half" and insert in lieu thereof the following "two thousand five hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "other half" and insert in lieu thereof the word "remainder".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 550—An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the

same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalty for the violation thereof; and creating a Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and fixing the compensation of the commissioner.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out in title of the printed bill, "providing for the regulation and supervison of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalty for the violation thereof; and creating a corporation department and the office of commissioner of corporations, and fixing the compensation of the commissioner." and in lieu thereof insert the following: "to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a state corporation department and the office of commissioner of corporations,' approved May 18, 1917, as amended relating to salary of corporation commissioner."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 1 of the printed bill, insert the following:

SECTION 1. Section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a state corporation department and the office of commissioner of corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 15. There is hereby created a state corporation department. The chief officer of such department shall be the commissioner of corporations. He shall be appointed by the governor and hold office at the pleasure of the governor. He shall receive an annual salary of six thousand dollars, to be paid monthly out of the state treasury upon a warrant of the controller. He shall within fifteen days from the time of notice of his appointment take and subscribe to the constitutional oath of office and file the same in the office of the secretary of state and execute to the people of the state a bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars with corporate security or two or more sureties, to be approved by the governor of the state, for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a Board of Examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said Board of Examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 1 to 10 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such

practice or occupation; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act; and prescribing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 19, both inclusive, and strike out pages 2, 3 and 4 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "engineers registration act of 1927."

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in or follow the practice or occupation of a steam or operating engineer, except engineers upon automobiles, or locomotives, or boilers of less than fifteen horsepower or boilers carrying or upon subjected to a pressure not to exceed fifteen pounds per square inch, or persons operating boilers under the jurisdiction of the United States government, unless the said person holds a certificate of registration as herein provided.

SEC 3. The industrial accident shall have the power to grant certificates of registration to any engineer who may apply to them for same, having complied with the provisions of this act.

SEC. 4. Each person on filing his application for a certificate of registration shall pay to the industrial accident commission the sum of five dollars, as examination fee. In case any applicant shall fail to pass the second examination within a period of six months, his fee shall be forfeited.

SEC. 5. Certificates of registration shall be issued to every applicant, authorizing him to practice the occupation of steam or operating engineering and his name entered in a register as hereinafter provided, who, upon examination satisfies the industrial accident commission that he is a citizen of the United States or has declared his intention to become such, is a man of good moral character, is over the age of twenty-one years and is possessed of the requisite skill and knowledge to perform the duties of a steam or operating engineer; *provided, however,* that if the application for a certificate of registration is accompanied by an affidavit of the applicant that he is the owner or operator of a plant in a locality distant from the center of population, or that said applicant is engaged, in the operation of boilers used in dairies and agricultural pursuits, or boilers used in pumping or boring wells for oil or water, where said applicant is the only employee directly or indirectly connected with the operation of said boiler or engine, and if in the judgment of the commission no danger is likely to accrue to any other person because of the possible incompetency of the applicant, the commission shall issue a special certificate of registration for said plant to said applicant without examination. Certificates of registration shall be signed by the industrial accident commission and the seal of the commission placed thereon. Said commission shall furnish to each person to whom a certificate of registration is issued, a card or insignia, bearing the seal and signature of the commission, certifying that the holder thereof is entitled to practice the occupation of steam or operating engineer in this state and it shall be the duty of the holder thereof to post the same conspicuously in the boiler room or engine room where he is employed and shall be in effect one year from date of issuance.

SEC. 6. Every person now engaged in the practice or occupation of a steam or operating engineer in this state shall within ninety days after this act shall take effect, file with the industrial accident commission an affidavit setting forth his name, residence, length of time he has been engaged in the occupation of steam or operating engineer, the place or places where he has been employed, whether or not he is a citizen of the United States or has declared his intention to become such, and said commission shall issue a certificate of registration to said person, entitling him to practice the occupation of steam or operating engineering in this state, without examination, upon the payment of a fee of five dollars

SEC. 7. The commission shall keep a register in which shall be entered the names of all persons to whom certificates are issued under this act, and said register shall be at all times open to public inspection during business hours.

SEC. 8. Any certificates issued under this act may be revoked by the said commission for the following causes, viz. drunkedness while on duty, incompetency, wilful neglect of duty as an engineer, or for having obtained the same by fraud or misrepresentation, upon due notice to the accused and a hearing by the commission.

SEC 9. The commission shall notify the holder of a certificate by registered mail thirty days before the expiration of the same, and it shall be renewed at the expiration of such time without examination upon application therefor, and upon the payment of the sum of two dollars, if no sufficient cause is shown against the renewal thereof. Sufficient cause shall be deemed such acts or omissions as will warrant the commission in revoking a certificate already issued as provided by this act.

SEC. 10. Any person practicing the occupation of a steam or operating engineer in the State of California without having obtained a certificate of registration as provided by this act, or who falsely represents himself to be authorized to practice the occupation of a steam or operating engineer under the provisions of this act or who violates any other provision of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished according to law. The commission shall have the authority and is hereby empowered to visit any engine room or boiler rooms in this state at all reasonable hours.

SEC. 11. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to create a State Building Department; providing for the appointment of the members of such department; prescribing the powers and duties of such department; providing for the issuance of licenses by such department and fixing the fees for such licenses; providing the method for revocation of such licenses; prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 1, strike out the following: "to create a state building department; providing for" and strike out lines 2 to 7, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "providing for the creation and establishment of a state license board for contractors, prescribing the powers and duties of such board; defining the term contractor; providing the method of obtaining licenses to engage in the business of contracting and fixing the fees for such licenses, providing the method of revocation of such licenses and prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 1 after the period following the figure "1" and strike out lines 2 to 19, inclusive; page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive, page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive, page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; page 8 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 37, inclusive, and insert the following.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, copartnership, association or corporation or any combination of either to engage in the business or act in the capacity of contractor within this state without having a license therefor as herein provided.

SEC. 2. A contractor within the meaning of this act is a person, firm, copartnership, association or corporation who for a fixed sum, price, fee, percentage or other compensation other than wages undertakes with another to construct, alter, repair or improve any building, highway, road, railroad, excavation, or other structure, project, development or improvement or any part thereof or to provide labor, install or apply materials or furnish appliances, teams, power or labor therefor

SEC. 3. There is hereby created a state license board for contractors consisting of three members who shall be appointed by the governor within sixty days after this act becomes effective One member of the board shall be a contractor engaged as a major portion of his business in the construction of highways; one member shall be a contractor engaged as the major portion of his business in the construction of buildings, one member shall be a contractor engaged as the major portion of his business in the construction of public utilities. In order to be qualified for such appointment and service, each of said members shall have been so engaged in his respective line of contracting in this state continuously for not less than five years immediately prior to his appointment and shall be qualified to serve as such member only so long as he shall continue to be so engaged in this state. The terms of office of the first members of the board appointed hereunder shall expire at the end of the calendar years 1927, 1928 and 1929 respectively. The governor shall fill the respective vacancies on said board caused by the expiration of such terms of office by appointment for the term of three years. Each member of the board shall continue in office after the expiration of his term until his successor shall be duly appointed and qualified. Any vacancy on the board caused otherwise than by expiration of term of office shall be filled by the governor by appointment for the unexpired portion of the term of office. The governor may at any time remove any member of the

board for incompetency, neglect of duty or misconduct in office Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office and within fifteen days after his appointment each member of the board shall take and file with the secretary of state the constitutional oath of office.

SEC 4. The said board shall, within fifteen days after its appointment by the governor, meet in the city of Sacramento, at a time and place to be designated by the governor, and organize by electing a chairman and a vice chairman, each to serve for one year. Said board shall have power to make such by-laws, rules and regulations as it shall deem proper, provided the same are not in conflict with the laws of California

SEC 5. The headquarters or main office of the board shall be located at Sacramento, California, and the board may also establish branch offices at San Francisco and Los Angeles The board shall appoint an executive secretary and such deputies and assistants as it may deem necessary for the proper discharge of its duties hereunder and shall fix the duties to be performed by and the compensation to be received by each of such appointees for his services hereunder. Each of such appointees shall serve at the pleasure of the board No member of the board shall be an appointee of the board.

The board shall meet at its main office or at one of its branch offices on the first business day of January, April, July and October of each year and at such other times and places as in its discretion may be necessary for the proper discharge of its duties hereunder and shall have authority to incur such expenses as it deems necessary hereunder.

SEC. 6. Each member of the board shall receive as compensation for his services hereunder the sum of fifteen dollars per day for each day or portion thereof necessarily employed in the discharge of his duties hereunder, such aggregate compensation for a member of the board in any one month not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars. Each member of the board shall also be entitled to receive his actual traveling expenses necessarily incurred when engaged in the duties of his office under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 7. Said board shall have the power to regulate and control the issuance, suspension and revocation of licenses subject to the provisions of this act and to perform all other acts and duties incidental to the enforcement of the provisions of this act. On or about March first and August first of each year the board shall publish a list or directory of contractors licensed under this act and may publish therewith such matters as it may deem pertinent and advisable in connection therewith and without charge shall mail one copy of such list or directory and additional matter to each licensed contractor, and to the county clerk of each county and city and county, of this state, other copies thereof shall be available for distribution to interested parties

SEC. 8. For the purposes of this act, contractors are classified as follows

Class A: Contractors engaged in the construction, improvement, alteration or repair of frame buildings.

Class B: Contractors engaged in the construction, improvement, alteration or repair of buildings other than frame buildings.

Class C. Contractors engaged in the construction, improvement, alteration or repair of public utilities within the meaning of the public utilities and railroad commission acts.

Class D Contractors engaged in the construction, improvement, alteration or repair of streets, highways, roads and bridges.

Class E Contractors engaged in the installation or application of materials, or the furnishing of appliances, teams, power or labor incidental to the work of any one or more of the foregoing groups and not involving the technical knowledge or skill required for accomplishing the result of the general contract included in any one or more of said groups.

The board shall have power under this act to make such further additional classifications as it may deem advisable for the issuance of licenses hereunder and may also further classify the licenses issued under each class.

SEC. 9. In order to procure a license as herein required, application shall be made to the board in writing on forms which shall be prescribed and provided by the board, which application shall be signed by the applicant and the truth of the representations therein made shall be sworn to by the applicant before an officer authorized by law to administer oaths. If the applicant is a person, said application shall state his residence, age, experience and business addresses; if applicant is a firm, copartnership, association or corporation, said application shall state the addresses of the principal and any branch offices of the applicant and the names and residence addresses of all persons, firms, copartnerships, associations and corporations interested in the ownership, management or control of the applicant. It shall be mandatory upon every licensee under this act immediately to notify the licensing board of any change in ownership, management, or if a corporation, of the officers and directors thereof. Said application shall be accompanied by a written recommendation signed by two owners of real property in the county of the applicant's residence if a person and in the county of the applicant's principal business address if a firm, copartnership, association or corporation, certifying that the

applicant is honest, truthful and of good business reputation and recommending that a license under this act be granted to such applicant. Said application shall state also the class or classes of contracting as herein classified in which the applicant desires to be licensed and shall show therein that the applicant has a fair knowledge of the principles and practice of estimating jobs, the preparation and understanding of blueprints, plans and specifications and the rudiments of building contracts and of the obligations between principal and agent so far as applicable to the requirements of the particular class of contracting for which a license is requested.

Any person, firm, association or corporation who has engaged in the business of contracting in the State of California prior to January 1, 1927, shall be entitled to the license provided for in this act upon the payment of the fees herein prescribed, and on filing with the board an affidavit to that effect. All contractors within the meaning of this act must be licensed within sixty days from the date this act goes into effect.

SEC. 10. Said application shall be accompanied by a fee in the amount hereinafter provided which shall be forthwith returned to the applicant if a license be not granted The annual license fee for each year shall be twenty-five dollars All licenses granted hereunder shall expire at the end of the calendar year in which they are granted.

If application for a license is made during the period beginning the first day of April and ending on the thirtieth day of June, in any year, three-fourths of the annual fee shall be paid, if application is made during the period beginning on the first day of July and ending on the thirtieth day of September, one-half of such annual fee; if application is made during the period beginning on the first day of October and ending on the thirty-first day of December, one-fourth of such annual fee.

Lapsed licenses may be renewed by the board, which may at its discretion require a new application.

SEC. 11. All fees charged and collected under this act shall be paid by the state license board for contractors at least once a week, accompanied by a detailed statement thereof, into the treasury of the state to the credit of a fund to be known as the "state license board of contractors fund", which fund is hereby created. All moneys which shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the "state license board for contractors fund" are hereby appropriated to be used by said board in the carrying out of the provisions of this act, including the payment of the salaries of its deputies, clerks, assistants, and the comptroller shall draw his warrant on said fund from time to time in favor of said board for the amounts expended under its direction, and the treasurer shall pay the same, *provided, however*, that all of the expenditures of said board including the salaries of its deputies, clerks and assistants, shall be paid only from the "state license board for contractors fund". The board may, with the consent of the board of control, withdraw from said fund a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars to be used as a "revolving fund" where cash advances are necessary The board must account for the sum withdrawn from said "revolving fund" at any time upon demand of the board of control. It shall be the duty of the board semiannually to certify under oath to the state treasurer and secretary of state the total amount of receipts and expenditures of the board's department for the six months preceding. All moneys remaining in the state treasury to the credit of the "state license board of contractors fund" at noon on the thirty-first day of December of each year shall on or before the fifteenth day of the succeeding January be transferred from said "state license board for contractors fund" to the general fund of the state. *Provided, however*, the board has the right to retain at least ten per cent of the total expense it incurs for a year's operation to meet any emergency that may arise.

SEC. 12 The executive secretary shall, before entering upon the duties of his office provide a bond in such sum as the board may determine conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of his office hereunder and for the accounting for and proper disposition of all funds and property received by him under this act he shall keep a record of all proceedings of the board and shall receive and account for all moneys derived from the operation of this act; he shall safely keep on file all applications for license hereunder, which applications shall be open to public inspection; he shall keep a register of the names and addresses of all applicants for licenses and the dates of all such applications and the action of the board thereon and such books and records shall be prima facie evidence of the matters therein recorded A copy of the list or directory herein provided for shall be kept by the county clerk of each county and shall be open to public inspection. On or about August first of each year beginning in the year 1928 the board shall submit to the governor a report of its transactions for the preceding year, with a complete statement of its receipts and expenditures of money attested by the affidavits of the board and the secretary-treasurer.

SEC. 13. The board shall adopt a seal bearing the words "California State License Board for Contractors" and such other devices as the board may prescribe All licenses issued hereunder shall be printed and shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the board, shall be signed by a member of the board, as may be authorized by the board, and shall be attested by the executive secretary and shall

bear said seal. Said seal shall also be placed on the originals of all official documents of the board.

SEC. 14. The attorney general shall render to the board opinions upon all questions of law relating to the construction or interpretation of this act or arising in the administration thereof that may be submitted to him by the board, and shall act as attorney for the board in all actions and proceedings brought by or against it under or pursuant to any of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 15. The license shall be prominently displayed at the business address of the contractor as shown by the application for a license, and no license issued hereunder shall authorize the licensee to do business except from the location stipulated in the license. Notice in writing shall be given the state license board for contractors of change of business location, whereupon the board shall issue a new license for the unexpired period without charge. The change of business location without notification to the board and the issuance by it of a new license shall automatically cancel the license heretofore issued. Each person, firm or corporation licensed as a contractor under the provisions of this act shall be required to have and maintain at least one definite place of business in the State of California.

SEC. 16. The state license board for contractors may upon its own motion, and shall upon the verified complaint in writing of any person, investigate the actions of any licensed contractor within this state, and shall have the power temporarily to suspend or permanently revoke licenses issued under the provisions of this act, at any time where the holder thereof in performing or attempting to perform any of the acts mentioned herein is guilty of

1. Any substantial fraud, misrepresentation or deceit in obtaining a license under this act.

2. The improper diversion of funds from the prosecution and completion of the particular contract with the intent to defraud or deceive creditors, or the owner, which funds are received for the performance of the contract.

3. Gross negligence, incompetency or misconduct in the practice of his profession, or in the conduct of any contract.

4. The failure to pay any legitimate indebtedness incurred for labor or materials or otherwise in connection with the performance of a contract.

SEC. 17. Before denying, suspending or revoking any license the said board shall notify, in writing, the applicant or holder of such license of the charges against him and afford an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel in reference thereto. The decision of the said board in denying, suspending or revoking any license under this act shall be subject to review in accordance with the provisions of chapter I of title I of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure; and any party aggrieved by such decision of the board may within ten days from the date of said decision appeal therefrom to the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county in which the person affected by such decision resides or has his place of business under the terms of this act, by serving upon the board a notice of such appeal and a demand in writing for a certified transcript of all the papers on file in its office affecting or relating to such decision and all the evidence taken on the hearing by paying ten cents for each folio of the transcript and one dollar for the certification thereof. Thereupon the board shall, within thirty days, make and certify such transcript, and the appellant shall, within five days after receiving the same, file the same and the notice of appeal with the clerk of said court. Upon the hearing of such appeal, the burden of proof shall lie upon the appellant, and the court shall receive and consider any pertinent evidence, whether oral or documentary, concerning the action of the board from which the appeal is taken, but shall be limited to a consideration and determination of the question whether there has been an abuse of discretion on the part of the board in making such decision. In suspending or revoking any license the decision of the board shall not take effect until ten days after its date. In the event of said appeal from said decision to the superoir court of the State of California, the decision of the board shall remain in effect pending the determination of such appeal, unless the party appealing and aggrieved by such decision of the board shall file with the judge of the superior court a bond in a sum to be fixed by said court, which bond shall be in favor of the people of the State of California and be conditioned upon the faithful performance of all the obligations of such appellant or aggrieved person as a contractor. Said bond shall be for the benefit of any person having dealings with such appellant or aggrieved person, and any such person so dealing with the same shall have the right to commence a suit thereon in his own name against said contractor and his sureties.

SEC. 18. The state license board for contractors shall have power to administer oaths, certify to all official acts, and to issue subpœnas for the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers. In any hearing in any part of the state the process issued by the board shall extend to all parts of the state and may be served by any person authorized to serve process of courts of record or by any person designated for that purpose by the board. The person serving any such process shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by the board, not to exceed the fees prescribed by law for similar service, and such fees shall be paid in the same manner as provided herein for the payment of the fees of witnesses. Each witness who shall appear by order of the board shall receive for his attendance the same fees and mileage allowed by law to a witness in civil cases, which amount

shall be paid by the party at whose request such witness is subpœnaed. When any witness who has not been required to attend at the request of any party shall be subpœnaed by the board his fees and mileage shall be paid from the funds appropriated for the use of the said board's department in the same manner as other expenses of said department are paid.

The superior court in and for the county in which any hearing may be held by the board shall have the power to compel the attendance of witnesses, the giving of testimony and the production of books and papers as required by any subpœna issued by the board. In case of the refusal of any witness to attend or testify or produce any papers required by such subpœna the board may report to the superior court in and for the county in which the hearing is pending by petition, setting forth that due notice has been given of the time and place of attendance of said witness or the production of said papers, and that the witness has been summoned in the manner prescribed in this act, and that the witness has failed and refused to attend or produce the papers required by subpœna before the board in the cause or proceeding named in the subpœna, or has refused to answer questions propounded to him in the course of such hearing, and ask an order of said court compelling the witness to attend and testify or produce said papers before the board. The court upon petition of the board shall enter an order directing the witness to appear before the court at a time and place to be fixed by the court in such order, the time to be not more than ten days from the date of the order, and then and there show cause why he has not attended or testified or produced said papers before the board. A copy of said order shall be served upon said witness. If it shall appear to the court that said subpœna was regularly issued by the board, the court shall thereupon enter an order that said witness appear before the board at the time and place fixed in said order and testify or produce the required papers, and upon failure to obey said order, said witness shall be dealt with as for contempt of court

The board may in any hearing before it cause the deposition of witnesses residing within or without the state to be taken in the manner prescribed by law for like depositions in civil actions in the superior courts of this state, and to that end may compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers.

Any party to any hearing before the board shall have the right to the attendance of witnesses in his behalf at such hearing or upon deposition as set forth in this section upon making request therefor to the board and designating the person or persons sought to be subpœnaed.

The board may reissue a license to any person, firm or corporation whose license has been revoked, *provided*, two or more members of the board vote in favor of such reissuance for reasons the board may deem sufficient.

The board shall immediately notify the secretary of state and the clerk of each incorporated city, town or county in the state of its findings in the case of the revocation of a license or of the reissuance of a revoked license

A certificate of license to replace any certificate lost, destroyed or mutilated may be issued subject to the rules and regulations of the board

SEC 19. The state license board for contractors may prefer a complaint for violation of section 3 of this act before any court of competent jurisdiction, and the said board and its counsel, deputies or assistants may assist in presenting the law or facts at the trial It shall be the duty of the district attorney of each county in this state to prosecute all violations of the aforesaid provision of this act in their respective counties in which such violations occur

SEC. 20. Any person, firm, association or corporation acting as a contractor within the meaning of this act without a license as herein provided shall, upon conviction thereof, if a person, be punished by a fine of not to exceed five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not to exceed six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court: *provided*, this same penalty shall apply upon conviction to any officer or director of a corporation, or to any *individual members of a copartnership* or association, *participating* in or consenting to any violation of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 21. Persons who are the owners of the property upon which buildings or improvements are erected by themselves shall not be required to procure the license hereinbefore referred to so long as all of the owners of said property join in said undertaking, nor shall trustees of an express trust or officers of a court be deemed to be contractors within the terms of this act so long as they are acting within the terms of their trust or office, respectively but where one owner of an interest in property contracts with an owner of another interest therein he shall be deemed a contractor within the terms of this act.

SEC 22. The following shall be exempt from the provisions of this act: The practice of contracting as defined in section 2 of this act by an authorized representative or representatives of the United States government, State of California, or any incorporated town, city or county or other municipal corporation of this state.

SEC. 23 The board shall, from time to time, examine the requirements for the licensing of contractors in other states, territories and countries, and shall record those in which, in the judgment of the board, standards, not lower than those provided by this act, are maintained Any contractor licensed in another state, territory

or country, having standards of licensing equal to those of this state, may be registered upon a satisfactory showing of character and record only, provided the license fee required by this act is paid, and provided, further, that the license act under which said contractor was licensed has been in effect for a period of two years. Reciprocity shall be practiced only with such states as shall accord similar privileges to contractors who are citizens of California and who are licensed by this act.

SEC. 24. All architects and engineers preparing plans and specifications for work to be contracted in the State of California shall include in their invitations to bidders and in their specifications a copy of this act or such portions thereof as are deemed necessary to convey to the invited bidder, whether he be a resident or nonresident of this state and whether a license has been issued to him or not, the information that it will be necessary for him to show evidence of a license before his bid is considered.

SEC 25 If any section subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, prescribing the number and fixing the salaries thereof and making a supplement appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, line 4 of the title, strike out the words "prescribing the number and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the title of the printed bill, line 4, after the word "salaries", insert the following: "of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 4, strike out the word "thereof" and strike out all the balance of the title.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five clerks," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such clerks as he may deem necessary,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and in lieu thereof insert the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "office" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as he may deem necessary."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the final comma following the word "clerks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 6 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars. The annual salary of the phonographic reporter, and of the service agent, and of the stenographers shall be prescribed by the attorney general. The clerks, the phonographic reporter, the service agent and the stenographers shall be civil executive officers and their salaries shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as salaries of other state officers. The service agent, two clerks and six of said stenographers, to

be designated by the attorney general, shall be exempt from the provisions of the state civil service act, and shall hold their positions during the pleasure of the attorney general."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 6 inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

HON. BYRON J. WALTERS IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock p.m., Hon. Byron J. Walters, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-ninth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such offices, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, line 3 of the title, insert after the word "of" the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the title of the printed bill, line 3, strike out the final "s" in the word "assistants"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 4, strike out the words "prescribing the number and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In the title of the printed bill, line 5, strike out the final "s" in the word "assistants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 5, after the first "and" in said line, insert the words "of the chief".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In the title of the printed bill, line 5, strike out the word "deputies" and insert in lieu thereof the word "deputy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In the title of the printed bill, line 5, strike out "and making a supplemental", strike out all the balance of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out after the figures "472" the remainder of line 3 and all of lines 4 to 17, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The attorney general may appoint one assistant, one chief deputy, and such additional deputies as he may deem necessary for the proper performance of the duties of such office. The annual salary of the assistant attorney general shall be four thousand five hundred dollars, the annual salary of the chief deputy shall be four thousand five hundred dollars, and the annual salary of each of such additional deputies shall be such as shall be prescribed by the attorney general, and such salaries shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other state officers. The assistant, chief deputy and additional deputies shall be civil executive officers."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 26 to 30, inclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 9 and 10 and the words "for a term of four years" in line 11, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "act, three shall be appointed to serve until March 1, 1928, two shall be appointed to serve until March 1, 1929, three shall be appointed to serve until March 1, 1930, and two shall be appointed to serve until March 1, 1931."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 23 to 52, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

1520. First The state board of education shall have power and it shall be its duty

(*a*) To establish upon recommendation of the superintendent such divisions in the state department of education as appear advisable for the efficient transaction of business.

(*b*) To appoint only on nomination of the superintendent, an experienced and qualified educator to be head of each such division, such head to be known either as assistant director or chief of the division

(*c*) To refuse appointment to a nominee of the superintendent if convinced after a public hearing that said appointee is morally or professionally unfit for the position or is related to the superintendent by marriage or otherwise.

(*d*) To establish such subordinate positions in each division as may be recommended by the superintendent and to appoint supervisors and other assistants only upon nomination of the superintendent.

(*e*) To fix the salaries of all professional employees subject to approval by state board of control, but such salaries once fixed may not be reduced during the term of an incumbent.

Second The word "superintendent" as herein used means the superintendent of public instruction.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registrations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "embalmer", strike out all the remainder of the line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "practice of embalming" and strike out the word "thereafter".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the fifty-first class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, before the word "unless", insert the words "and designate the polling places".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "precinct" following the comma, insert the following: "have not been appointed or cannot serve,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 35, of the printed bill, before the word "county", insert the following: "state,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "daily", insert the following: ", or in case there is no daily then in a weekly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "the" and before the word "county", insert the following: "state,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "tally".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 20—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 1197 of the Political Code, relating to election ballots, the manner of voting and conduct of elections.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 360—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 14, as amended March 9, 1927, after the word "period", insert "by adding a new section to be known as twenty *a*, relating to additional help for county treasurer of any county in which any lands contained in the district are located."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended March 9, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 26, both inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 43, line 47, of the printed bill, as amended March 9, 1927, after the word "do", begin a new paragraph to read as follows:

SEC. 48. A new section to be numbered 20*a* is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

20*a*. The county treasurer of any county in which any of the lands contained in the district are located during the time for the collection of the taxes or assessments of the district may require the board of directors of such district to provide and pay for such additional help as may be required to care for the matters relating to the collection of the said taxes of the district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 29 of the printed bill, line 15, after the comma after the word "engineer", insert the following "who shall give his approval if he finds the price not excessive, and otherwise refuse it;".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 110—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California; the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby; providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, as amended, by amending sections numbered 6, 7, 10, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered and providing as follows to wit: Section 8*a*, relating to the offices of assessor, collector and treasurer; section 8*b*, relating to consolidation and segregation of the offices of assessor and collector; section 8*c*, relating to deputies to assessor and collector; section 15*b*, relating to lack of benefits to improvements in district of operation and maintenance of irrigation system; section 27*a*, relating to time for completion of assessment roll and time for equalizing assessments; section 27*b*, relating to hearing as to equalization of values and duty of secretary in respect thereto; section 28*a*, relating to levy of taxes by boards of supervisors; section 28*b*, relating to duty of district attorney and Attorney General on default in levy and collection of taxes; section 28*c*, relating to extension of time for duties in assessment, levy and collection of taxes; section 28*d*, relating to collection of unsecured taxes; section 28*e*, relating to addition of unpaid water tolls and charges to taxes; section 28*f*, relating to assessment lien; section 28*g*, relating to change of assessments and refund of erroneous taxes; section 28*h*, relating to notice that assessments are due and collection and delinquency of taxes;

section 28*i*, relating to suit against delinquents to collect taxes; section 28*j*, relating to duty of collector on sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*k*, relating to sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*l*, relating to rights of owner of realty resold in default of payment, and purchase by district; section 28*m*, relating to certificates of sale; section 28*n*, relating to record book of property sold for taxes and interest on redemption; section 28*o*, relating to redemption of property and collector's deed; section 28*p*, relating to delinquent taxes and deed on dissolution of district; section 28*q*, relating to tax deed as prima facie and conclusive evidence and effect thereof; section 28*r*, relating to assessment roll or delinquent list as prima facie evidence; section 28*s*, relating to misnomers; section 28*t*, relating to waste after sale for taxes, district's rights and actions to enforce the same; section 28*u*, relating to settlements between secretary and collector; section 29*a*, relating to warrants unpaid for lack of funds and payment thereof; section 62, relating to assessment and equalization schedule for the year 1927; section 63, relating to effect of unconstitutionality and intention of this act; and section 64, relating to short title of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 12, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 12, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sum" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such sum, not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, as may be".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 166—An act to amend section 653*p* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative agricultural, viticultural and horticultural associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 9 of and to add a new section to be numbered 4*m* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the licensing of dealers in seeds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 580—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State, interstate and foreign markets; to protect the State's reputation in these markets, to establish

standards and standard containers for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing, marking and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "before", insert the words "the date first set for trial".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "trial" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the words "provided that if the copy of the testimony shall not be served as herein provided the court shall on motion of the defendant continue the trial to such time as may be necessary to secure to the defendant receipt of a copy of such testimony ten days before such trial".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 364—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 1049 of the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictment and informations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 397—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for the purpose of obtaining counsel.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 402—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 405—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 385—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1044, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 389—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 361—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 378—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Political Code, relating to a Department of Agriculture.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 7 of the printed bill, after the words "by the director", insert the following: "and shall hold office at the pleasure of the director. The director shall have the power to fix the salaries of such division chiefs, subject to the approval of the governor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 8 of the printed bill, strike out the word "chiefs".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, after the word "duties", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the word "chiefs."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 582—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 582 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 637 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 338 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Hawes, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Deuel, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Leymel, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Snyder, and Wemple—21.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Walters gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to consider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 338 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 340—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section, to be known as section 563c, thereto, relating to offenses against or concerning building and loan associations and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Lenehan, Lyons, Fry, Spalding and Melville demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 340 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hornblower, Jewett, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Oliva, Patterson, Walters, and Williamson—23.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At two o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., Speaker Levey declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of being addressed by Hon. Clarence F. Lea, Congressman from the First Congressional District.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock and twenty-seven minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED.

Assembly Bill No 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read

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

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

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Gant moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 12, line 41, of the printed bill, as amended March 24, 1927, add the following.

For support and maintenance of junior colleges, six hundred eighty-nine thousand dollars ($689,000.00).

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Gant as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 500, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

GANT, Select Committee.

The question being on the report of Select Committee of One and amendment to Assembly Bill No. 500.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Jacobson, Gant and Wright, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the Report of Select Committee of One and amendment to Assembly Bill No. 500.

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendment refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jewett, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Mixter, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, and Witter—26.

NOES—Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 500 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs,

Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917," as amended, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 930 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 43—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 43 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Adams, Burns, Flynn, Foster, Heisinger, Hornblower, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Rochester, Roland, and Williamson—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon application of the owner of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall" and insert in place thereof the word "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1002, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jost moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 4, as amended March 21, 1927, strike out the word "thereof" and insert in lieu thereof the word "therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 3 of the "prepared milk act" is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "condensed buttermilk" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "condensed skim milk, condensed buttermilk, and/or semisolid buttermilk.".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jost as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 637, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to repeal article V, part III, title VI, chapter I, of the Political Code, being sections 2429 to 2447, inclusive, relating to pilots and pilot commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Scofield moved that Assembly Bill No. 1108 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1108 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Assembly Bill No. 1021 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1021 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, line 6, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Bernard as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 316, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BERNARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Williamson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday March 29, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 29, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

On invitation of the Speaker prayer was offered by Hon. Crowell D. Eddy, assemblyman from the Eightieth Assembly District.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Williamson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Sister Monica, Sister Julie Marie and Miss McMullen, teachers of the Notre Dame High School of Marysville, California, and the following pupils: Katherine Arnoldy, Martha Bachman, Theresa Duensing, Lorene Grennan, Ruth Loder, Margaret Weber, Catherine Willett, Margaret Dempsey, Bernardine Grandrup, Katherine Hagerman, Helen Mason, Alberta Powell, Audrey Wendel, Anna Grandrup, Annette Hoffman, Alice Kerrigan, Henrietta Mallock, Jeanne Mallock, Elsa Remick, Katherine McAuliffe, Rose Rinetto, Caroline Sullivan, Evelyn Albrecht, Julia Dententer, Carrie Gomes, Mary M. Hoffman, Alice King, Mary Roberts, Amanda Moore, Chrysta Richards, Lois Smith, Muriel McCarthey, Myrtle Hocker, Mary Jane McGinnis, Betty Meacham and Consuela Arostegin were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs Woodbridge, Alice Carr, teacher of the Lincoln High School, and the following pupils: Thelma Kadel, Mildred Dabbas, Juanita Berry, Leola Neville, Evelyn Glenn, Johnny Bauquier, Esther Vannatta, Clara Nielsen, Leona Ristau, Angelina Andre, Eleanore Hansen, Gifford Stafford, Francis Taylor, Erwin Hopping, Eleanor Rains, Pete Siefert, Walter Daniels, Louie Frerro, Richard Mason, Sidney Smith, Al Fleming, Lowene Sparks, Delphine Sparks, Jeannette Musser, Mary Edith Bannister, Grace Koeler, Dorothy McMains, Iris Schroeder, Leona Siefert, Margaret Rains, Freda Dillian, Elyse Ahart, Elizabeth Beyer, Millard Borman, Phil Johnson, Robert Tafft, Henry Tucker, Ellis Schuler, Herman Lappens, Jerome Rulon, Beulah Pierce, Nevada Pope and Clarence Leavell were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. Hillard Welch, Grand President of the Native Sons of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Miss Grace Stoermer, Past Grand President of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. John T. Regan, Grand Secretary of the Native Sons of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Trauger of Lindsey, Tulare County, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Miller, Mrs. Grace S. Dorris of Bakersfield, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Miss Ferguson, history and civics teacher of the Sierra School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Ethel Kreutzer, Mary Kercheval, Genevieve Gero, Bertha Fairchild, Lillian Thomas, Bernice Berryhill, Allie Allbrecht, Evelyn Thomas, Lorraine Massey, Peggy Raynor, Dorothy Garlick, Alma Rohrer, Olive Brink, Adele Hullen, Helen Kreutzer, Beth Wentz, Vera Madsen, Gertrude Dorr, Eugene Crowell, Arnold Grob, Jack Prudhomme, Frank Quinby, Donald Collins, Hawley Earl, Jack Canon, Ernest Kneiple, Joel Gardner, Edward Reynolds, Charles Beaver and Permin Everett were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Fithian and Mrs. Jones, vice principals, and L. M. Forson, Sophia Veerkamp, teachers, of North Sacramento district, and the following pupils: Mary Ginter, Martha Griffin, Noah Yost, Leland Carlisle, Joseph Thomas Cullivan, Frank Wilber Moreland, Mary Evelyn Bagwell, Muriel Grason Swallow, Lillie Hansen, Betty Anderson, Howard Dalton, Harry Lumley, Julian P. Halsted, Raymond E. Crosby, Albert Booge, Jack Tamblyn, Franklin Erickson, James Nickless, Auburn Erickson, George Nye, Kirk Harris,

Albert Christensen, Fred Thrasher, Betty Trevis, Lois I. Moon, Arthur Hanson, Flora Bishop, Rosie Lonegro, Julia Gray, Oswell William Wible, Elvyn Haedrich, Clyde Robinson, Donald Coad, Burt Denton, Charles Henry Potter, Carl Ernst Kipp, Frank J. Lane, Marjory Keller, Elizabeth King, Elizabeth Ollson, Mamie Fail, Fern Ekstrom, Dorothy Murray, Margaret Offer, Margaret E. Babcock, Mabel E. Knight, May Shade, Dorothea Andersen, Alice Johnson, Emma Sentter, Lois Wilson, Alberta Lardie, Mildred Mertsching, Helen Brown, Evelyn Jones, Isabelle B. Lusk, Elma A. White, Hertha R. Martin, Edna M. Kingsley, Fern Plummer and Lucille Lyon were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

Resolved, That we, the members of the Exchange Club of Dixon, Solano County, California, hereby place ourselves on record, as being in favor of the passage of any and all legislation that will tend to make the punishment of crime more swift and certain; and we respectfully urge that the present Legislature of the State of California give this matter very serious consideration inasmuch as we feel that the system of criminal procedure now used in our State is inadequate and in need of a sweeping reform

MEMBERS OF THE EXCHANGE CLUB OF DIXON.

J. F. GREEN.
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DON POTTER.
N. W. DUYORE.
F. I. PEACOCK.
ROBERT MCKENZIE.
J. E. PARSON.
A. H. ALEXANDER.

Also:

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES,
CITY HALL, March 25, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles held March 25, 1927, the following report of the Legislative Committee was adopted, to wit.

"In reply to the request of the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, opposing the passage of Assembly Bill No. 13, and Senate Bill No. 120, which will limit the term of tideland leases to forty and thirty years, respectively, your committee hereby recommends that the City Council of Los Angeles go on record as opposed to these proposed measures and that the State Legislature be notified accordingly."

Respectfully,

BOYLE WORKMAN,
President of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 410—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c*, and 1247*d*, of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases;

Also; Senate Bill No. 391—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No 375—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations, and complaints;

Also: Senate Bill No 396—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant;

Also: Senate Bill No 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, and 490, of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March, 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 51 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—A resolution recommending the calling of a convention for the revision of the constitution of the State of California, recommending that the electors of the State vote at the next general election for the calling of a convention to revise the constitution, and to provide the number and qualifications, compensation and manner of electing the delegates to such convention;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4649*a*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 115—An act to amend sections 1044, 1083*a*, 1083*b*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1096, 1096*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1113, 1115, 1120, 1121, 1125, 1142, 1151, 1174, 1192, 1195*b*, 1204, 1205, 1210, 1229, 1261, 1262, 1264, 1265, of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors and conduct of elections;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654*d*, relating to illegal searches and seizures;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States: prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and

extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift or other process, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to amend section 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*x*6 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and certain cases providing for their care, custody, and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 533—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 564 (considered engrossed)—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x*40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4022 of the Political Code, relating to counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title X*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*x*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to provide a penalty for violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water masters and the payment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 20 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917" approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322*x*5 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*x*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a division of cannery inspection;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 619—An act validating the formation and organization, and determining the boundaries of East Side County Water District, in the county of Santa Clara State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 814—An act relating to stills and other devices for the manufacture or production of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes, providing a penalty for the violation thereof and repealing all inconsistent acts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 165—An act to amend section 653*w* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative corporations,

Also: Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors,

Also: Senate Bill No. 291—An act to amend section 729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the oath and undertaking of commissioner, report and account of sale and compensation of commissioner, on foreclosure proceedings;

Also: Senate Bill No. 592—An act to amend section 494 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the sale of property and franchises of railroad corporations;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Little: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to approving one (1) certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of

said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Hornblower:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the State Corporation Department and the Commissioner of Corporations.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Lenehan:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

An act to amend sections one, two, five and eleven of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act." Approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to definition and regulation of transportation companies.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. (*a*) The term "corporation," when used in this act, means a corporation, a company, an association or a joint stock association.

(*b*) The term "person," when used in this act, means an individual, a firm or copartnership.

(*c*) The term "transportation company," when used in this act, means every corporation or person, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever, owning, controlling, operating or managing, any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage used in the transportation of persons

and/or property, as a common carrier, for compensation, over any public highway in this state between fixed termini or over a regular route, and not operating exclusively *within the limits of a single incorporated city or town or of a city and county; provided*, that the term "transportation company," as used in this act, shall not include corporations or persons, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever in so far as they own, control, operate or manage busses engaged ***solely in the transportation of bona fide pupils attending an institution of learning*** when such pupils are transported solely between their homes and such institution of learning.

(*d*) The term "public highway," when used in this act, means every public street, *road or highway in this state.*

(*e*) The words 'between fixed termini or over a regular route," when used in this act, means the termini or route between or over which any transportation company usually or ordinarily operates any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage, even though there may be departures from said termini or route, whether such departures be periodic or irregular. Whether or not any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage is operated by a transportation company as a common carrier between fixed termini or over a regular route within the meaning of this act shall be a question of fact and the finding of the railroad commission thereon shall be final and shall not be subject to review.

SEC. 2. Section 2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. No corporation or person, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever shall operate any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage for the transportation of persons or property for compensation as a common carrier on any public highway in this state except in accordance with the provisions of this act.

(Sec. 3. Repealed by Ch 260, Stats 1919, approved May 13, 1919.)

SEC. 3. Change section 4 to section 3 and add a new section numbered 4, to read as follows

Sec. 4. Every transportation company shall file with the commission and shall print and keep open to the public inspection schedules showing the rates, fares, charges and classifications for the transportation between termini within this state of persons and property from each point upon its route to all other points thereon; and from each point upon its route to all points upon every other route leased, operated or controlled by it and all points not served by it upon the route of any other transportation company, with which it connects, directly or indirectly.

SEC. 4. Section 5 is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 5. (*a*) No transportation company shall hereafter begin to operate any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage for the transportation of persons or property, for compensation, as a common carrier, on any public highway in this state without first having obtained from the railroad commission a certificate, declaring that public convenience and necessity require such operation, but no such certificate shall be required of any transportation company as to the fixed termini between which or the route over which it is actually operating in good faith under a certificate of convenience and necessity issued by the railroad commission, at the time this act becomes effective, or for operations exclusively within the limits of a single incorporated city, town, or city and county. Any right, privilege, franchise or permit, held, owned or obtained by any transportation company, may be sold, assigned, leased, transferred or inherited as other property, only upon authorization by the railroad commission. The railroad commission shall have power, with or without hearing, to issue said certificate, as prayed for, or to refuse to issue the same, or to issue it for the partial exercise only of said privilege sought, and may require transportation companies to issue joint through rates, one with the other, or may relieve them from so doing when it is shown that the same are not necessary to the public interest, and may attach to the exercise of the rights granted by said certificate such other terms and conditions as, in its judgment, the public convenience and necessity may require.

Every certificate, permit, or operating right, owned or obtained by any transportation company, shall be considered as an extension of every other certificate, permit, or operating right, owned, or leased by such transportation company, and shall be operated as part of all other certificates, permits or other operating rights, owned, operated or leased by such transportation company, in such manner as will best serve the interests of the public.

(*b*) Except as hereinafter provided, every transportation company shall file with the commission and thereafter keep in full force and effect a bond or policy of insurance in such form as said commission may deem proper, insuring the public against loss by reason of personal injury or death and damage or destruction of property, that may result to any person or property from the operation of any vehicle used by it in its business, or with the permission of the commission may file, in lieu of the bond or policy of insurance itself, evidence of the existence of said bond or policy of insurance satisfactory to the commission.

The minimum amount of recovery in such bond or policy of insurance shall not be less than the following sums, to wit:

For the injury to or death of one person in any one accident where but one person is injured or killed, the sum of five thousand dollars.

For the injury to or death of more than one person in any one accident, the sum of ten thousand dollars

For the damage to or the destruction of property in any one accident, one thousand dollars

Provided, that the commission may, in its discretion, increase the minimums above set out, where, in its opinion, the same in any particular case are too low, considering the hazards.

Provided, further, that subject to the approval of the railroad commission, any transportation company, financially able to pay all claims for injury or damage to, or death or destruction of, persons or property, arising out of accidents in which its vehicles are involved, shall not be required to file such bond, and may adjust and settle its own claims under such procedure and rules and regulations, and make such reports as the commission may prescribe.

(c) The railroad commission may at any time for a good cause suspend and upon notice to the grantee of any certificate and opportunity to be heard revoke, alter or amend any certificate issued under the provisions of this section. (Amended. Ch 280, Stats 1919, p. 457.)

(d) Each application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity made under the provisions of this section must be accompanied by a fee of fifty dollars.

SEC 5. Section 11 is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 11. All acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss or injury to the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by adding to the third line after the word "carriers" the words "and sleeping car companies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by adding after the period following the word "liability" in line 14, the words "The term "common carrier" as used in this section shall include sleeping car companies."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article XIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 258—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 63½, to the Public Utilities Act, approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to increase in rates

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—Proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution, relative to water rights.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 16 and 17, of the printed amendment, strike out the following. "within the police powers of and subject to control by the state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed amendment, after the word "water" begin a new sentence to read as follows: "Riparian rights in a stream or watercourse attach to no more than so much of the flow thereof as may be required or used consistently with this section; *provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as depriving any riparian owner of the reasonable use of water riparian to his land under modern methods of diversion, transportation and application, or of depriving any appropriator of water to which he is lawfully entitled. This section shall be self-executing, but it shall not be deemed a limitation on the power of the Legislature to enact laws in the furtherance of the policy in this section contained."

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Lyons moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out lines 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48 and 49, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Whenever a veteran has applied for land for agricultural purposes not exceeding in value the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars or a home or homesite not exceeding in value five thousand dollars which he desires to purchase under the provisions of this act and has duly filed his application with the veterans' welfare board to purchase such land or home or homesite in the manner herein provided, and the veterans' welfare board shall have been satisfied of the desirability of the real estate and of the ability of the applicant and that such applicant is a veteran and that such applicant has agreed with the veterans' welfare board to actually reside on said real estate within six months from the date of the purchase thereof by the veterans' welfare board, that the price to be paid by the veterans' welfare board for said real estate does not exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars in the case of a farm or five thousand dollars in the case of a home or homesite, and the veteran dies subsequent thereto but prior to the actual execution and delivery of the contract of purchase of said real property between the veterans' welfare board and such veteran, leaving him surviving a widow or minor child or minor children, the interest of such veteran in and to such real property under this

act, and his right to purchase the same and to complete the purchase thereof under the terms of this act shall devolve upon his surviving widow if he leave a widow and no minor child or minor children, and if he leave a surviving widow and a minor child or minor children then in equal shares to such surviving widow and minor child or minor children, or in case he shall leave no surviving widow and shall leave a minor child or minor children, then to such minor child or minor children in equal shares, and such surviving widow and minor child or minor children, or surviving widow or minor child or minor children as the case may be, shall be entitled, as the successor of said veteran, to execute a contract with said veterans' welfare board for the purchase of said real property so applied for by the said veteran and approved by the veterans' welfare board, as aforesaid, upon the same terms and conditions as were agreed upon between said veterans' welfare board and said veteran for the purchase thereof

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Lyons as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 869, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LYONS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction of said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relating to bridge and highway districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 162 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such

seats when they are not engaged in active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

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

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—56.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 20*b*, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with the amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 247 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Brock, Burns, Feigenbaum, Jones, Lyons, McDonough, Rochester, Wherrell, and Williamson—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union, or of any organization of employers, or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Little moved that Assembly Bill No. 177 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Reindollar and Lyons, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 177 to Committee on Judiciary.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 177 to Committee on Judiciary was carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—37.

Assembly Bill No. 177 ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 263 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wherrell, and Witter—43.

NOES—Ball, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Croter, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—35.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 158 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to cheese, ice cream, other miscellaneous dairy products, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 305 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

HON. CHARLES A. OLIVA IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a m, Hon. Charles A. Oliva, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-third Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to amend sections 10, 11, 17, 20, 22 and 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the "State Irrigation Board," and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of

exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended, relating to organization of water conservation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 382 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tide lands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1190 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—Burns, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hornblower, Lenehan, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, and Williamson—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 and 271*a* of this code to work.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 614 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Burns, Heisinger, and Hornblower—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-eight minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Badham: An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

By Mr. Lyons: An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California.

By Mr. Dillinger: An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

By Mr. Clowdsley: An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Nielsen moved that Assembly Bill No. 320 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 320 to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of fish.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, following the word "trout", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof "or white fish."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of that part of line 6 following the word "numbers" and all of lines 7, 8 and 9 and all of that part of line 10 preceding the word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four and one-half, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, following the words "white fish", insert a comma and the following: "except golden trout,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "*b*" in the parenthesis and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 41 and 42 insert the following: "(*g*) In any lake exceeding twenty-five square miles in area within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-five, in addition to the open season provided in subdivision (*b*) hereof, the season shall be open for all varieties of trout from May first to May twenty-ninth, with the same bag limit as specified in subdivision (*a*) hereof, and such trout so taken may be possessed within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-five.

(*h*) In any stream in fish and game district twenty-three flowing into the state of Nevada, not including, however, its tributaries, nor any lake from which said stream may flow, in addition to the open season provided in subdivision (*b*) hereof, the season shall be open for all varieties of trout and white fish from May first to May twenty-ninth, with the same bag limit as specified in subdivision (*a*) hereof, and such trout or white fish so taken may be possessed within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-three."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, following the word "possession" insert a comma and the following: "except in his home,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 11.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 650, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654*d*, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "warrant," insert the following "directing such search.".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 117, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Asembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 12 to 20, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "bition act and occupied as such dwelling, unless it is being used for the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquor, or unless it is used in part for some business purpose, such as a store, shop, saloon, restaurant, hotel or boarding house."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 118, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 637 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Walters moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 338 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECESS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Assembly recess until the hour of one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

Mr. Smith moved that the Assembly adjourn until ten o'clock a.m. Wednesday, March 30, 1927.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Jones, Anderson, Roscoe J., and Lenehan, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on motion to adjourn until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 30, 1927.

The roll was called, and the motion to adjourn carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Gant, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—44.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jones, Keaton, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Rochester, Scudder, Snyder, Williams, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—26.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Smith, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 30, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 30, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Lenehan moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Neilson, Mr. Frank H. Reynolds of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Mr. William R. Dawson, principal, Miss Minnie Bramman, Miss Mabel Rancke, Miss Pearl Degenhart, and Miss June Ridge, teachers of the Sutter Union Branch High School of East Nicolaus, California, and the following students: Helen Anderson, Annie Barta, Gilbert Boyd, Alice Compton, Milton Compton, Bethyl Coppin, Chester Coppin, Clifford Coppin, Virginia Coppin, Louise Corliss, Edward Davis, Mary Decker, Watts Delameter, Melba Drennon, Elvin English, Juleen Glenn, Joe Griffith, Bernice Inman, Ramona James, Margaret Jewell, Arthur Johnson, Ben Johnson, Lucille Keys, Edmond Kier, Agnes Kirkman, Louise Kirkey, Bill Hudson, Donald MacRae, Jack McWilliam, Albert May, Magdalen May, Leland Mebine, Loran Mebine, Mildred Meeks, Louise Michel, Alice Regli, Verda Renner, Eda Richmond, Roy Richmond, Geraldine Rolufs, Leonard Sagerty, Marion Sagerty, Elmer Scheiber, Emil Scheiber, Evelyn Scheiber, George Seeband, Ardell Sutton, Edith Swanson, Vera Taresh, Evelyn Thornton, Gilbert Trevathan and Howard Van Dyke were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Lyons, Mr. Ben L. Cohen of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Lyons, Rabbi S. M. Neches of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

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

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Hon. W. A. Sloane of San Diego was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Captain Edward J. Kelly, attorney of San Diego, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Mrs. Florence Butterfield, sister of Assemblyman Scofield, of Montebello, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. E. J. Sitting of Berkeley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Louis C. Forbes, principal of the Fairbanks School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Ruth

Rice, Antonelle Decetis, Wilma Obenchain, Elsie Cooper, Mildred McNabb, Gertrude Fitzgerald, Noma Milligan, Gladys Cochran, Frances Broadley, William Hoover, William Kennedy, Daniel Rice, Gordon Russell, Julyes Decetis, Harold Milligan, Harry Bosio, Hason Murphy, Harold Fowler, Thurston Campbell, Jesse Raymond, Lillian Russell and Glenn Gallaher were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Mr. James A. Gantier of Lankershim, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, March 29, 1927.

Chairman State Legislature,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

I wire you hoping for the successful passage of Assembly Bill No. 719 and Senate Bill No. 491, proposed plumbing ordinance for the State. Such a protection is needed here in this part of the State.

EAULILY JORDAN, Sanitary Inspector.

Also:

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, March 29, 1927.

Chairman State Legislature,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

I wire you regarding Assembly Bill No. 719, and Senate Bill No. 491, proposed State plumbing ordinance, hoping this bill will pass for the protection of the people at large all over this State It is badly needed in this part of the State.

CARL E. NICHOLS, Plumbing Inspector.

Also:

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, March 29, 1927.

Chairman State Legislature,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR I wire regarding Assembly Bill No. 719, and Senate Bill No. 491, proposed State plumbing ordinance. This bill should be passed for the good of the public.

Respectfully,

CARL E. RETZ.

Also:

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, March 29, 1927.

Chairman State Legislature,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR I wire you regarding Assembly Bill No 719, and Senate Bill No. 491, proposed State plumbing ordinance, hoping this bill will pass for the protection of the people at large all over this State. It is badly needed in this locality as it is growing so rapidly.

Respectfully,

W. M. LYNCH.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.:

To the Members of the Assembly of the State of California and to each of them.

By reason of severe losses to poultry raisers in San Joaquin county and elsewhere through chicken thefts perpetrated during the past few months, we, the undersigned respectfully request that you and each of you use your best efforts toward the final passage of Assembly Bill No. 123 *after being so amended* as to make it grand larceny to steal chickens or to carry live chickens on a public road between any sunset and the next following sunrise, unless accompanied by a written permit therefor signed by the county sheriff.

MRS. MARY SULLIVAN of Escalon,
And 250 others.

Also:

Hon. Roscoe J. Anderson,
Assemblyman, Third District.

DEAR SIR: The undersigned residents and voters of the county of Shasta, State of California, respectfully request that you lend your efforts to amend section 487 of the Penal Code of the State of California, to read as follows:

Section 487. Grand larceny defined. Grand larceny is larceny committed in either of the following cases:

1. When the property taken is of a value exceeding two hundred dollars, *provided*, that when domestic fowls are taken of the value of fifty dollars the same shall constitute grand larceny.

2. When the property is taken from the person of another

3. When the property taken is a horse, mare, gelding, cow, steer, bull, calf, mule, jack, jenny, sheep, lamb, hog, sow, boar, gilt, barrow or pig.

JOSEPH W. FLANAGAN of Redding,
And 150 others

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to water rights—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 49—An act to amend section 6 of an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco,'" approved May 17, 1917:

Also: Senate Bill No. 120—An act granting to the city of Los Angeles the tide lands and submerged lands of the State within the boundaries of said city;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture, providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture, and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to repeal section 629 of the Political Code as amended, relating to the maintenance of fish screens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose;

Also: Assembly Bill No 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," relating to definition of terms;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of an act enittled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Approving an amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda, after due ratification by a majority of the qualified voters of said city at an election held therein on the eighth day of March, 1927;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered to engrossment.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election held therein on the tenth day of March, 1927; —has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f*, 363*g* and 363*h* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act, to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera county;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin;

Also: Assembly Bill No 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a State park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park," at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for the construction,

maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 2322*x*41 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the forty-first class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas,

Also Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations and for engineering investigations in connection therewith,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, disposing of the balance in said fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the lease of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended, relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 3664*c* of the Political Code, relating to the State Board of Equalization,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad Bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the

moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of two thousand dollars for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill Bill No. 185—An act creating a commission to prepare and submit a report on juvenile delinquency, embodying a plan for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and for the care and training of predelinquent, psychopathic and maladjusted children—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 183—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*f*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, equip and maintain buildings to house employees of the school district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 342—An act requiring certain reports to be made concerning children with impaired hearing—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from pre-existing injury, disability or condition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to definition of the term "injury" as used in such Workmen's Compensation Act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers of such companies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of supreme court justices;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No 81 of the first session of the Sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No 5, Sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the congress of the United States entitled "An

act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them.

By Mr. Hornblower: An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the State Corporation Department and the Commissioner of Corporations.

By Mr. Lenehan: An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, Roland Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Clowdsley: Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No 1252—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations" approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the State Corporation Department and the Commissioner of Corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Patterson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to be known as the "Estate Tax Act," to establish a tax on legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 821 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1921, approved June 3, 1921, as amended effective August 13, 1923, and July 24, 1925, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hawes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16x4 consecutively to 16x58 to and to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An

act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 198—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors, and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs, and making an appropriation therefor, approved March 11, 1907, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 200—An act to amend sections 1, 3 and 8 and add a new section to be known as 3*a* of an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act for the registration of deaths, the issuance and registration and burial and disinterment permits and the establishment of registration districts in county, cities and counties, cities and incorporated towns under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics and prescribing the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved March 18, 1905, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 96 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 198 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 200 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 230 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 302—An act to amend the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, and to add a new section;

Also: Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914;

Also: Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered chapter II*a* embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV, of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales;

Also: Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals;

Also: Senate Bill No. 596—An act to amend the Civil Code by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 161*a* thereof relating to the respective interests of husband and wife in community property, and more clearly defining the same;

Also: Senate Bill No. 835—An act to amend section 652 of the Civil Code, relating to the consolidation of colleges.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 302 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 327 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 349 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 409 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 596 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 835 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the Board of Regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof'," approved June 12, 1913, as amended; and add a new section to be numbered 7½, relating to the conduct of training schools for nurses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 815 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 855 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Also Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19b, 22b and 25 thereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto to be designated as section 27b, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe-keeping thereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44, 47 and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87, and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of Reclamation District No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof, and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4408*a*, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming of public highways—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 671?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 2 and 3 of the title in the printed bill, strike out the words "and change of names".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 671 was concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 303?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "poll lists" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "roster".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "tally".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "poll list and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "tally".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "tally".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" after the word "and" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "tally".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "poll" and substitute the word "tally".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 40 and 41 and insert in lieu thereof:

SEC. 3. Section 1229 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1229. The ballot clerk, who has charge of the precinct index to the register or affidavits of registration, must write in the ruled space in front of the name of the elector the word "voted" for each elector who votes.

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 303 by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Levmel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avennes, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Also Senate Bill No 386—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institution for insane, in criminal case.

Also Senate Bill No 387—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017, and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense.

Also Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 192 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No 386 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 387 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 709 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, before the word "or" insert the words "accurate information".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following words: "provided that the original permit or a copy thereof must at all times be shown upon the demand of a peace officer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 24, 25 and 26.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 13, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out comma after word "who" and add "for himself or as the agent or representative of another or as an officer of a corporation willfully".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the comma following "delivering" insert "that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "drawer" insert "or the corporation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out "attempted".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or property, or services, or other thing of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "value" and also the words "is guilty of larceny".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "protested" strike out comma and insert "and the notice of protest also shows that at the time of the making, drawing or uttering and delivery of said check, draft or order on such bank, depository or other corporation or person there were insufficient funds to his credit in such bank, depository or other corporation or person then".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "offenses" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words: "and to repeal section six hundred eighty-one, of part two, title sixteen of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for criminal offenses."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

After the paragraph ending with the word "thereof", in line 4, page 1, of the printed bill, add the following:

SEC. 2. Section 681, of part II, title XVI of the Penal Code is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 410—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c* and 1247*d* of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 391—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information, charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations and complaints.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489 and 490 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the punctuation mark "." and after the word "felony" add the words "subsequent to the procuring of his license".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the entire line.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 619—An act validating the formation and organization, and determining the boundaries of East Side County Water District, in the County of Santa Clara, State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 814—An act relating to intoxicating liquors, making it a felony to own, operate or knowingly possess any still used, designed or intended for the manufacture of intoxicating liquor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 165—An act to amend section 653*w* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 291—An act to amend section 729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the oath and undertaking of commissioner, report and account of sale and compensation of commissioner on foreclosure proceedings.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 592—An act to amend section 494 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the sale of property and franchises of railroad corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 26.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

The Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two

houses of the Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California to read as follows:

Sec. 31. The Legislature shall have no power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State, or of any county, city and county, city, township or other political corporation or subdivision of the State now existing, or that may be hereafter established, in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or otherwise, or to pledge the credit thereof, in any manner whatever, for the payment of the liabilities of any individual, association, municipal or other corporation whatever, nor shall it have power to make any gift or authorize the making of any gift, of any public money or thing of value to any individual, municipal or other corporation whatever; *provided*, that nothing in this section shall prevent the Legislature granting aid pursuant to section 22 of this article, and it shall not have power to authorize the State, or any political subdivision thereof, to subscribe for stock, or to become a stockholder in any corporation whatever; *provided, however*, that the provisions hereof shall not apply to, or preclude, the State, or any political subdivision thereof, or any municipality, or other public corporation, from acquiring or holding shares of the capital stock of any mutual water corporation, when such stock is so acquired or held for the purpose of furnishing a supply of water for public or municipal purposes or for the use of the inhabitants of any such political subdivision, municipality, or public corporation, and the State, and any political subdivision thereof, and any municipality, and any other public corporation are hereby severally authorized to acquire and hold such stock, and said holding of such stock shall entitle such holder thereof to all the rights, powers and privileges, and subject such holder to all the obligations and liabilities as are given or are imposed by law to or upon other holders of stock in the mutual water corporation in which such stock is so held; *and provided, further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring control of any entire international water system necessary for its uses and purposes, a part of which is situated in the United States, and a part thereof in a foreign country, may in the manner authorized by law acquire the stock of any foreign corporation which is the owner of, or which holds the title to the part of such system situated in the foreign country; *provided, further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring water and water rights and other property necessary for their use and purposes may acquire and hold the stock of corporations, domestic or foreign, owning waters, water rights, canals, waterworks, franchises or concessions subject to the same obligations and liabilities as are imposed by law upon all other stockholders in such corporation; and

Provided, further, that nothing contained in this constitution shall prohibit the use of State money or credit, in aiding veterans who served in the military or naval service of the United States during time of war, in the acquisition of, or payments for, farms or homes, or in projects of land settlement or in the development of such farms or homes or land settlement projects for the benefit of such veterans.

The California Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921 (Statutes of 1921, chapter 578), as enacted at the forty-fourth session of the Legislature of the State of California, authorizing the issuance and sale of State bonds in the sum of ten million dollars, for the purpose of creating a fund to carry out the provisions of the California Veterans' Welfare Act, providing land settlement for veterans (Statutes of 1921, chapter 580), and the provisions of the "Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act," providing farm and home aid for veterans (Statutes of 1921, chapter 519) is hereby approved, adopted, legalized, validated and made fully and completely effective irrespective of the vote that may be cast upon the proposition of approving or disapproving such Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921 at the general election of November 7, 1922. All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action.

And provided, still further, that notwithstanding the restrictions contained in this constitution, the treasurer of any city, county, or city and county shall have power and it shall be his duty to make such temporary transfers from the funds in his custody as may be necessary to provide funds for meeting the obligations incurred for maintenance purposes by any city, county, city and county, district, or other political subdivision whose funds are in his custody and are paid out solely through his office. Such temporary transfer of funds to any political subdivision shall be made only upon resolution adopted by the governing body of the city, county, or city and county directing the treasurer of such city, county, or city and county to make such temporary transfer. Such temporary transfer of funds to any political subdivision shall not exceed eighty-five per cent of the taxes accruing to such political subdivision, shall not be made prior to the first day of the fiscal year nor after the last Monday in April of the current fiscal year, and shall be replaced from the taxes accruing to such political subdivision before any other obligation of such political subdivision is met from such taxes.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Relative to recommending the calling of a convention for the revision of the constitution of the State of California, recommending that the electors of the State vote

at the next general election for the calling of a convention to revise the constitution, and to provide the number and qualifications, compensation and manner of electing the delegates to such convention.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Jacobson, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, James A., Mixter, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, and Woodbridge—24.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.

Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act: and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act, approved May 26, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Carter moved that Assembly Bill No. 1067 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1067 to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Bernard, Duval and Lyons, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No 1067 to Committee on Judiciary.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, Miller, James A., Nielsen, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, and West—22.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Jespersen, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—40.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1067 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little,

McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—49.

NOES—Bernard, Bishop, Crittenden, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Miller, James A., Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—13.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1067 was this day passed.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them;

Also: Senate Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, so as to entitle the applicant for employment to double the amount of the fee paid in the event the fee paid is not returned within forty-eight hours after demand, in cases where the applicant fails to obtain employment;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfull reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to terms of imprisonment,

Also Senate Bill No. 416—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 411—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or informations;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 695—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923;

Also: Senate Bill No. 696—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 695 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 696 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the 26th day of March, 1927.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Adams moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Adams as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 316, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ADAMS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 432—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 432 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund, selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 433 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 647 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 434 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes,

Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 436—An act making full paid investment certificates issued by any building and loan association licensed by and under the direct supervision of the Building and Loan Commissioner of the State of California in accordance with the provisions of title XVI, part IV, division I of the Civil Code, legal investments for certain purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 436 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, and Burns—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to the collection of money by heirs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 437 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—Burns and Hornblower—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 438—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock dividends and reserve fund of building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 438 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, and Hornblower—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 3—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding a new section, to be numbered 14½, to article XIII of said constitution, relating to the taxation of foreign insurance corporations.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 3 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Eddy, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Smith, West, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—28

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, and Woodbridge—48.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Walters waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 338 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 338 ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of and to add a new section to be numbered 1*m* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1927.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, lines 47 to 49, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "vendor of any lot of corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley, rice and/or grain sorghums, which has been produced within the State of California," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "term agricultural seed as applied to any lot of corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley, rice and/or grain sorghums, which has been produced within the State of California and the vendor thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 2, after the word "any" insert the word "such".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Bernard as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 639, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BERNARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder; providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease; declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance, and providing for the abatement thereof; providing for the registration of apiaries; prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit; providing penalties for the violation hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 298 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1113 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillmger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolvine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Cloudman, Davis, Sewell, and Walters—4.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article II*b* of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f* and 361*g*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board, and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employes thereunder.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Deuel moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the title of the printed bill, in line 4 of said title strike out the words "transferring to and vesting in"; also strike out lines 5 to 9, inclusive, of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "creating in the department of agriculture a division of land settlement, defining the powers and duties and providing for the administration thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out line 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"361*e* *There is hereby created in the department of agriculture an additional* division to be known as the division of land settlement This division shall be in charge of a chief, who shall be appointed by and hold office at the pleasure of the director of agriculture and receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars

The state land settlement board is hereby continued in existence for the purpose of performing such functions as have heretofore been exercised by said board as a body corporate Henceforth said board shall consist of but three members, the director of agriculture, the state engineer and the director of finance, all acting ex officio The members of the state land settlement board shall receive no additional compensation for their services as ex officio members of said board, but shall be allowed their actual necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. The director of agriculture shall be chairman of said board. Two members of the board shall constitute a quorum, and such quorum may exercise all the powers and authority conferred upon the board.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 361*f* and to read as follows:

361*f*. The department of agriculture shall succeed to and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2 and the word "thereunder" in line 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following. "The positions of all officers, deputies and employees under the state land settlement board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 9 and 10 and the figures "361*f*" in line 11.

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Deuel as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1194, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DEUEL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f* and 363*g* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1119 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Coombs and McPherson a select committee to escort the Hon. Charles F. Curry, Congressman from the Third Congressional District, to a seat with the Speaker.

MOTION TO RECESS.

At three o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Crittenden, the Assembly was declared at recess for the purpose of being addressed by Hon. Charles F. Curry, Congressman from the Third Congressional District.

Motion carried.

During the recess Hon. Charles F. Curry addressed the Assembly.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the comma and after the word "equalization" strike out all of line 9 up into and including the word "commissioners" in line 10.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1223, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of standing committee was received and read, out of the regular order:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions, and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named person be and she is hereby appointed and employed for the position at the per diem set opposite her name. The appointment of the following named persons to date from and including the twenty-eighth day of March, 1927.

Beatrice B. Rae.....$5.00

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, insert after the word "paid" the following: "The assessor may also appoint an additional deputy assessor, which office of additional deputy is hereby created, and said additional deputy assessor shall be employed for a period not to exceed ninety days in any one year from January first to December thirty-first, and who shall receive as compensation seven dollars per diem for the time so employed, to be paid in the same manner, at the same time and out of the same funds as salaries of county officers are paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 307, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, disposing of the balance in said fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "the" insert the word "unencumbered".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1079, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Foster moved that Assembly Bill No. 293 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 293 to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations and for engineering investigations in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 681 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 681 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "matter" strike out the word "for" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 19 and 20, of the printed bill, following the word "three" strike out the words "of the most".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, following the word "three" strike out the words "of the most".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1200, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Ball moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "nine and ten", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "six, nine, ten and eleven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the figures and comma "1921," insert the following: "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemeteries," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. Said cemetery district shall be governed and managed by three trustees, appointed by the board of supervisors of the county, or in case the district is in more than one county, by the supervisors in which the largest portion of the district is located, the trustees to be appointed from electors residing within said district. The trustees shall hold office for four years and until the appointment and qualifications of their successors, and shall serve without compensation.

SEC 2. Section 9 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word and period "him.", begin a new sentence to read as follows: "*And it is expressly provided, further,* that all funds now on hand, accruing from a previous assessment in the treasury of any unit of the proposed district or district already in existence, or that may hereafter be accumulated through gift, bequest or assessment, shall be paid over to the county treasurer as are other funds herein provided.

SEC. 4. Section 11 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 11. The trustees shall, as soon after the first day of July of each year as practicable, file with the county board or boards (if the district is situated in more than one county), of supervisors a report, setting forth all their transactions during the fiscal year, and containing an itemized account of all their receipts and disbursements during said fiscal year together with proper vouchers therefor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the words "by him" and period, insert the following: "*And it is expressly provided, further,* that all funds now on hand, accruing from a previous assessment in the treasury of any unit of the proposed district or district already in existence, or that may hereafter be accumulated through gift, bequest or assessment, shall be paid over to the treasurer, as are other funds herein provided."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Ball as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 291, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BALL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Baum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "90" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "78".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "extraordinary" and insert in lieu thereof the word "regular".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out "November 27, 1911" and insert in lieu thereof "January 3, 1927".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Baum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 4, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Kelsey moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "plaintiff" and before the words "in good faith", insert the words "under color of title and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Criminal", and in lieu thereof insert the word "Civil".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Kelsey as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1043, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

KELSEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17x2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Morrison moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "seventeen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "17" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "17" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "16".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Morrison as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1157, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MORRISON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, March 17, 1927; Friday, March 18, 1927; Monday, March 21, 1927; Tuesday, March 22, 1927, and Wednesday, March 23, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That no member of the Assembly shall be allowed to speak more than once, nor more than five minutes to the same question, except that the author of a bill shall be allowed five minutes to open and five minutes to close debate.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

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ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, March 31, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 31, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn,, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Helsinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Dr. J. A. B. Scherer, director of Southwest Museum of Los Angeles, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. R. L. Bird, superintendent of schools of San Luis Obispo County, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mr. H. A. Truesdale, auditor of San Luis Obispo County, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Miss Elizabeth H. Stokes, principal of the Sutter Creek Grammar School of Amador County,

and the following pupils of the eighth grade. Azalea Cuneo, Audrey Delucchi, Dane Gacanich, Mary Guiliani, Frances Sciaroni, Doris Bryant, Antone Perovich, Hoffman Siebe, Chester Liddicoat, Weldon Lucot, Maurice Boitano, Dana Cox, Rodolph Benedetti, John Ferrecio, Marie Kosich, Andrew Vlaovich, Elaine Ruffino, Milan Milovich, Willard Shealor, Helen Foster, Nadine Poe and Fred Williams were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs V. S. Walsh of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

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

By Mr. Noyes:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SUTTER COUNTY.

Resolution against passage of Assembly Bill No. 681, asking for appropriation to purchase dam sites for hydraulic mining.

WHEREAS, At the forty-fifth session of the Legislature of the State of California there was appropriated the sum of $200,000 for the purpose of investigating the possibilities of storage control and diversion of water for public use and public protection of the State of California, said act being contained in chapter 889 of said session, and

WHEREAS, At the forty-sixth session of said Legislature an act was passed providing for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that such waters may be put to the greatest beneficial use and an appropriation of $250,000 was made for such purpose; said act being contained in chapter 477 of said session; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to said acts a report has been made to the Legislature now in session in which report the central idea or recommendation of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation of the Department of Public Works of the State is that the greatest beneficial use of the waters of the streams of the State can be best effected by the construction and maintenance of storage reservoirs in the mountain regions of the rivers of the State, in which the flood waters may be conserved for summer irrigation of the valley lands and for power development; and

WHEREAS, It is manifest from the increased growth of the farming and horticultural interests of the State that the waters of the streams of the State should be conserved for the use and benefit of such interests, to the end that California shall become the first State of the nation in the production of food products, and that such a result can not be obtained without a systematic conservation of the waters of the streams in winter seasons and that such conservation can not be effected except through the construction and maintenance of storage reservoirs as recommended by the Division of Engineering, and

WHEREAS, There is now pending before the Legislature Assembly Bill No. 681 which provides for an appropriation of the sum of $300,000 to be expended by the California Debris Commission in the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations; and

WHEREAS, It appears from said bill that the sole purpose of said appropriation is to obtain money with which to construct dams in order that the outlawed occupation of hydraulic mining, which has caused the Sacramento Valley untold millions of damage, may be resumed under a seeming authority of law; and

WHEREAS, The construction of such dams for such purpose would not be for a public benefit but would be solely for advancing the interests of private individuals, owners of such mining property, to the detriment of the farming interests of the State and the navigability of the waterways thereof; and

WHEREAS, The construction of such dams for such purposes would not in any way tend to conserve the public waters of the State, but would decrease and lessen the storage capacity of such reservoirs by permitting them to be filled with tailings and mineral debris;

Now, therefore, the board of supervisors of Sutter County affirms,

1. That any project or plan for the conservation of the waters of the streams of the State should be under the exclusive management and control of State authority and not under the authority of the California Debris Commission which was created solely for the purpose of devising ways whereby hydraulic mining could be resumed after the courts, both federal and State, had decided that such operations were illegal.

2 That no appropriation should be made by the State for the purpose of furthering the interests of private owners of hydraulic mining property to the detriment of the rivers and streams of the State

3 That by simple reasoning it is apparent that any tailings or mining debris restrained behind dams must eventually find their way into the streams below such dams and will eventually place the streams and rivers on which such operations are permitted in the same condition they were in before the courts determined that such operations were illegal.

4. That if hydraulic mining is not resumed there is no necessity of constructing dams to restrain tailings from hydraulic mines, as such tailings from previous mining by that method have been removed from the mountain regions of the rivers on which such mining was carried on, and have been deposited in the beds of the rivers in the valleys and in the bays into which they flow.

5. That for the reasons above noted Assembly Bill No 681 should not become a law.

Passed and adopted by the board of supervisors of Sutter County March 8, 1927, by the following vote:

Ayes—F. H. Graves, E. E. Reeves, J. C. Ahlf, J. B. Heiken, Geo. H. Trevathan.

GEO. H. TREVATHAN,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest: ALBERT B BROWN, Clerk.

Also:

YUBA COUNTY FARM BUREAU.

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process, in the past filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris, to such an extent as to destroy the navigability of the Feather River and to cause other rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with sand and gravel to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose; and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife, which greatly embittered the residents of the farming section of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains; and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the county and the farmers in reclamation and protection projects made necessary by hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the land of the farmers made necessary to pay for these projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any great extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees, which are now built as high as practicable, inadequate, experience has assured us that no dam can be constructed in such a manner as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the stream by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are convinced that a great portion of the debris from the mines now operating above the structure known as Bullard's Bar dam is now passing over the top of the dam and on down into the valley below, thus continuing to fill the rivers more and more; and

WHEREAS, In many places along some of our rivers the present bed of the river is as high, or even higher, than the natural ground outside the present levees; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Yuba County Farm Bureau, the personnel of which is composed of farmers, who have and are now bearing the burden of the fight in the past and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, that we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through the valley, and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent its resumption and if necessary to organize the Anti-Debris Society and carry on the fight as in the past, for our homes and this beloved valley.

C. D. MANN, President.

JEANNETTE FRANK, Secretary.

Also:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF YOLO COUNTY.

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 681, by Mr. Cloudman, is a request for a very large sum of money for the purpose of rejuvenating hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The report of the Department of Public Works, Division of Engineering and Irrigation, Bulletin No. 12, specifically recommends the rehabilitation of hydraulic mining, and

WHEREAS, The report of the Hydraulic Mining Commission calls attention to the feasibility of the resumption of hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process, in the past filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris, to such an extent as to destroy the navigability of the Feather River and to cause other rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with sand and gravel to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose, and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife, which greatly embittered the residents of the farming section of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains, and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the county and the farmers in reclamation and protection projects made necessary by hydraulic mining, and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the land of the farmers made necessary to pay for these projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any great extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees, which are now built as high as practicable, inadequate, experience has assured us that no dam can be constructed in such a manner as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the stream by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are convinced that a great portion of the debris from the mines now operating above the structure known as Bullard's Bar Dam is now passing over the top of the dam and on down into the valley below, thus continuing to fill the rivers more and more; and

WHEREAS, In many places along some of our rivers the present bed of the river is as high, or even higher, than the natural ground outside the present levees; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Yolo County, the personnel of which is composed of farmers, who have and are now bearing the burden of the fight in the past and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, that we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through the valley, and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent its resumption and if necessary to organize the Anti-Debris Society and carry on the fight as in the past, for our homes and this beloved valley.

W. O. RUSSELL,
Chairman Board of Supervisors, Yolo County.

Attest: H. R. SAUNDERS, Clerk

By Mr. Deuel:

OROVILLE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

OROVILLE, CALIFORNIA, March 31, 1927.

To the California Legislature.

WHEREAS, There has been much criticism of lax law enforcement in cases pertaining to liquor making and liquor selling and the breaking of laws already on the statute books:

The Oroville Woman's Christian Temperance Union does hereby protest against the passing of any bills that would tend to further hamper or restrict the work of the federal, State or local enforcement officers, and protect law breakers, as such bills as Assembly Bills Nos. 117 and 118, relating to search and seizure, introduced by Mr. Hornblower;

Also, as the California voters at the State election held November, 1926, upheld by an increasing "dry" majority vote the State enforcement law, entitled the Wright Act.

We, as an organization, do protest against our State enacting any bill regarding modification of the eighteenth amendment or Volstead Act.

But the Union does endorse Senate bill in regard to establishing a State Department of Public Health and Nursing;

Also, the bill for a home for crippled children.

Respectfully,

OROVILLE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.
Per MRS. L. B. GRAY, President.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used for the purchase

of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations and for engineering investigations in connection therewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 839—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No 198—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors, and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs, and making an appropriation therefor, approved March 11, 1907, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON UNIVERSITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 768—An act granting to the regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain tide lands bordering on the Pacific ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said tide lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CROTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 843—An act authorizing the Governor of the State to sign, the State Controller to countersign, and the State Treasurer to indorse any and all bonds prepared pursuant to the provisions of section 4 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California which have not been signed by the Governor, countersigned by the State Controller and indorsed by the State Treasurer who were in office on the second

day of January, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

CROTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners, providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators, providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654*d*, relating to illegal searches and seizures;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States, prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act, imposing duties on courts prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction, and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 3 of the prepared milk act relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed and license therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon complaint of the owners of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the sanitary board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 22—An act to add a new section to be numbered 27*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, relating to the annexation of territory to sanitary districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 193—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to amend section 2322*x*11 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to provide for the organization and government of water conservation districts for the purpose of conserving and storing the waters of any stream of water or unnavigable river by spreading and sinking such waters, and, for that purpose, to construct or acquire spreading basins, sinking wells and sinking basins and other works and property; and for the purpose of appropriating, acquiring and conserving water and water rights, and taking any and all actions and proceedings that may be necessary or advisable to conserve and protect the waters or water rights within the district used or useful for any purpose of the

district, or of common benefit to the lands situated therein, and to prevent interference with or diminution of the natural flow of any stream or unnavigable river, including the natural subterranean supply of waters therefrom; to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes and special assessments to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto; to prohibit any director of a district from being interested in any contract with the district of which he is a director and making a violation of such provision a misdemeanor; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 292—An act to amend section 2349 of the Political Code, relating to navigable streams and public water ways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 421—An act to confirm a lease executed by the city of Richmond;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the consolidation of voting precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 457—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 548—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 852a of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, by providing that the electors of cities of the sixth class may, by majority vote, adopt either the commission or city manager plan of government; also that they may abolish the same by a like vote;

Also: Assembly Bill No 913—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of the expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to apportionment of unapportioned funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary fund and also a Public School Teachers' Permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds, approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No 957—An act to amend sections 5, 13 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary fund, and also a Public School Teachers' Permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act authorizing the Governor, as trustee, to receive on behalf of the National Guard of the State of California, certain funds from the Secretary of War of the United States;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for topographic surveys and investigations of the water resources of the State and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 22, 1909;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1151—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1161—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the collection, compilation and publication of agricultural and other industrial statistics for the State of California, and making an appropriation therefor," approved April 25, 1911;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the thirtieth day of March, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Approving an amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda, after due ratification by a majority of the qualified voters of said city at an election held therein on the eighth day of March, 1927;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*i* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act; and prescribing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office, by fixing the salaries of such assistants and of the chief deputy; and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*e*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz;

Also Assembly Bill No 739—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County,

Also Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers and sleeping car companies of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Also Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

Also· Assembly Bill No 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of Merced County;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 553—An act to reserve from sale certain state lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 31, 36, 41, 42, 46, 47, 55, 57, 58, 60, 63, 69, 77, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 142, 147, 148, 151 and 159, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 19½, and 45½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of the act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways;

Also: Senate Bill No 570—An act to amend sections 2337, 2338, 2341, 2344 and 2346 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Department of Public Welfare.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 535 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 553 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 638 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No. 570 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 178—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 294 of the Penal Code, relating to custody of dead bodies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 670—An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under eighteen years of age, to provide for maintenance and management of same, and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein;

Also: Senate Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 187—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1734c of the Political Code, relating to schools.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 178 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Senate Bill No. 232 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 407 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 490 read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Senate Bill No. 670 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 734 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 187 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 470 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*c*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges;

Also Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*d*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes,

Also Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*d*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools,

Also Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*d*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*d*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9, and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California to, the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359*b*, relating to the Governor's Council

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 29?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "criminal business" and insert in lieu thereof the following "other necessary and proper business. The sheriff shall also be paid twenty-five cents per meal for all meals furnished prisoners confined in the county jail."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 29 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finley, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 201?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, the word "county" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "district"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 201 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of $100; said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office.

Referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

Resolved, that the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $515 02 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

E. H. Cox, Hanging flags in Assembly room	$5 00
Emerson Manufacturing Co., Flags for Chamber	66 00
Cascade Towel Supply, January 3 to March 1, 1927	33 68

Mrs. Virginia Crossan, Illuminating Memorial Resolution for Alfred Murray	$7 50
Mrs. Virginia Crossan, Illuminating Memorial Concurrent Resolution No. 18	10 00
Cascade Towel Supply	49 30
Department of Finance	61 96
State Purchasing Department	281 58
	$515 02

Referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same; providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "time", insert the following "between the first day of August and the thirty-first day of October".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "day", insert a comma and the following: "or who, between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates included, takes, catches or kills any salmon in any manner, or who, at any time spears or kills any salmon on any spawning beds,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 20 and 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words: "more than three salmon during any one calendar day" and insert in lieu thereof the following "any salmon in any manner, or who, between the first day of August and the sixth day of October, takes, catches or kills more than two salmon in any one calendar day, or who, at any time spears or kills any salmon on any spawning beds,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "time", insert the following "between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates included, takes, catches or kills any salmon, or who, between the first day of August and the thirty-first day of October, both dates included,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, after the comma insert the following: "or who, at any time spears or kills any salmon on any spawning beds,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "or who, between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates included, takes, catches or kills any salmon in any manner, or who, between the first day of August and the thirty-first day of October, both dates included, takes, catches or kills more than two salmon in any one calendar day, or who, at any time spears or kills any salmon on any spawning beds, is guilty of a misdemeanor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 4, 5 and 6 and that part of line 7 preceding the word "Every".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sixteenth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "mouth of McGarvey creek" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Douglas memorial bridge".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, after line 23, insert the following: "Every person who, in the Klamath river fish and game district, except in tide water of said district, takes, catches or kills any salmon, except with spear or hook and line, said hook and line to be used in the manner commonly known as angling, or who, between the seventh day of October and the thirty-first day of July of the year following, both dates included, takes, catches or kills any salmon in any manner, or who, between the first day of August and the sixth day of October, both dates included, takes, catches or kills more than two salmon in any one calendar day, or who, at any time takes or kills any salmon on any spawning beds, is guilty of a misdemeanor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sixteenth day of August" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "sixth day of September".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "thirtieth day of April" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "thirty-first day of May".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "sale", insert the words: "or has in possession".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "June" and insert in lieu thereof the word "August".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "June" and insert in lieu thereof the word "August"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 35 which follows the period and strike out all of lines 36 to 48, inclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Political Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the word "when".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Trivela" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Tivela".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, lines 46 and 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four and three-quarter" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, after line 52, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraph: "Every person who ships, offers for shipment or receives for shipment any Pismo clams (Tivela stultorum) or, who has in possession any Pismo clams not in the shell, except Pismo clams being prepared for immediate consumption, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 661—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation and restoration of shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Pismo clams".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Pismo clams".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 1, 2 and 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "over the age of fifteen years, who takes any shell fish, mollusks or crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "who takes any Pismo clams".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "shell fish" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Pismo clam".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, lines 5 and 6, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the words "Pismo clams".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, lines 11 and 12, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "shell fish, mollusks or crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the words "Pismo clams".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, lines 26 and 27, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "shell fish, mollusks or crustaceans", and insert in lieu thereof the words "Pismo clams".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to repeal section 629 of the Political Code as amended, relating to the maintenance of fish screens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "repeal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amend".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "the", insert the words "installation and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the words "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof "amended to read as follows: Section 1."

Section 629 of the Political Code as amended: It shall be the duty of the state board of fish and game commissioners to examine from time to time all mill races, irrigating ditches, pipes, flumes, tunnels and canals taking or receiving water from any river, creek, stream or lake in this state. Whenever in the opinion of the state fish and game commission it shall be necessary to screen any such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal in order to prevent fish from passing through or into such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal and away from any river, creek, stream or lake in which fish have been planted or may exist, the state fish and game commission shall order the person, company or corporation, irrigation district, or other political subdivision owning, leasing, controlling or having in charge any such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal to install and maintain a screen on such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal. Said order shall be in writing and shall specify the type, size, mesh, material and location of such screen and the time within which said screen must be installed.

After making and serving an order to install and maintain a screen as provided herein, the board of fish and game commissioners shall, when requested by said owners, lessees or operators of said irrigation district or other political subdivision owning, leasing or operating such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal, fix a time and place in the county in which the intake of such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal is situated for the taking of evidence upon the question of the necessity of installing and maintaining such screen and cause a notice in writing of the time and place of hearing to be served upon said owner, lessee, or operator, or upon the secretary or director of an irrigation district, or upon the chairman of the board of trustees or officers holding a corresponding position of such political subdivision owning or operating such mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal at least ten days before such hearing at such time and place designated in said notice testimony under oath shall be taken on the part of the board of fish and game commissioners and the person, company, corporation, irrigation district or other political subdivision requesting such hearing. If said request for a hearing upon the order herein specified is not made within ten days after the service of said order upon said person, company, corporation, irrigation district or other political subdivision, owners, lessees or operators of said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal said hearing shall be deemed to have been waived and said order herein specified shall become final.

If it appears from the evidence upon said hearing that fish exist or have been planted in the river, stream, creek, lake or other body of water from which said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal takes its waters, said board of fish and game commissioners shall make an order in writing and cause the same to be served on said owner, lessee or operator or on said irrigation district or other political subdivision owning or operating said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal, said order shall designate the point on said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal at which said screen shall be located, and the type, size, mesh and materials of said screen and the time within which said screen must be installed. Said time shall be not less than thirty days, nor more than six months, from the date of service of said order upon said owner, lessee, operator or upon said irrigation district or other political subdivision owning, leasing or operating said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal.

When said screen shall have been installed the owner, lessee or occupant thereof may by written notice within ninety days after such installation request the fish and game commission to inspect said screen for the purpose of accepting the same. Thereupon it shall be the duty of the fish and game commission to inspect said screen and if the same shall have been installed in full accordance with the order and plans and specifications furnished by the fish and game commission, then it

shall further be the duty of the fish and game commission to accept and approve the same in writing If upon such inspection it shall appear that the said screen has not been properly constructed and installed, it shall be the duty of the fish and game commission within sixty days after such inspection to notify the owner, lessee or occupant of any defect or deviation from the order. Thereupon such defect or deviation may be remedied within ninety days and a further inspection requested.

After acceptance, should said screen fail to function in an efficient manner, due to faulty design, no changes in conditions affecting its operations having occurred subsequent to the acceptance of said screen, then the owner, lessee or occupant shall not be required to install a new screen but shall furnish a site to be selected by the fish and game commission upon which the fish and game commission may construct and install a screen of new design, the cost of which shall be paid out of the fish and game preservation fund; *provided*, that such construction and installation of the screen of new design shall not relieve the owner, lessee or occupant of such mill race, irrigation ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal of the maintenance of such screen as provided in this act, and such person shall be charged with the maintenance of such screen.

The evidence in any investigation, inquiry or hearing, provided by this section, may be taken by any of the members of the board of fish and game commissioners, or such deputy fish and game commissioner, or employee, as the board may designate to take such evidence, and each member of the board and any of its deputies or employees designated to take evidence at the hearing provided hereby shall have the power to administer oaths, take affidavits and issue subpœnas for the attendance of witnesses at such hearings. Each witness, legally subpœnaed, attending at a hearing, shall receive for his attendance the same fees and mileage allowed by law to a witness in civil cases, which amount shall be paid by the party to whose request such witness is subpœnaed

The superior court in and for the county, or city and county, in which any inquiry, investigation, hearing or proceeding may be held under authority of this section shall have the power to compel the attendance of witnesses, the giving of testimony and the production of papers, as required by any subpœna issued under authority of this section. The commission, or representative of the commission, before whom the testimony is to be given or produced, in case of the refusal of any witness to attend or testify or produce any papers required by such subpœna, may report to the superior court in and for the county, or city and county, in which the proceeding is pending, by petition setting forth that due notice has been given of the time and place of attendance of said witness, or the production of said papers, and that the witness has been summoned in the manner prescribed in this act, and that the witness has failed and refused to attend or produce the papers required by the subpœna, before the commission or its representative, in the cause or proceeding named in the notice and subpœna, or has refused to answer questions propounded to him in the course of such proceeding, and ask an order of said court compelling the witness to attend and testify or produce said papers before the commission or its representative. The court, upon the petition of the commission or its representative, shall enter an order directing the witness to appear before the court, at a time and place to be fixed by the court in such order, the time to be not more than ten days from the date of the order, and there show cause why he has not attended and testified or produced said papers before the commission or its representative. A copy of said order shall be served upon said witness If it shall appear to the court that said subpœna was regularly issued by the commission or its representative the court shall thereupon enter an order that said witness appear before the commission or its representative at the time and place fixed in said order, and testify or produce the required papers, and upon failure to obey said order, said witness shall be dealt with as for contempt of court.

The commission or its representative, or any party, may, in any investigation or hearing before the commission or its representative, cause the deposition of witnesses residing within or without the state to be taken in the manner prescribed by law for like depositions in civil actions in the superior courts of this state and to that end may compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents and papers

Any person, company, or corporation, and the directors or officers of any irrigation district or other political subdivision failing, refusing or neglecting to install or maintain such screen so ordered by the board of fish and game commissioners within the time prescribed in said order and any person company, corporation and the directors or officers of any irrigation district or other political subdivision who suffers or permits said screen to get out of order or suffers or permits said screen to be removed or taken out of place while water is running in said mill race, irrigating ditch, pipe, flume, tunnel or canal shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail of the county in which said conviction shall be had of not less than fifty days nor more than one hundred and fifty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Continuance from day to day of failing or refusing to install or maintain said screen shall constitute a separate offense.

All fines and forfeitures imposed and collected for any violation of any of the provisions of this act shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the fish and game preservation fund.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "first" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixteenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "November" and insert in lieu thereof the word "October".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteenth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "September" and insert in lieu thereof the word "August"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

Strike out the word "first" in line 12 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the word "October" and insert in lieu thereof the word "September".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteenth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the word "August" and insert in lieu thereof the word "July".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

In line 18 of the printed bill, after the word "district", insert the words "one, one and three-quarters, four and one-half, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and

issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title to the printed act by changing the period at the end thereof to a comma and adding the following words "and to levy taxes for such purposes"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill, by adding in line 4 after the word "empowered" the words, "to acquire by purchase, condemnation, donation, lease or otherwise real or personal property, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by adding in line 8 after the word "county" the words, "or county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Amend section 2 of the printed bill by changing the period in line 16 to a comma and adding the following words: "and to levy taxes for the purpose of raising funds to acquire lands for the purposes mentioned in this act and to pay the principal and interest of any bonds issued pursuant hereto."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," relating to the definition of terms.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "conclusion." insert "including the levy, issuance, collection and enforcement of any and all warrants, assessments and bonds hereinbefore provided for,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 18, of the printed bill, between the word "any" and the word "assessment" insert "warrant,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, after the words "such proceeding," (said words being the first words in the line) insert "nor upon the provisions hereof relative to the levy, issuance, enforcement or collection of any warrant, assessment or bonds, nor upon the powers and duties of the municipal officers and employees in relation thereto,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "obtained" strike out the period and in lieu thereof insert the following "prior to the adoption of the resolution of intention therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Strike all of the act beginning with line 26 on page 4 at the words "Sec. 51." and ending with line 16 on page 5 at the words "referred to".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any of such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following ", relating to definitions of terms."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "conclusion," insert "including the levy, issuance, collection and enforcement of any and all warrants, assessments and bonds hereinbefore provided for,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, between the word "any" and the word "assessment", insert "warrant.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "proceeding," (said word being the first word in the line) insert "nor upon the provisions hereof relative to the levy, issuance, enforcement or collection of any warrant, assessment or bonds, nor upon the powers and duties of the municipal officers and employees in relation thereto,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "obtained" strike out the period and in lieu thereof insert the following "prior to the adoption of the resolution of intention therefor".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, relating to water rights.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "second", insert the following ", or fraction thereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, change the semicolon after the word "purpose" to a period and strike out the rest of the sentence following the semicolon after the word "purpose," to wit "the minimum fee, however, for any claimant to be five (5) dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "water", insert the words "per annum"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "as soon" and all of lines 6 to 16, both inclusive, page 2, of the printed bill and the words "proofs as hereinabove provided for," line 17, page 2, of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following "At the time of, or as soon as practicable after the mailing

of its order of determination as provided in section 36 of this act the state water commission shall compute the entire cost it has incurred in performing the duties prescribed in sections 26 to 36 of this act, both inclusive, and should the aggregate cost thereof exceed the total amount received from claimants with their submission of proofs, the excess shall first be apportioned among the claimants for the irrigated acreages surveyed by the state water commission to the extent of the total cost of surveys and maps thereof, and according to the proportions which the irrigated acreages surveyed for each claimant bear to the total irrigated acreage surveyed, and for the purposes of this apportionment only claimants for acreages surveyed by the commission shall first share such excess and claimants for acreages covering which existing surveys and maps are acceptable under rules and regulations adopted by the state water commission, and which but require a field examination to confirm the accuracy thereof, shall not share in such first apportionment of such excess; and if such aggregate cost incurred by the state water commission shall exceed the amount collected with the submission of proofs and the amount due from the claimants for acreages surveyed, then such excess shall be apportioned among all claimants in proportion to water claimed by them."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 10, 1927, following the word "charged" insert the following: "with respect to such employee."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 10, 1927, following the word "employee" insert the following: "which shall include a reasonable amount for board when furnished".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from preexisting injury, disability or condition.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 48 to 52, inclusive, on page 3 of the printed bill, and lines 1 and 2, on page 4 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the following:

(9) The permanent disability shall be conclusively presumed to be total where the injury caused the loss of both eyes or the sight thereof; the loss of both hands

or the use thereof; practically total paralysis; or brain damage resulting in incurable imbecility or insanity. The permanent disability caused by any injury shall be so computed as to cover the permanent loss of member or use thereof caused by that particular injury only, without allowing any compensation for any disability or condition existing prior to such injury or any compensation on account of any prior injury, and shall not be computed so that such permanent loss of member or its use shall be rated in combination with any injury, disability or condition happening or existing prior to such injury so as to give a higher rating than would have been given if such prior injury, disability or condition had not existed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 3 to 12, inclusive, on page 4 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

(10) In all cases other than those conclusively presumed to be permanent and total, the permanent disability shall be determined in accordance with the fact and in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (9) of this section.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act to amend section 3 of "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to definition of the term "injury" as used in such Workmen's Compensation Act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Beginning with the words "or in case", in line 20, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out lines 20 to 22, inclusive, page 1, of the printed bill, and lines 1 to 3, inclusive, page 2, of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "compensation shall be allowed only for such proportion of the results following the injury and due to the aggravation of such prior disease or condition as may reasonably be attributed to the injury."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof" strike out the comma. On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "bonds" strike out the comma. On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "insurer" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "revoked" and insert in lieu thereof the word "revokes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "as". After the word "surety" insert the word "brokerage". On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "insurance" and insert in lieu thereof the word "insuring". On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the last word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "as". On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "employer" strike out the comma, and after the word "employers" strike out the comma. On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "bonds" insert the words "thereon or". On page 3, line 43, of the

printed bill, strike out the word "applications" and insert in lieu thereof the word "application".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "employer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "employers"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "insurance" and insert in lieu thereof the word "insuring". On page 4, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "employer" strike out the comma and after the word "employers" strike out the comma. On page 4, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "bonds" insert the following "thereon or therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 33 to 52, inclusive, and on page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 12, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The insurance commissioner may upon his own motion, and must upon the verified complaint in writing of any person, investigate the action of any person, copartnership or corporation engaging in the business or acting in the capacity of an insurance broker or insurance solicitor, and shall have the power to temporarily suspend or permanently revoke licenses issued under the provisions of this section at any time if the holder thereof is guilty of a violation of any of the provisions of this section, or has wilfully misstated any material fact in his application or that the purpose of applying for such license was to avoid or prevent the operation or enforcement of any antirebate law or any other insurance law of this state, or that such insurance broker or insurance solicitor licensed hereunder conducts his business in a dishonest manner or misrepresents the policies or contracts he negotiates or effects or misrepresents the policies or contracts of other insurance brokers or solicitors or companies or other insurers, or is incapable or is conducting his business in such a manner as to cause injury to the public or those dealing with him, or if said insurance broker or insurance solicitor obtained a license in an unfair manner or by concealment or misrepresentation. Before denying, suspending or revoking any license the insurance commissioner must give notice in writing to the applicant or holder of such license of the charges against him and afford an opportunity to be heard in person in reference thereto. The decision of the insurance commissioner in suspending or revoking any license shall be communicated in writing to the insurance broker or insurance solicitor and the company or other insurer the insurance broker may represent as agent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "this".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

Insert after the comma following the word "agents" on line 45 of page 7 of the printed bill, the following: "or mutual benefit and life insurance associations organized and operating under sections 452*a* and 453 of the Civil Code, their solicitors or agents,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 3 and 4 of the printed bill, and the words "five hundred dollars and" in line 5 of the printed bill, and insert the words "736a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 5 and 6 of the printed bill, strike out the word "associate"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 7 of the printed bill, strike out the word "fourteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 3 and 4 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Insert the word "736" at the beginning of the line

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the word "associate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 6 of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eleven".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the fourth line of the title of the printed bill after the word "therefor" strike out the period and add in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and creating a *revolving fund and providing for the apportionment of school funds.*"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC 2. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars which shall constitute a revolving fund to be known as the "migratory school revolving fund", which fund is hereby created, and which shall be used in carrying out the provisions of this act and shall not revert to the state treasury

The average daily attendance of pupils in such schools for children of migratory laborers as are provided for in section 1 of this act shall be reported separately to the superintendent of public instruction and he shall apportion money from the

state school fund to the migratory school revolving fund on the same basis, in the same manner and to the same amount as if the apportionment were made from the state school fund to the elementary schools.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission, submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section thirty-four of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California debris commission transmitted to the speaker of the house of representatives by the secretary of war on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento river or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the state engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California debris commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to the abolishing of "Sacramento-San Joaquin drainage district fund, Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six emergency fund" and providing that the moneys in said fund shall be used, expended and disbursed in accordance with, pursuant to and for the purposes set forth in chapter 556 of the statutes of the State of California for the legislative session of the year 1919, directing the state controller to draw his warrant and make all necessary transfers and entries concerning the moneys in said fund, directing the state treasurer to pay the warrant and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 4, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SECTION 1. Section 34 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California debris commission transmitted to the speaker of the house of representatives by the secretary of war on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento river or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the state engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California debris commission and to make report thereof, making an

appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers,' approved December 24, 1911, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 34. All moneys which may be hereafter paid to the said reclamation board by the State of California under and by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be expended under the direction of and by the reclamation board to aid in carrying out the project adopted by the reclamation board for the Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six with such modifications and amendments as may hereafter be adopted by the reclamation board, and to aid in carrying out any work described in the plans of said Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six, in conformity with the report of the California debris commission transmitted to the speaker of the house of representatives of the United States by the secretary of war on the twenty-seventh day of June, 1911, and such modifications and amendments as have been, or may be hereafter adopted by the reclamation board, or by the war department, or the congress of the United States, and providing for the future completion of the entire project", or by any law of similar import which has been or may hereafter be adopted by the legislature of the State of California, shall be applied on said Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six, by said reclamation board, to the pro rata payment of such portions of said assessment as are based upon flood control benefits as set opposite each assessment, in the manner hereinbefore provided; *provided, however*, that if no flood control benefit amount is set opposite any tract of land, the assessment upon such tract of land shall not be entitled to any credit for any of the moneys so received by said reclamation board from said state. In case the amount remaining unpaid, including interest, upon the total of said assessment on any tract of land entitled to such pro rata payment or credit out of the money so received from the state shall be less than such pro rata payment or credit to which such tract is so entitled, then the surplus of such pro rata payment or credit shall be by the reclamation board paid to the owner of such tract in cash out of said money so received from the state and deducted from the amount to be paid over by the reclamation board to the state treasurer as hereinafter directed.

The reclamation board shall prepare and furnish to the several county treasurers a statement of the several amounts so applied to the pro rata payment of such portions of the assessments as are by reason of flood control benefit, and the several county treasurers shall enter such amounts on the original assessment lists as payments or credits on account of the several assessments. In making its calls or orders for the collection of installments on said assessment the percentage to be called and paid shall be calculated upon the original total amount assessed against each tract, but no such call or installment need be paid upon the assessment on any such tract except for the excess of the total of such calls over the total of payments so credited to such tract from application of such money received from the state as aforesaid, or otherwise paid thereon.

The money so received by the reclamation board from the state shall, unless bonds based upon said assessment shall have been authorized by law, be by the reclamation board paid over forthwith to the state treasurer and by him credited to the funds of said assessment, to be used and expended in the same manner as funds collected from land owners upon said assessment. But if at the time of the receipt of any such money by the reclamation board from the state, bonds based upon said assessment shall have been authorized by law, the money so received from the state shall be deposited by the reclamation board with the state treasurer to be held as a special fund for the redemption of such bonds and shall, under the direction and as required by the reclamation board, be applied to the payment and cancellation of such bonds in the manner following, to wit:

Upon receipt of any sum of money under said act or acts of similar import the said reclamation board shall proceed to advertise, at least once a week for four consecutive weeks, in at least one daily newspaper published in the city and county of San Francisco, and one daily newspaper published in the city of Los Angeles, calling for bids or offers for the sale to said state reclamation board of sufficient of the issued and outstanding bonds to cover the amount represented by said money so received from said state; *provided, however*, that said reclamation board shall not purchase any bonds at a sum in excess of par plus accrued interest. And if the said reclamation board shall receive bids or offers at par plus accrued interest, or less than par plus accrued interest, then the said reclamation board shall purchase a sufficient amount of said bonds to make up the sum of money so received by them from the state and shall proceed forthwith to cancel said bonds so purchased, together with all interest coupons attached thereto.

But if the said reclamation board shall not receive bids or offers of a sufficient amount to cover the money so received from the state, then as to the balance thereof, the said reclamation board shall pay bonds in the order of their numbers, beginning as to the first payment, at bond number one, and continuing in numerical order, in a sufficient amount to cover said first payment, and upon such subsequent payments, shall pay the said bonds according to the next succeeding numbers.

The fund heretofore created entitled "Sacramento-San Joaquin drainage district fund, Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six emergency fund" is hereby

abolished and all moneys in said fund entitled "Sacramento-San Joaquin drainage district fund, Sutter-Butte by-pass assessment number six emergency fund" shall be used, expended and disbursed by the state reclamation board, in accordance with, pursuant to and for the purposes set forth in an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled: "An act to appropriate money for the purpose of cooperation in the construction of the public works included in and provided for by that certain project heretofore adopted by the reclamation board, known as Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six of the Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district, with such modifications and amendments thereof as may be hereafter made, in accordance with law, the said work described in the plans of said Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six, as heretofore duly modified and amended, being in conformity with the report of the California debris commission transmitted to the speaker of the house of representatives of the United States by the secretary of war on the twenty-seventh day of June, 1911, and the said report of the California debris commission, together with such amendments and modifications thereof as may be made by the reclamation board, having been heretofore duly adopted by the State of California, and directing the said reclamation board to apply the said moneys so appropriated as it is now, or may hereafter be, provided by law, for the benefit of the said Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district, in connection with said Sutter-Butte by-pass project number six, or any modifications or amendments thereof, that may hereafter be made in accordance with law", approved May 27, 1919.

SEC. 2. The state controller is hereby directed to draw his warrant or warrants, and to make all necessary transfers and entires to accomplish the purposes of this act and the state treasurer is hereby directed to pay all warrants so drawn upon him by the controller.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 51, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"The governor is hereby empowered to appoint a commission consisting of two members of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, the chairman of the state board of control and two other citizens, which commission is hereby".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "committee" and insert in lieu thereof the word "commission"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 13 and 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and to pay all actual and necessary expenses in conducting said investigation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "out of funds" and insert in lieu thereof the word "as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "said committee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the members of said commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "it" and insert in lieu thereof the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "its" and insert in lieu thereof the word "his".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "borne equally out of funds" and all of lines 21, 22 and 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "paid from funds applicable by law to the conduct of such investigations, provided that the said commission is hereby empowered to receive donations and to expend same in carrying out the purposes of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On pages 1 and 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 3.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "and section three of" and insert in lieu thereof the following "of and to add a new section to be numbered three *a* to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 7, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "relating to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "providing for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 21, both inclusive and strike out all of page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 2. A new section to be numbered section 3*a* is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

SEC. 3*a*. In connection with the collection and maintenance of exhibits and other duties heretofore enumerated, the commissioner shall have power and it shall be his duty to erect a marker on the Victory highway on or near the California-Nevada state line, which shall conform as nearly as possible to the standard form of marker which has been heretofore or such as may have been proposed to be hereafter erected by any state, political subdivision thereof, person, firm or corporation on said highway and which shall be placed entirely on California territory, but as nearly to the edge of the California-Nevada state boundary line as may be practical and convenient. The cost thereof shall be paid out of the moneys appropriated under the provisions of section 3 hereof."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend an "Act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to approval of charter amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1236, relating to the dissolution of a corporation upon application of the owner of more than one-third of the subscribed capital stock of the corporation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1002 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved:

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 928 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Remdollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CORA M. WOODBRIDGE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twelve minutes a.m., Hon. Cora M. Woodbridge, member of the Assembly from the Ninth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 33*a*, relating to an exchange of warrants issued by Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for warrants of reclamation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1158 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to receivers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1177 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Baum, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Mixter, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, and Woolwine—19.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-four minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, referring to holidays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 630 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 590 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Easley, Finley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. JAMES A. MILLER IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. James A. Miller, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 423 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—44.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 424 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—54

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 492 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as guardian of the Indians of California, to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorize the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1215 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 221 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—Murphy, Roland, and Williamson—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county water works districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding three new sections thereto, to be numbered 8½, 8¾ and 13½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, and making applicable the Improvement Act of 1911 for the construction of the work and acquiring property therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1178 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend sections 2167, 2174, 2189, 2190*a* of the Political Code, relating to the custody and discharge of patients from State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 689 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 689 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 689 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Foster, Gant, Jones, Lenehan, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Roberts, Sewell, Williams, Witter, and Woolwine—19

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 24—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election held therein on the tenth day of March, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 316—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 57 thereof, relating to the compensation of directors and other officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 316 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—66.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Gant, Patterson, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 633 of the Civil Code, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 813 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 672 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*x*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 706 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1185 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*x*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 718 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tide lands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 194 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1000 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 628*k*, relating to protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 601 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 611 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss or injury to the same.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Walters moved that Assembly Bill No. 759 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.
The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 759 to Committee on Public Utilities.
Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to create the office of a public defender, relating to creating an office to defend persons charged with crimes, without means to hire counsel.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 707 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 678 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States: prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered *4a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "house" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined, for first offense, not more than one thousand dollars and for a subsequent offense, not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 118, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Mixter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 8 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 25, 1927, strike out lines 39 to 42, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Mixter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 211, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MIXTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jespersen moved that Assembly Bill No. 809 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 809 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jespersen moved that Assembly Bill No. 1060 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1060 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Miller, James A., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "for".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Miller, James A., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1137, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MILLER, J. A., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, after the word "file", insert the following: "pending all appeals and, in any event,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, after the word "attorney", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and add the following "*provided, however*, that in no case shall said vouchers be destroyed pending any appeal from said decree of final distribution".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Roland as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 990, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROLAND, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 15, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "submit", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "be accompanied by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7 of the amended printed bill, strike out all material in line 6 and all of the material in line 7 up to the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and four assistants appointed by the superintendent of public instruction"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1120, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Witter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "required", insert the following: "of them by law or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Witter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 749, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WITTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, en-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1083*a*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 23 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out lines 16, 17, 18 and 19.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 23, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out the numeral "7", and insert in place thereof the numeral "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 23, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out the numeral "8", and insert in place thereof the numeral "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 23, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out the numeral "9", and insert in place thereof the numeral "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 23, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out the numeral "10", and insert in place thereof the numeral "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 23, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 24, 1927, strike out the period after the word "effect", and substitute in place thereof a comma, and after said comma add the following: "*provided, further*, that in counties having a registrar of voters the county clerk of said county shall furnish a copy of such record to said registrar of voters and said registrar of voters shall cancel upon the great register the names of all persons appearing thereon."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 115, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word and semicolon "annum;", add the following: "also one deputy who shall receive a salary of three hundred dollars per annum;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "annum", strike out the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "paid;", add the following: "*and also provided*, that the sheriff may employ from one to two persons to act as deputy sheriffs at salaries not to exceed five dollars per day each when in the judgment of the sheriff such deputies are necessary; *provided, however*, that the total amount of the compensation of such additional deputies to be paid per diem shall not in any fiscal year exceed the total sum of six hundred dollars per annum; *and also provided*, that the compensation of the last mentioned deputies shall be paid on presentation of duly verified claims filed with the board of supervisors of the said county and in the same manner that other claims are filed and paid;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out lines 3 to 14, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

5. The treasurer and tax collector three thousand dollars per annum and such fees as are allowed by law; *provided*, that in counties of this class the treasurer and tax collector shall be allowed one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the treasurer and tax collector such additional assistants as may be required and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars in one calendar year.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "annum", insert the following: "and clerical help not to exceed nine hundred dollars in each year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out lines 6 and 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the figures "20" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 652, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, and 490, of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out the word "outstanding" and insert after the word claim the words "due and unpaid".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 408, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section four.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Clowdsley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "said act to be numbered section 4 and to read as follows:" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, to be numbered section 4 and to read as follows:"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Clowdsley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 601, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOWDSLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 19x56 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 9x4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary and expenses of the county librarian in counties of the fourth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 255—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county officers of counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also Senate Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 19x24 of the Juvenile Court Law, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also· Senate Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 2646 of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance and repair of county highways,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927

MR SPEAKER· Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the organization and creation of improvement districts within irrigation districts organized under the "California Irrigation District Act"; to provide for the construction of improvements therein, and for the levy of assessments on the lands of such improvement districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 168—An act to amend sections 653ff, 653kk, and 653jj of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative associations with or without capital stock—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be num-

bered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale, possession and use of machine rifles, automatic rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device;

Also: Senate Bill No. 19—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts,

Also, Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen;

Also, Senate Bill No 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 61 and 131 of the Civil Code, and to repeal section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to interlocutory decrees for divorce,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions;

Also Senate Bill No 77—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment

Also Senate Bill No. 265—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 559½, relating to writs of attachment,

Also Senate Bill No 273—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 956*a*, to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to remedial powers of the appellate courts,

Also Senate Bill No 483—An act to amend section 411 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons,

Also Senate Bill No 596—An act to amend the Civil Code by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 161*a* thereof, relating to the respective interests of husband and wife in community property, and more clearly defining the same;

Also, Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 4463 of the Political Code, relating to newspapers,

Also Senate Bill No 831—An act to amend section 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said map unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivisions of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of the Supreme Court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 22 of article IV thereof, relating to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*r*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4308*a*, creating a special fund for certain expenses incurred by grand juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*r*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend the title and section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues,

boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and rights of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 203—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 35, 39, 40, 41 and 50 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost, definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, exclusion of public property and mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes, filing copies of specifications, fixing time for receiving bids, employment of attorney to prepare proceedings, time within which bonds are to be paid, time of payment of interest and manner of fixing rate thereof, sale of bonds, signers of objections, and definition of terms, and to add two new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 28½ and 36½, relating to the interest rates and sale of acquisition bonds and immediate possession bonds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State and to charge a fee or fees therefor or to lease or grant franchises in real property for such purpose and to acquire, construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State Employees, providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State commissioner thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515, and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682.60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 642—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 20, 31, 53, 56*a*, 65, 80, 83, and 105, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 31*c* and 31*d*, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking;

Also: Senate Bill No. 485—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code of the State of California, to be numbered 2290, relating to rights of banks purchasing other banking institutions;

Also: Senate Bill No. 486—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*g*, relating to the stopping of payment of checks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 487—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3321, relating to the measure of damages by the payment of a check which has been ordered stopped;

Also: Senate Bill No. 488—An act to repeal section 321 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to books of banks which shall be open to inspection;

Also: Senate Bill No. 489—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*f*, relating to actions for paying checks after payment has been stopped;

Also: Senate Bill No. 696—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 695—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WILLIAMSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON OIL INDUSTRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration or departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owner and/or operator of any oil well, to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil-bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish; and to repeal section 633 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, disposing of the balance in said fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 16*x*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article II*b* of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f*, and 361*g*, creating in the Department of Agriculture a Division of Land Settlement, defining the powers and duties and providing for the administration thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates; And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree,

Also Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture, providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund;

Also Assembly Bill No 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Salano and Napa counties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, development, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products, and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers,

Also Assembly Bill No 1050—An act providing for the creation and establishment of a State License Board for Contractors, prescribing the powers and duties of such board; defining the term contractor, providing the method of obtaining licenses to engage in the business of contracting and fixing the fees for such licenses providing the method of revocation of such licenses and prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 5, and 11 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to definition and regulation of transportation companies,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1175 —An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented

By Mr. Hedges:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia", approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RECESS.

At five o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Byrne, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

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

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and ten minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—39

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 621 was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 2322a24 of the Political Code, relating to the office of the horticultural commissioners in counties of the twenty-fourth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvements in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 849—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 26 to provide for the dissolution of such levee districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1237 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 533—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 533 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A. Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl from scull-boats in Fish and Game District No. 2.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1201 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water master.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 806 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 565 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1231 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Sewell gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1231 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 900 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Croter, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—Bernard, Coombs, and Woodbridge—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article XIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1207 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—Jones—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and duties of the county horticultural commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1081 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James, A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 148 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1167 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry,

Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift or other process, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 197 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 27, 61 and 62 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds, approved April 7, 1911, relating to foreclosure of liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1091 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*r*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 475 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During the reading of the title, Mr. Wright moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the next to the last line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixth".

Title read, as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 58 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts,

Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—Rochester and Woolwine—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 68 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—Sewell, and Walters—2

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 844 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 895 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a State Park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park," at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 128 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During the reading of the title, Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the words "creating a commission for"; also strike out lines 4 to 8, inclusive, of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following "providing for the control of said park and for the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements thereon and for the conduct and management thereof."

Title read, as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 748 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1196 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 447 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1222 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Croter, McDonough, Rochester, Smith, and Woolwine—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 638 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Burns, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe Jr., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, McPherson, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, and Witter—25.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 621 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for

the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Woolwine moved that Assembly Bill No. 1210 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1210 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 550—An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalty for the violation thereof; and creating a Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and fixing the compensation of the commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Rochester moved that Assembly Bill No. 550 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 550 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to lakes and streams, the waters of which contain minerals in commercial quantities; withdrawing State lands within the meander lines thereof from sale; prescribing conditions for taking such minerals from said waters and lands, and providing for the lease of lands uncovered by the recession of the waters of such lakes and streams," approved April 27, 1911, as amended, relating to lakes and streams and the taking of minerals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Williams moved that Assembly Bill No. 1085 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1085 to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Sewell moved that Senate Bill No. 173 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 173 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION LAPSED.

Motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1067 was passed lapsed on failure of motion being made to consider same.

Assembly Bill No. 1067 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, April 1, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 1, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Lenehan moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hedges, Judge John L. Hudner of Hollister was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland. Misses Margaret Avery, Josephine Holub, Joy Barthelson, members of the Arion Trio of Oakland, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Mrs. J. M. Lamb of Michigan, North Dakota, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Miller, James A., and Oliva, Mr. Victor Perazzi of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, Mr. Melville was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eddy, Mr. Davis was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Keaton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Clowdsley, Mr. Anderson, D. P., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Nielsen, Mr West was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Snyder was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrrent Resolution No. 27—Approving one certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

KELSEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 845—An act providing for the use of the labor of inmates of any State prison or of the Preston School of Industry upon public roads and defining the powers and duties of public officials in relation thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

KELSEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

KELSEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the creation of a fund for making exhibitions of products and the assistance of local fair associations

Also: Senate Bill No. 579—An act to authorize the Director of Agriculture to provide for the certification of fruits, vegetables and other farm products, to cooperate with the United States Department of Agriculture in carrying out the provisions of this act, to provide for the payment of fees, to establish a fruit and vegetable certification fund and revolving fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 200—An act to amend sections 1, 3 and 8 and add a new section to be known as 3*a* of an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling the same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers and sleeping car companies of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 2220 of the Civil Code, relating to the purposes for which trusts may be created,

Also: Senate Bill No. 694—An act to repeal sections 847 and 857 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts on real property;

Also: Senate Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and the manner in which and the conditions upon which such associations may do business in this State;

Also. Senate Bill No. 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By F. CAIRNS, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 692 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 694 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 748 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 857 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary condition of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Change title of the printed bill to read:

An act to amend sections two and nine of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out "the labor commissioner", and insert in lieu thereof "the California state board of health."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 11 and 12, of the printed bill, strike out "the labor commissioner", and insert in lieu thereof "the California state board of health."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out "labor commissioner", and insert in lieu thereof "the California state board of health."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out "the labor commissioner", and insert in lieu thereof "the California state board of health."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

SEC. 2. Section 9 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 9 Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this act or any provisions of the rules or regulations prescribed by the state board of health for the enforcement of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and each days continuance of any practice act or condition prohibited herein or by said rules or regulations constitute a separate offense within the meaning of the act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "health" at the end of the line, insert the following: "or department charged with the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "health" and before the word "as", insert the following: "or department charged with the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "officer" and before the word "of", insert the following: "or department charged with the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "the", strike out the word "health" and strike out the period following the word "office" and continue with the wording "of said department".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "officer" before the word "of", insert the following: "or department charged with the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "plumber" and before the word "may", insert "or journeyman plumber".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "officer" and before the word "as", insert the following: "or department charged with the enforcement of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, after the words "plumbing inspector", and before the word "nothing", insert "He shall at all times be a qualified plumber of at least five (5) years experience".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "fee", strike out balance of the line and strike out all of lines 50, 51 and 52 and in lieu thereof insert: "to be be fixed by the city, county or city and county where the plumbing work is to be performed and which fee shall be collected by the plumbing inspector or other lawfully designated official who shall deposit the same with the city, county, or city and county treasurer as the case may be"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "applied", strike out the balance of the wording in that line beginning with the word "If" and strike out all the wording in lines 16, 17 and 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "applied", insert the following: "Vitrified clay pipe house sewers and sewer connections shall be filled with water to a point above the inlet without leaking. Any defective pipe or defective materials shall be removed and replaced in a workmanlike manner with materials that will pass the aforesaid test."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "systems" and before the word "may", insert the following: "within the building".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "fittings" and before the word "a", strike out the word "in" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "within, under or attached to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "pipes", strike out the balance of the wording beginning with the word "of" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "exclusive of house sewers and connections." and strike out the wording in lines 7 and 8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "beginning" strike out the word and figure "three (3)" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "two (2)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, after the period at the end of the line insert a new paragraph as follows

(e) No person, firm, company, copartnership or corporation engaged in the business, labor, act or capacity of laying, installing or constructing house sewers or house sewer connections of vitrified clay pipe shall be deemed to be a "master plumber" or "journeyman plumber" as comprehended and defined in this act. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, nothing in this act shall be construed to require that any such person, firm, company, copartnership or corporation need pass examination of such master or journeyman plumber. Permits for the installation, construction and laying of house sewers or house sewer connections shall issue to any such person, firm, company, copartnership or corporation upon demand therefor when application is filed with the proper officer or officials charged with the duty of enforcing the provisions of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out entire line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "vitrified" strike out all the balance of the wording in that line beginning with the word "ironstone" and strike out all of the wording in the succeeding line 13 and in lieu thereof insert the words "clay pipe of number one grade."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 17 to 21, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "37", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "36".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "38", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "37".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 5, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "39", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "38".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "40", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "39".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "41" and in lieu thereof insert the figures "40".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 5 line 44, of the printed bill, strike out all of the wording on that line and strike out all the wording in the succeeding lines 45, 46, 47 and 48, and in lieu thereof insert

SEC 40. Every house sewer and house sewer connection and every similar drain pipe which extends from two feet beyond the outer walls of a building shall be

laid so that the upper surface of such pipe shall be not less than 18 inches below the surface of the ground and wherever practicable shall have a fall or pitch of at least one-fourth inch to the running foot.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 5, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "42", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "41".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 5, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "43", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "42".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "44", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "43".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE

On page 6, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "45", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "44".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "46", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "45".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "direction" strike out the balance of the line beginning with the word "of" and in line 16 strike out "whefe said horizontal" and in lieu thereof insert "of the house drain where the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "47", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "46".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "48", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "47".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "49", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "48".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "50", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "49".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 6, line 34, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "51", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "50".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "52", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "51".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "53", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "52".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 6, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "54", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "53".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 6, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "55", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "54".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 50, of the printed bill, after the period at the end of the line insert the following: "All joint connections for vitrified clay pipe used in house sewers and connections shall be cemented with mortar composed of at least one part Portland cement to not more than two parts sand or by any other method equally effective."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 51, of the printed bill after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "56", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "55".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "57", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "56".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "58", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "57".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 7, lines 8, 9 and 10, of the printed bill, strike out all the wording in these three lines and in lieu thereof insert the following: "the provisions of this act. Cast iron or vitrified clay pipe for house sewers and connections shall not be less than four inches internal diameter and in no case shall such pipe be less in diameter than the diameter of the soil pipe that connects thereto and in no case shall such pipe be of a larger diameter than the diameter of the main public sewer to which it connects."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 7, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "59", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "58".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 7, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "60", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "59".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "61", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "60".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 7, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "62", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "61".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 7, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "63", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "62".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 7, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "64", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "63".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO.

On page 7, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "65", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "64".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "66", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "65".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "67", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "66".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 8, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "68", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "67".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

On page 8, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "69", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "68".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "70", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "69".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 28 to 34, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-NINE.

On page 8, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "72", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "70".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY.

On page 8, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "73", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "71".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-ONE.

On page 8, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "74", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "72".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-TWO.

On page 8, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "75", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "73".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-THREE.

On page 9, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "76", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "74".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FOUR.

On page 9, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "77", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "75"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FIVE.

On page 9, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "78", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "76".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-SIX.

On page 9, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "79", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "77".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-SEVEN.

On page 9, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "80", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "78".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-EIGHT.

On page 9, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "81", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "79".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-NINE.

On page 9, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "pipe" and before the word "from" insert the words "or vitrified clay pipe".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY.

On page 9, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "82", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "80".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-ONE.

On page 9, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "83", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "81".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-TWO.

On page 9, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "84", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "82".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-THREE.

On page 10, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "85", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "83".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FOUR.

On page 10, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "86", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "84".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FIVE.

On page 10, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "87", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "85"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SIX.

On page 10, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "88", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "86".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SEVEN.

On page 10, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "89", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "87".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-EIGHT.

On page 10, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 33 to 37, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-NINE.

On page 10, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "91", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "88"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY.

On page 10, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 43 to 52, inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert

SEC. 89 The drainage system from chemical works, laboratories, plating works, acid works or factories where chemicals are used and where the wastes therefrom tend to disintegrate, corrode or in any other manner damage materials ordinarily

permitted under this act, shall be discharged only through vitrified clay pipe or other approved acid proof pipe, with joint connections made of an approved acid proof compound, *provided*, that whenever in the opinion of the state or local health officers, the character of any industrial waste will prove destructive to any public sewer system or result in the pollution of any of the streams of the state, such health officers may require the industries creating such waste to provide a preliminary treatment thereof before discharging same into any stream or public sewer.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "93", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "90".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-TWO

On page 11, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "plumbing" insert "and drainage of buildings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-THREE.

On page 11, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "94", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "91".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-FOUR.

On page 11, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "95", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "92".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-FIVE.

On page 11, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "96", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "93".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-SIX.

On page 11, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "97", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "94".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-SEVEN.

On page 11, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figures "98", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "95".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 768—An act granting to the Regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain tide lands bordering on the Pacific Ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said tide lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the Regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "Institute" and substitute in its place the word "Institution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "tidelands" and substitute in its place the word "lands".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "tidelands" and substitute in its place the word "lands".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Institute" and substitute in its place the word "Institution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "tidelands" and substitute in its place the word "lands".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the words "to wit", add the following: "That certain strip of land lying between the westerly edge of pueblo lot number one thousand two hundred ninety-eight of the pueblo lands of the city of San Diego, according to the official map of said pueblo lands, as made by James Pascoe, and filed in the office of the county recorder of said county of San Diego, and the lowest tide line opposite to and west of said pueblo lot, which said strip of land is bounded on the north by the northerly boundary line of said pueblo lot extended westerly and on the south by the southerly boundary line of said pueblo lot extended westerly; together with state waters of the State of California adjacent thereto, being those state waters which lie between said extended northerly and southerly boundaries of said pueblo lot and extended westerly from said lowest low tide line for a distance of one-half mile."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "tidelands" and substitute in its place the word "lands".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the words "said board", add the following: "with the approval of the governor,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "4267" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

4267*a*. In counties of the thirty-eighth class the county surveyor shall receive the sum of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars for the period beginning with the date upon which this act becomes effective and ending December 31, 1927, and thereafter a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, for all work performed for the county, and in addition thereto he shall receive his actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred by him while engaged in work for the county; said salary shall be paid in the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 19*x*56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out remainder of line 1 and all of lines 2, 3 and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "4281 of the Political Code relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-second class."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 4281 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4281. In counties of the fifty-second class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

The county clerk, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class the county clerk shall be allowed a copyist, who shall be appointed by the county clerk and paid a salary of seventy-five dollars per month; said salary to be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class, during the years when the compilation of a great register is required by law, the county clerks of the county shall be allowed the sum of ten cents per name for each affidavit legally taken for registration; said sum to be allowed and paid to said county clerks by the board of supervisors as other county charges are allowed and paid.

The sheriff shall receive two thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and in counties of this class, there is hereby allowed to the sheriff, one deputy, to be appointed by him, who shall receive the salary of seventy-five dollars per month, which shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid

The recorder, one thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the recorder a copyist who shall be appointed by the recorder, and paid the salary of seventy-five dollars per month; said salary to be paid by the said county in monthly installments, at the time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the recorder is paid.

The auditor, eight hundred dollars per annum

The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

The tax collector, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and ten per cent on all licenses collected by him as license collector; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the tax collector an assistant for the months of April, October and November, who shall be appointed by the tax collector and paid the salary of seventy-five dollars per month for said above named months, said salary to be paid by the said county in monthly installments, at the time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid

The assessor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor two deputies, to be appointed by him, who shall receive the salary of one hundred twenty five dollars per month each, from the first day of March to July first of each year, said salaries to be paid by said county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid

The district attorney, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

The public administrator, such fees are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

The superintendent of schools, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county, and the sum of five dollars per day for each day's services on the board of education; said sum, together with the traveling expenses, to be allowed and paid the same as other county charges are allowed and paid; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools one deputy to be appointed by him for two months in each year at a salary of seventy-five dollars per month, said salary to be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid.

During the period beginning with the date upon which this act takes effect and ending upon the thirty-first day of December, 1927, the county surveyor shall receive twelve dollars per diem for office work and twenty dollars per diem for field work when engaged in county work, *provided, however*, that on and after the first day of January, 1928, he shall receive six dollars per day for office and ten dollars per day for field work, *provided, however*, that he shall be given all work for the county in which the county employs one surveyor or civil engineer He shall also receive all actual expenses when at work in the field

Justices of the peace in counties of this class shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month in the same manner, at the same time and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them: in townships having a population of more than one thousand, fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of more than five hundred and less than one thousand, twenty-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than five hundred, ten dollars per month. The board of supervisors of such counties shall furnish and supply to the justices of the peace of the various townships in such counties the codes of the state and amendments thereto and all necessary stationery, legal blanks and forms for the proper conduct of business.

Constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: (1) In townships having a population of five hundred or more, twenty dollars per month; (2) in townships having a population of less than five hundred, ten dollars per month; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed, each constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county for traveling expenses outside of his own township, for service of a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law. For serving a coroner's subpoena the same fees and mileage as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for the service of a subpoena issued out of a justice's court. For summoning a coroner's jury the same fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed for summoning a jury in a civil action in the justice's court For transporting prisoners to the county jail, the expenses of such transportation In addition to the monthly salaries allowed him herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fee allowed by law For transporting prisoners to the county jail, the actual expenses of such transportation In addition to the monthly salaries allowed him herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fees allowed by law. It is hereby declared that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not constitute an increase and shall apply to present incumbents

Each member of the board of supervisors to receive a flat rate of eight hundred dollars per annum, in full for all services.

In counties of this class, the official reporter of the superior court shall receive, as full compensation for taking notes in civil and criminal cases tried in said courts, and for preliminary examinations in justices' courts, and at coroners' inquests, a per diem of ten dollars, and for transcription of said notes when required during the progress of a trial, he shall receive the sum of twenty-five cents per folio for the original and five cents per folio for one copy; but if such transcription is not required until after the conclusion of the trial, then he shall receive the sum of ten cents per folio for original, and five cents per folio for copies required; said compensation for transcription in criminal cases to be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county, and paid out of the county treasury; and in civil cases, to be paid by the party ordering the same, or when ordered by the judge, by either party, or jointly by both parties, as the court may direct. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when reporting outside of the county seat

For attending as a grand juror or as a trial juror in the superior court, in criminal cases, four dollars per day for each day's attendance. For each mile actually traveled in attending upon the superior court, in going only, per mile, twenty-five cents; *provided*, that in counties of this class the grand jurors and trial jurors in criminal cases shall be paid warrants drawn by the county auditor, issued upon the order of the court, or judge thereof.

The county librarian shall receive one thousand dollars per annum.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, after line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

1. The county clerk, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be appointed by the county clerk and shall be paid salaries as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month; two court room deputies at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars each per month; one office deputy at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month; two office deputies at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars each per month; one office deputy at a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month; *provided, further*, that in any year when a general election is to be held or the compilation of a registration of voters is required by law or supplements to be made thereto, the county clerk shall receive as expenses for compiling such registration of voters and making supplements thereto and work incidental to election, the sum of seven and one-half cents for each name registered or appearing on the great register for each general election, to be paid upon filing and presentation of duly verified claims therefor, by the county clerk, with the board of supervisors of said county; *and provided, further*, that in any year when a registration of voters is required by law or supplements to be made thereto, the said county clerk may appoint such number of registration deputies as may be necessary for the registration of voters in their respective precincts, each of said deputies to receive the sum of ten cents per name for each elector registered by him; said registration deputies to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county, a duly verified claim therefor on the general fund of said county, after proper allowance of said claim by said board of supervisors; the salary of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid; *provided, further*, that the compensation for registration of electors and compilation of the registration of voters and supplements thereto as herein provided for, shall not be paid in monthly installments but shall be paid after proper allowance of verified claims therefor by the board of supervisors of said county.

2. The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum. All mileage for service of papers in civil actions arising either inside or outside of the county, excepting actions in which the county is interested. All fees for service of papers in civil action. All expenses incurred in criminal cases and mileage in criminal cases, for each mile actually and necessarily traveled by automobile, twelve and one-half cents per mile. The sum of not less than thirty-seven and one-half cents per day each shall be allowed by the board of supervisors for feeding each prisoner committed to his custody; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One under sheriff at a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month; one deputy sheriff at a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; two deputy sheriffs at a salary of two hundred dollars per month each; one deputy sheriff to act in criminal cases, at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy sheriff to act as day jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, one deputy sheriff to act as night jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; two deputy sheriffs to act as bailiffs at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars each per month; two deputy sheriffs at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month each; one stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, one office stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month; *provided*, that the sheriff may employ from one to five persons to act as deputy sheriffs at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day each, when in the judgment of the sheriff such deputies are necessary; *provided, however*, that the total amount of the compensation for such additional deputies to be paid per diem shall not in any fiscal year exceed the total sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, *provided, further*, that the compensation of said last mentioned deputies shall be paid upon presentation of duly verified claims filed with the board of supervisors of the said county in the same manner that other claims are filed and paid. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid

3. The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the recorder the following deputies, clerks, and employees, who shall be appointed by the county recorder, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred

dollars per month, one deputy at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, two index clerks at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars each per month, four copyists at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars each per month, and one copyist, at such time as in the judgment of the county recorder is necessary, at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, and such copyists as the county recorder may appoint at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, *provided, however*, that the salary and per diem paid to such last named copyists employed at five dollars per day each, shall not exceed the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, such last named copyists, employed on a per diem, shall be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county, of their duly verified claims therefor, from the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid. The salaries of the other deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for, shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid

4. The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the auditor the following deputies, clerks and employees who shall be appointed by the county auditor and who shall be paid salaries as follows: One deputy auditor at a salary of two hundred dollars per month; two clerks at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month each, one clerk at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month; the salaries of the deputy and employees hereinabove provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid; *provided, further*, that the said auditor is hereby allowed such clerks and employees as he may deem necessary and appoint at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each; *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such clerks and employees on a per diem basis shall not exceed the total sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum: *provided, further*, that such clerks and employees shall be paid for their services out of the same fund as the auditor is paid upon filing with the board of supervisors of said county, their duly verified claims for the sums due them.

5. The treasurer, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one deputy treasurer who shall be appointed by the treasurer and who shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, said salary to be paid in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid, *provided, further*, that the said treasurer is hereby allowed such clerks and employees as he may deem necessary to appoint at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each; *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such clerks and employees on a per diem basis shall not exceed the total sum of one thousand dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that such clerks and employees shall be paid for their services out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid upon filing with the board of supervisors of said county, their duly verified claims for the sums due them; *provided, however*, that the bond of the treasurer and his deputy shall be executed with a reliable bonding and surety company and that the premiums on said bonds when the same have been duly approved, shall be a charge against the county and payable out of the general fund upon the presentation and filing of duly verified claims therefor with the board of supervisors.

6. The tax collector, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the tax collector the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be appointed by the tax collector, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One deputy tax collector at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy tax collector at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, one deputy tax collector at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; one clerk at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, one stenographer to the tax collector at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; and such copyists as the tax collector may appoint at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day each; *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such copyists shall not exceed the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; one index clerk to be paid at not to exceed one cent for each separate assessment appearing on the rolls each; such copyists and index clerks to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county, their duly verified claims therefor. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for, shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, however*, that the compensation of said copyists and said index clerk shall be paid on the presentation and filing of claims with the board of supervisors as hereinbefore provided

7. The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the district attorney the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the district attorney, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the district attorney and shall be paid salaries as follows: One deputy district attorney at a salary of three hundred dollars

per month; two deputy district attorneys at a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month each; and one stenographer to the district attorney at a salary of one hundred forty-five dollars per month; one stenographer at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the district attorney is paid. The district attorney and his deputies shall be allowed twelve and one-half cents per mile without any constructive mileage for his expenses for traveling, necessarily done by automobile, and his actual traveling expenses when he travels by rail.

8. The superintendent of schools, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the superintendent of schools, one deputy superintendent of schools, who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools, and shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month; one field deputy superintendent of schools, who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools to assist the superintendent of schools in the discharge of his duty in visiting and examining schools, as provided by the state law, and it shall be the duty of said field deputy superintendent of schools to make written report of his examination, to be transmitted by the superintendent of schools to each trustee of all districts so examined; said field deputy shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month, and his actual and necessary traveling expenses while engaged in performing the duties of his office under the direction of the superintendent of schools; one deputy superintendent of schools who shall be a registered nurse, to be appointed by the superintendent of schools and who shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month The salary of the deputies provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid.

9. The assessor, six thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the assessor the following deputies, clerks and employees who shall be appointed by the assessor and shall be paid salaries as follows: two deputy assessors at a salary of two hundred dollars per month each; one improvement valuation deputy assessor at the salary of two hundred dollars per month; one deputy assessor at one hundred sixty-five dollars per month; four field deputy assessors to hold office not to exceed five months each in any one year at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month each; one transfer deputy at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, one stenographer at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and such additional deputy assessors at a salary not to exceed seven and one-half dollars per day each, and such additional clerks at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, as the assessor may appoint; *provided, however*, that the total compensation of said additional deputy assessors and clerks shall not exceed the sum of seven thousand dollars per annum. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for, shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid; *provided, however*, that the compensation of said additional deputy assessors at a salary not to exceed seven and one-half dollars per day each, and said additional clerks at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, shall be paid on the presentation and filing of verified claims with the board of supervisors, as hereinbefore provided; *provided, however*, that in counties of this class the assessor shall receive no compensation or commission for collection of personal property taxes, nor shall such assessor receive any compensation or commission for making out the military roll of persons returned by him as subject to military duty as provided by section one thousand nine hundred one of the Political Code.

10. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law; *provided, however*, that in counties of this class the coroner shall be allowed for general services in holding an inquest, the sum of twenty-five dollars, and there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county coroner one stenographer to the coroner whose duty it shall be to act as reporter, and take down in shorthand and transcribe into longhand the testimony of the witnesses at all inquests Said stenographer to the coroner shall be appointed by the coroner and be paid a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month which salary shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county officers are paid. The county coroner is further allowed to rent an office for a sum not to exceed fifteen dollars per month which rental shall be paid on the presentation and filing of the duly verified claims therefor with the board of supervisors of said county. All subpœnas or processes issued by said coroner may be served by any peace officer and fees for such service shall be paid as provided by law.

11 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

12. The surveyor, six thousand dollars per annum, provided that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the surveyor the following deputy and employees who shall be appointed by the surveyor, and hold office at his pleasure, to wit: One deputy surveyor at a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month, one stenographer to the surveyor at a salary of one hundred ten dollars

per month The salary of the deputy and the stenographer herein provided for shall be paid by the said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid In addition to the deputy and stenographer herein provided for the surveyor, the surveyor shall be allowed the following engineers and employees: two engineers at eight and one-half dollars per day each, two field engineers at eight and one-half dollars per day each, one draughtsman at seven and one-half dollars per day, one instrument man at seven and one-half dollars per day; four chainmen at five and one-half dollars per day each, *provided, however*, that the total compensation for said engineers and employees shall not exceed the sum of eighteen thousand dollars per year, *and provided, further*, that the compensation of said engineers and employees shall be paid by the county on the presentation and filing of claims therefor with the board of supervisors as hereinbefore provided, said payment to be made from the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid

13. The population of the several judicial townships, for the purpose of fixing the compensation of township officers, shall be ascertained and declared by the board of supervisors in the month of July, 1930, and in the month of July every four years thereafter.

14. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of county officers are paid which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. (1) In townships having a population of ten thousand one, or more, two hundred dollars per month; (2) in townships having a population of from seven thousand one, or more, to ten thousand, inclusive, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; (3) in townships having a population of from four thousand one to seven thousand, inclusive, one hundred fifty dollars per month; (4) in townships having a population of three thousand one to four thousand, inclusive, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, (5) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more and less than three thousand, fifty dollars a month, (6) in townships having a population of two thousand or more, and less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars a month; (7) in townships having a population of one thousand two hundred or more, and less than two thousand, forty dollars a month; (8) in townships having a population of one thousand or more and less than one thousand two hundred, twenty dollars a month, (9) in townships having a population of four hundred fifty or more, and less than one thousand, fifteen dollars a month; (10) in townships *having a population of less than four hundred fifty, five dollars per month. Each* justice must pay in to the county once a month, all fines and fees collected by him in criminal and civil cases, and the auditor must withhold warrants for salary until a certified statement has been filed with him of all criminal and civil cases tried or filed and fines and fees collected and paid into the county treasury. In addition to the monthly salary herein, each justice may receive as expenses for maintaining his office such sum as may be necessary, not to exceed twenty per cent of the amount allowed him as salary

15. Constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: (1) In townships having a population of three thousand or more, one hundred eighty dollars a month; (2) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more, and less than three thousand, ninety-six dollars a month; (3) in townships having a population of two thousand or more and less than two thousand five hundred, ninety-three dollars a month; (4) in townships having a population of one thousand two hundred or more, and less than two thousand, ninety dollars a month; (5) in townships having a population of one thousand and more, and less than one thousand two hundred, thirty-five dollars a month; (6) in townships having a population of four hundred fifty or more, and less than one thousand, twenty-five dollars a month, (7) in townships having a population of less than four hundred fifty, five dollars a month; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed each constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county for traveling expenses outside of his own township, for services of warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law. For serving a coroner's subpœna the same fees and mileage as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for the service of a subpœna issued out of a justice's court. For summoning a coroner's jury the same fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed for summoning *a jury in a civil action in the justice's court For transporting prisoners to* the county jail, the expenses for such transportation. In addition to the monthly salary allowed him herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fees allowed by law. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable in townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more may receive as expenses for maintaining his office each month a sum not to exceed twenty-five per cent of the amount allowed him as salary.

16. Each member of the board of supervisors, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum for personal services performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner. Each supervisor shall also receive as expenses, as supervisor and road commissioner, not to exceed

twenty cents per mile each way traveling to and from his residence while engaged in the performance of the duties of supervision of public roads as commissioner, or other business of the county, said expenses not to exceed fifty dollars in any one month.

17. The bonds of county officers, their assistants, deputies and employees such as required by law to be furnished when executed with a reliable bond and surety company, the cost of said bond when duly approved, shall be a charge against the county payable out of the general fund.

18. The traffic officer, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the traffic officer the following deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the traffic officer and be paid salaries as follows: Six deputy traffic officers at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month each. The salaries of the deputies herein provided for shall be paid by the county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the traffic officer is paid; *provided*, that all the provisions of this subsection are to apply to the office of the county traffic officer whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

19. Sealer of weights and measures, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sealer of weights and measures, one deputy, who shall be paid a salary as follows: one hundred fifty dollars per month; the salary of the sealer of weights and measures and the deputy herein provided for, shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and from the the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid, *provided, further*, that verified claims of the sealer of weights and measures and his deputy for traveling expenses necessarily and actually incurred in the performance of their duties shall be presented and filed with the board of supervisors each month for the amounts claimed for the preceding month, which said claim shall be paid out of the general fund of the county, after due allowance thereof by the board of supervisors of said county.

20. County librarian two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, the salary of the county librarian shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner and from the same funds as the salaries of other county officers are paid, *provided, further*, that verified claims of the county librarian for traveling expenses necessarily and actually incurred in the performance of the duties of the office shall be presented and filed with the board of supervisors each month for the amounts claimed for the preceding month.

21. Actual, reasonable and necessary expenses shall be allowed all the officers of the county in the discharge of their official duties. Detail expense accounts must be rendered on the first day of each month for the expenses incurred within the previous month. For traveling necessarily done by automobile an officer shall be allowed mileage at the rate of twelve and one-half cents per mile without any constructive mileage except as herein otherwise provided.

22. *Provided*, that all deputies, assistants and employees herein provided for in addition to the deputies, assistants and employees provided for by any effective law on the second day of November, 1926, are hereby declared to be necessary and proper deputies, assistants and employees to be allowed to the principal in each county office herein mentioned during his term of office.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After line 2 of the printed bill, insert the following:

4233. In counties of the fourth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit:

The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have an undersheriff at a salary of three thousand twenty-five dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, five deputies at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum each, ten deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each; one Bertillon deputy who shall have charge of the

records made under the Bertillon system and who shall act as a photographer and who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, two stenographers whose annual salary shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars, one clerk whose annual salary shall be one thousand two hundred dollars; a matron whose annual salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars. The sheriff shall pay into the county treasury all sums received by him for service of process.

The tax collector, four thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred thirty dollars per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred ten dollars per annum, and twenty-one additional deputies for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of five dollars per day each; one additional deputy for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day, and six additional deputies for not exceeding two months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day each. The tax collector shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses required by him in the performance of his official duties as license collector of Fresno county.

The assessor, five thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred ten dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred ten dollars per annum; six deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; ten deputies for a period not to exceed six months at a salary of five dollars per day each; seven deputies for a period not to exceed four months at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each, thirty deputies for a period not to exceed three months at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each, one deputy for a period not to exceed six months at a salary of ten dollars per day.

All sums collected by the assessor or his deputies as personal property taxes shall be paid into the county treasury monthly as collected with a statement of such collection.

The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum

The recorder shall have such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office at a compensation not to exceed five cents per folio; *provided, however*, that all instruments that are partly written or typewritten and partly printed, and for the recording of which the county has furnished the county recorder with books containing printed forms corresponding to such instrument, the compensation shall be two and one-half cents per folio for the entire number of folios of written and printed matter in said instrument.

The county clerk, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; he shall have two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum. He shall also have three additional deputies for a period of not to exceed ten months during each and every even numbered year at a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and four deputies for a period of not to exceed six months during each and every even numbered year, such deputies to receive a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and also for such even numbered years he shall appoint such deputies in the county as are necessary for the purpose of registering the electors, such deputies to receive five cents for each elector legally registered by them. The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month all fees received by him as county clerk during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one assistant at a salary of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each. A detective at the salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and one combination stenographer and telephone clerk at a salary not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Neither of these stenographers shall receive other compensation by reason of services as stenographic reporter in any action or proceeding wherein the fee or per diem of the stenographic reporter constitutes a charge against the county.

The district attorney and his deputies shall devote their entire time during office hours to the work of the county and state and are prohibited from engaging in private work within such office hours. It is understood that this provision relative to private work does not affect the district attorney until his salary is six thousand dollars per annum.

The auditor, three thousand three hundred dollars per annum He shall also have one chief deputy at a salary of two thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as chief accountant and who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as a redemption clerk and who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred twenty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as bookkeeper and who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as a warrant clerk and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum; and eight deputies for not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year, at a salary of five dollars per day each. In addition to the salary herein provided for the said auditor shall receive three per cent of the sum collected from the state under the provisions of section 4099*a* of the Political Code for the extra duties imposed by said section. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this sub-section does not work an increase in compensation, and it is hereby intended that the same shall apply to the present incumbent of this office.

The treasurer, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars per annum each.

In counties of this class grand and trial jurors shall receive three dollars per day each while engaged in the performance of the duties required by them, and in addition thereto shall receive the mileage now allowed by law.

The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

The superintendent of schools, four thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each and two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each

One of the deputies is to act as an attendance office for the schools of Fresno, whose duties shall be to enforce the laws in regard to compulsory attendance of pupils and who shall perform such other duties in connection with school work as the county superintendent may direct. The superintendent and his supervising assistants and attendance officers shall be allowed their actual traveling expenses incurred while visiting the schools of the county.

The surveyor, four thousand dollars per annum in full compensation for all services as county surveyor and as road overseer and inspector. He shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

The county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary traveling and field expenses of himself and chainmen or other necessary help in the field. In addition, the county surveyor shall be allowed to employ all necessary inspectors and field or office help needed in the preparation of plans, specifications or surveys preliminary to the submission to the qualified voters of a county of this class of a proposition to issue bonds under the provisions of section 4088 of the Political Code for the construction of roads, bridges, or highways, *provided, however*, that before employing such inspectors or field or office help, the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors to such employment; *provided, however*, that the term of employment of such inspectors or field or office help shall cease at the completion of such preliminary work hereinabove provided for. The salaries and expenses of such inspectors or field or office help shall be paid out of the county general fund upon proper claims presented therefor to the board of supervisors. In any county of this class, where bonds have been or shall hereafter be issued under the provisions of section 4088 of the Political Code, for the construction of roads, bridges or highways, the county surveyor may, at any time during the planning, laying out or construction of such roads, bridges or highways, employ all necessary inspectors and field or office help to assist him in planning, laying out or constructing such roads, bridges and highways; *provided, however*, that before employing such inspectors and field or office help, the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors to such employment. Inspectors and field or office help shall not be employed longer than necessary to actually complete the roads, bridges or highways

paid for out of funds created by such bond issue. There shall also be allowed to such surveyor, from and after the issue of bonds provided in said section 4088, an additional deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, whose duties shall be limited to operations contemplated under such bond issue, and whose term of employment shall cease at the completion of such operation; *provided, however,* that before employing such additional deputy, the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors for such employment. The salaries of all such persons employed as inspectors or field or office help shall be prescribed by the board of supervisors, and all such salaries, together with the field expense of all such inspectors or field or office help, as well as the salary of said additional deputy, shall be paid out of the fund created by such issue of bonds, upon proper demands therefor presented to the board of supervisors. The surveyor and his deputies shall devote their entire time and service to the work of the county, and are prohibited from engaging in private surveying and engineering work, and shall do all surveying and engineering work for the county, including the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of bridges.

14. The registered population of the several judicial townships of this county is hereby determined to be the registered votes as shown by the great register of the county in the office of the county clerk January 1, 1923, as follows, to wit:

Township No. 1, Dos Palos	1,351
Township No. 2, Clovis	3,282
Township No. 3, Fresno	23,700
Township No. 4, Fowler	1,568
Township No. 5, Selma	2,751
Township No. 6, Coalinga	2,811
Township No. 7, Sanger	1,907
Township No. 8, Reedley	2,486
Township No. 9, Kingsburg	1,296
Township No. 10, Tollhouse	653
Township No. 11, Kerman	1,586
Township No. 12, Dunlap	271
Township No. 13, Laton	591
Township No. 14, Parlier	737
Township No. 15, Riverdale	779
Township No. 16, Del Rey	315
Township No. 17, Caruthers	1,171
Township No. 18	1,407

And for the purpose of regulating the compensation of the constables and justices of the peace, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified as follows: Townships having a registered voting population of ten thousand and more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a like population of one thousand four hundred fifty and less than ten thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class, townships having a like population of six hundred and less than one thousand four hundred fifty shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a like population of less than six hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

15. Justices of the peace in townships of the first class shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month to be paid each month as the county officers are paid.

For each justice's court in townships of the first class there shall be one justice's clerk who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace. Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers, and give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars, conditioned upon and for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office, which bond shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers.

Said justice's clerk shall be authorized to administer all oaths, take and serve affidavits, and shall be authorized to issue and sign writs, summons and all other processes in any action or proceeding in the justice's court of the township for which he is appointed, or pending before any justice of the peace in said township, in the name of the justice before whom the same is pending, or out of whose court the same is issued, which shall be in substantially the following form

"_____
Justice of the Peace.

Attest: _____
Clerk."

All legal papers of every kind in actions or proceedings in such justice's court shall be issued by the said justice's clerk in the manner and form hereinbefore set out. The said justice's clerk shall issue, sign and certify to any and all papers transcripts or records which are required to be issued, signed or certified by said justice of the peace. All complaints, answers and other pleadings and papers required to be filed in the said justice's court, shall be filed with such justice's clerk, who shall keep a permanent record of such actions and pro-

ceedings in the justice's docket, now provided by law to be kept by said justice. Said clerk shall keep a record of the proceedings of said court and shall have the custody of all records and papers of the same.

All fees for the issuance of process, or other fees, which are by law allowed for any official service of the justice of the peace, shall be exacted and paid in advance into the hands of the justice's clerk which, together with all fees, fines, forfeitures or penalties received in said justice's court, shall be paid into the county treasury.

Said justice's clerk shall render each month to the county auditor and county treasurer an exact account, under oath, of all fines, forfeitures and penalties and fees received by him or collected by said court. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid.

In the event that the board of supervisors do provide, by order, that two justices' courts be established in any township of the first class, then and in such an event the justice of said additional court shall be entitled to and shall appoint a clerk for said additional court, which said clerk shall be vested with the same authority and charged with the same duties and entitled to the same compensation as the clerk of the justice's court hereinbefore provided for.

The board of supervisors shall provide, in a convenient locality, a suitable office and court room, including all necessary office furniture, telephone, light, heat and water and all necessary stationery and office supplies for the justices and clerks thereof for all justices' courts in and for townships of the first and second class.

Justices of the peace and persons now performing the duties of justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and the same shall be in full compensation for all their services rendered and shall include their office rent except as heretofore provided for justices of the first and second class, to wit.

In townships of the second class	$100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

For each justice's court in townships other than the first class, there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace; *provided*, that the total number of cases, civil and criminal, filed in said court during the calendar year preceding such an appointment be six hundred fifty.

Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall have same qualifications, authority and duties as prescribed for clerks of justices' courts of the first class. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid. On the first day of each calendar year, the justice of each court, entitled to a clerk under this provision shall file with the county clerk a certified list of all cases filed in his court for the preceding calendar year, giving titles of same.

Justices of the peace shall pay to the county treasurer once a month all fees and fines collected by them and shall be responsible for the collection and payment to the county treasurer of all such fees and fines as herein provided.

The supervisors shall receive each the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly in installments of four hundred dollars per month, in full compensation for all services rendered, either as supervisors or road overseers. The supervisors shall devote their entire time to the work of the county.

The salaries of all county and township officers and their deputies shall be payable in installments monthly on the first day of each month.

Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and to be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit:

In townships of the first class	$125
In townships of the second class	100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

In addition to the monthly salaries above provided each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil cases, and shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in carrying out the duties and prerogatives of his office in other matters, provided that in addition thereto, that when a constable is required to go out of the county to serve a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, he shall be allowed mileage in going and returning outside of the county at the rate of five cents per mile.

Sealer of weights and measures. The sealer of weights and measures shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and three deputies shall receive one hundred and fifty dollars per month.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 9*x*4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary and expenses of the county librarian in counties of the fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, in line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "section", strike out the remainder of the title and all other matter to bottom of page, and in lieu thereof insert the following: 'nineteen *x* four of that part of the juvenile court law approved June 3, 1921, and in effect August 2, 1921, and relating to the qualifications and salary of the employees in the office of the probation officer in counties of the fourth class.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

Section 19*x*4 of the amendment to the juvenile court law approved June 3, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19*x*4. In counties of the fourth class there shall be one probation officer whose salary shall be three thousand dollars per annum, there shall be one assistant probation officer whose salary shall be two hundred dollars per month, two assistant probation officers at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, one assistant probation officer who shall be a competent stenographer at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month and one clerk who shall be a competent stenographer with a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month."

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "title or possession".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "use", strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "use", strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out words "title or possession".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following "citizen of the United States or person eligible to citizenship under the laws of the United States"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 27 to 40, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "mence a proceeding in the superior court of the county in which the birth occurred to establish the fact of such birth. The district attorney shall forthwith file an application or petition in the said court to establish such birth. Notice of such application or petition shall be posted for such time and in such manner as may be directed by the judge of such court. At the time fixed for such hearing, the court shall require proof of the posting of the notice of such hearing and upon the furnishing of satisfactory proof of such birth, the court shall make an order determining that such birth did in fact occur in such county and at the time shown by the proofs adduced upon such hearing.

Each such order must be made in the form and upon the blank prescribed and furnished by the state registrar. And said order shall become effective upon the filing of a certified copy thereof with the local registrar of vital statistics, and the delivery therewith for transmittal to the state registrar of a standard certificate containing such facts and signatures as are obtainable, and upon the filing of a certified copy of said order with the state registrar.

No fee shall be charged by the district attorney for filing such application or petition, and no filing fees shall be charged by the county clerk for filing such application or petition."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the printed bill, after the words "to wit:" begin with a new paragraph to read as follows:

1. The county clerk, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum. The salary of said deputies to be payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of the other county officers are paid; *provided, further, however,* that in each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law the county clerk may appoint an additional deputy or deputies whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed four hundred dollars in any one year; *and provided, further,* that the county clerk shall file with the county auditor a certified statement showing in detail the amount and persons to whom said compensation is paid. Such salaries of such

deputies shall be paid out of the same fund as the salaries of the other county officers are paid.

2. The sheriff, three thousand dollars per annum and all fees for the service of process issued without this county. One bailiff at a salary of eight dollars per month. One deputy at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand three hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum, which offices are hereby created. The salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of the other county officers are paid

3. The recorder, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created, one copyist at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one copyist for three months of each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month. The salaries of said deputy and copyist payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

4. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum and one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred sixty dollars per annum, and one deputy for two months of each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, the salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

5. The treasurer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum.

6. The tax collector, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year and two deputies for four months of each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each, which offices are hereby created, the salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

7. The assessor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one chief deputy assessor, at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month; one deputy assessor at a salary of one hundred dollars per month for seven months in each year, from January first to August first; one copyist for five months in each year, from March first to August first, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, the salaries of said chief deputy assessor, deputy assessor and copyist payable in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of the other county officers are paid.

The assessor shall appoint such field deputies as he may require, *provided*, that the compensation of such additional deputies shall not exceed in all the sum of three thousand dollars in any one year; *and provided*, that said field deputies shall file monthly with the assessor and county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amount of time consumed in actual assessment work; the salaries of said field deputies shall be paid by the county monthly, in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of the other county officers are paid Said salary of the assessor shall be in full for all services rendered by him, and he shall pay all fees received into the county treasury.

8. The district attorney, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and one stenographer at an annual salary of one thousand two hundred dollars, which office is hereby created. It is hereby found as a fact that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter provided by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter provided by law

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that in counties of this class the county superintendent of schools shall receive and retain for his own use the sum of five dollars per diem for each and every day he attends the meetings of the county board of education, and shall also be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses in visiting the schools of the county.

12. The surveyor, ten dollars per day and actual reasonable and necessary expenses when engaged in the field or in the office in the discharge of his official duties in the county.

13 Supervisors, each the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum in full for all services performed by them as supervisors and as members of the board of equalization and road commissioners and in any and every capacity, and also all actual and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of all such duties.

14. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in all cases, in townships having a population of seven thousand or more, one thousand eight hundred dollars per year; in townships having a population of less than seven thousand and more than three thousand, eighty dollars per month; in townships having a population less than three thousand and more than seven hundred fifty, fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than seven hundred fifty, ten dollars per month.

15. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in all cases: in townships having a population of seven thousand or more, one thousand eight hundred dollars per year; in townships having a population of less than seven thousand and more than three thousand, eighty dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than three thousand and over seven hundred fifty, fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than seven hundred fifty, ten dollars per month. Constables shall also be allowed mileage of eight cents per mile each way for necessary mileage traveled within the county, in the performance of their official duties, both civil and criminal.

16. Grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall receive for each day's attendance per day the sum of three dollars. In justices' courts in civil and criminal cases, the jurors sworn to try the case shall receive for each day's attendance per day the sum of two dollars. All jurors shall receive for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from his residence to the place of service the sum of fifteen cents per mile; *provided*, that in justice courts mileage shall be allowed only to those sworn to try the case.

17. The county librarian shall receive one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures "4273" insert the following: "In counties of the forty-fourth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum which office is hereby created. He shall appoint said deputy.

2. The sheriff, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and his reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of his office in criminal matters; said expenses to be allowed by the board of supervisors as other county charges are allowed. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created; said deputy shall be appointed by the sheriff. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created. Said deputy shall be appointed by the sheriff.

The salary and allowance above named shall be compensation in full and the said sheriff shall pay over to the county all mileage, fees or other commissions received by him for service in civil matters.

3. The recorder, one thousand nine hundred dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of seven hundred fifty dollars per annum.

4. The auditor, eight hundred dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of seven hundred fifty dollars per annum.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, said deputy to be employed for not to exceed five months in any one year.

6. The tax collector, one thousand dollars per annum, and ten per cent of all licenses collected by him as license collector. He shall have one deputy for a period of four months in each year, at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which office is hereby created. Said deputy shall be appointed by the tax collector. The tax collector shall also be allowed one per cent of all money collected by him as taxes from municipalities, irrigation districts, sanitary districts, or improvement districts.

7. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum and six per cent of all unsecured personal taxes collected by him, except only such portion of said tax as belongs to the school fund. He shall also have one deputy for a period of four months in each year, beginning March first and ending June thirtieth, at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month each, said deputy shall be appointed by the assessor. He shall also be allowed one deputy, to be known as a poll tax deputy, at

a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month. Such deputy shall not be employed for more than four months in any one year. Said deputy shall be appointed by the assessor. The provisions of this section, so far as they relate to the poll tax deputy in the office of the assessor, shall not be operative in the event that the Legislature at its forty-sixth session shall pass a general law providing for the appointment and salaries of deputy poll tax collectors.

8. The district attorney, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He is hereby allowed a stenographer at a salary of six hundred dollars per annum.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county. The superintendent of schools is hereby allowed additional office help. Such additional help shall receive compensation at the rate of five dollars per day, not to exceed in the aggregate sixty days in any one year.

12. During the period beginning with the date upon which this act takes effect and ending upon the thirty-first day of December, 1927, the county surveyor shall receive twenty dollars per diem, when engaged in county work; *provided, however, that on and after the first day of January 1928, he shall receive ten dollars per diem,* when engaged in county work; *provided, however*, that he shall be given all work for the county in which the county employs one surveyor or civil engineer. He shall also receive all actual expenses when at work in the field.

13. Justices of the peace in counties of this class shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid. In townships having a population of over four thousand, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of over three thousand and less than four thousand, seventy-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than three thousand, twenty dollars per month. They shall also receive the fees that are now or may hereafter be allowed by law and shall receive such sum as may be necessary to maintain their offices; *provided*, that such sum shall not be in excess of twenty per cent of their salary as allowed herein. The board of supervisors of such county shall furnish and supply to the justices of the peace of the various townships the codes of the state and amendments thereto and all necessary stationery, legal blanks and forms for the proper conduct of business. For the purpose of this subdivision, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last general election by three

14. Constables in counties of this class shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the same manner and at the same time and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid. In townships having a population of four thousand or over, one hundred dollars per month, in townships having a population of over three thousand and less than four thousand, fifty dollars per month, and in townships having a population of less than three thousand, twenty-five dollars per month; and in addition thereto all necessary and reasonable expenses for performing the duties of their office in criminal matters. In addition to the monthly salaries allowed herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fees now or hereafter allowed by law.

15. Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand dollars per annum, and mileage from residence to the county seat, at each sitting of the board, at twenty-five cents per mile; which said salary and mileage shall be in full for all services.

16. In counties of this class, the official reporter of the superior court shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, to cover all work done in criminal cases, both in the superior and justice's courts of the county; and shall receive as compensation for taking notes in civil cases tried in the superior court a per diem of ten dollars, and for transcription of said notes, when required during the progress of the trial, he shall receive the sum of twenty-five cents per folio for the original, and five cents per folio for one copy, in both criminal and civil cases; but if such transcription is not required until after the conclusion of the trial, then he shall receive the sum of ten cents per folio for the original, and five cents per folio for copies required, said compensation for transcription in criminal cases to be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county, and paid out of the county treasury, and in civil cases to be paid by the party ordering the same, or when ordered by the judge, by either party, or jointly by both parties, as the court may direct. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when reporting outside of the county seat.

17. Grand jurors, and trial jurors, in criminal cases, shall receive the following fees and mileage. (1) Grand jurors, and jurors in the superior court in criminal cases, shall be paid three dollars per day for each day's attendance and for each mile actually traveled in going only, while acting as jurors, twenty-five cents; and the judge of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant on the treasurer in favor of each such juror for said per diem and mileage, and the treasurer shall pay the same.

18. For attending as a trial juror in criminal cases only, in any justice's court of the county, for each day's attendance, two dollars and fifty cents. The justice of the peace shall certify to the auditor the number of days' attendance of each juror, and the auditor shall then draw his warrant therefor, and the treasurer shall pay the same.

19. For attending as a witness in criminal cases only, in the superior court of the county, for each day's attendance, the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually traveled in going, one way only, while acting as juror, twenty-five cents.

20. For attending as a witness in criminal cases only, in any justice's court, for each day's attendance the sum of two dollars, and for each mile actually traveled in going only, while acting as a juror twenty-five cents, one way. The judge of the superior court, or the justice of the peace shall certify to the auditor the number of days attendance of each witness, and the auditor shall thereupon draw his warrant therefor and the treasurer pay the same.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "eighty-five", and insert in lieu thereof the words "seventy-nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "fifty-sixth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fiftieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 27, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 51, inclusive, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 24, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 4279 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4279. In counties of the fiftieth class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, two thousand dollars per annum, except in the years when a general election is held, and in such years he shall receive two thousand three hundred dollars per annum, and said clerk may appoint one deputy clerk, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum. The deputy herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the clerk is paid.

2. The sheriff, four thousand dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created.

3. The recorder, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum.

4. The auditor, four hundred dollars per annum.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum.

6. The tax collector, seven hundred fifty dollars per annum.

7. The assessor, two thousand six hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of five hundred dollars per annum; *provided, however*, that such compensation shall be in full for all services of every kind and description rendered by the assessor; *and it is further provided*, that in counties of this class from and after the date upon which this act takes effect, the assessor shall pay into the county treasury for the use of the county all commissions and fees which would otherwise be allowed to him by the provisions of

section 4290 of the Political Code, as compensation for the services therein mentioned

8. The district attorney, two thousand dollars per annum

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county. Said superintendent of schools may appoint one stenographer, which office is hereby created, who shall render assistance to the county superintendent of schools and, when available, to the district attorney or other county officer or officers, and who shall receive a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum. The stenographer herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the superintendent of schools is paid

12. During the period beginning with the date upon which this act takes effect and ending upon the thirty-first day of December, 1927, the county surveyor shall receive twenty dollars per diem when engaged in county work; *provided, however*, that on and after the first day of January, 1928, he shall receive ten dollars per diem when engaged in county work; *provided, however*, that he shall be given all work for the county in which the county employs one surveyor or civil engineer. He shall also receive all actual expenses when at work in the field.

13 Justices of the peace For the purpose of fixing the compensation of justices of the peace according to their duties, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified according to population. The population shall be determined by the board of supervisors upon the enactment of this act, and also at the time of formation of any new township or townships The board may determine such population by multiplying by three the number of registered voters at the last general election next preceding the date of such determination.

Townships having a population of one thousand two hundred or more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a population of six hundred and less than one thousand two hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class, townships having a population of three hundred and less than six hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a population of less than three hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

There shall be but one justice of the peace for each township of this class of counties Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries: In townships of the first class the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum; in townships of the second class the sum of one hundred eighty dollars per annum; in townships of the third class the sum of one hundred twenty dollars per annum; in townships of the fourth class the sum of sixty dollars per annum.

Such salaries shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salaries of county officers are paid and shall be compensation in full for all services rendered

All fees received by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury every month.

14. Constables, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

15. Each supervisor, one thousand dollars per annum and mileage from residence to the county seat at each sitting of the board of twenty cents per mile; said compensation to be in full for services either as supervisor or for mileage as road commissioner.

15*a*. There is created for counties of the fiftieth class the office of county librarian; the librarian shall be appointed by the board of supervisors for a term of four years and shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers are paid

16 Reporter, in counties of this class, the official reporter of the superior court shall receive a salary of seventy-five dollars per month to cover all work done in criminal cases, both in the superior court and justices' courts of the county, and shall receive as compensation for taking notes in civil cases tried in the superior court a per diem of ten dollars. He shall also receive as compensation for transcribing notes whether in civil or criminal cases, the amount now or to be hereafter provided by law, such compensation for transcribing to be paid in such manner as now or may hereafter be provided by law. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when reporting outside the county seat

17. The license collector, the sum of one thousand fifty dollars per annum; *provided, however*, that such compensation shall be in full for all services of every kind and description rendered as such license collector; *and it is further provided*, that in counties of this class from and after the date upon which this act takes effect, the said license collector shall pay into the county treasury for the use of the county all commissions and fees which would otherwise be allowed to him as now provided by law as compensation for the services therein mentioned The provisions of this subdivision are not intended to increase the compensation of the incumbent of such office but are intended to change the compensation of the license collector from the fee

system to a fixed salary basis and shall take effect ninety days after the final adjournment of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature.

18. Grand and trial jurors, three dollars per day and such mileage fees as may be allowed by law.

19. Witnesses. Witnesses in attendance upon either the superior or justices' courts shall receive two dollars per day and such mileage fees as may be allowed by law.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

'On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the period, strike out all the remainder of said line 25 and all of line 26.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma, insert the following: "and one deputy to be appointed by him and who shall receive a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the comma, strike out the remainder of said line and all of line 50, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten dollars per day when employed by the board of supervisors to do surveying, and ten cents per mile in going to such work.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

At the bottom of page 2 of the printed bill, insert the following:

13. The county librarian, to be appointed only in the discretion of the board of supervisors, eighteen hundred dollars per annum if so appointed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "13", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one", and strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the first word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one", and strike out the second word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one", and strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the words "nine hundred and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words "townships having a population of less than nine hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "14", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "nine", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "six", and strike out the word "forty"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, line 27, of the printed bill, after the period, add the following paragraph:

In townships of the fourth class, the sum of twelve dollars for the period beginning with the date upon which this act becomes effective, and ending December 31, 1927, and thereafter a salary of twelve dollars per annum.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "15", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "16", and insert the figures "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "17", and insert the figures "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "18", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4308*a*, special fund for certain expenses incurred by grand juries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*x*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants, and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "lots", insert the words "of not more than ten acres each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the comma, insert the following: "certifying to the genuineness of the said signatures,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State and to charge a fee or fees therefor or to lease or grant franchise in real property for such purpose and to acquire, construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in the sixth line of the title, strike out "and to charge a fee or fees therefor or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in the eighth line of the title, strike out "acquire,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 16 to 21, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2 and the following in line 3: "Sec. 3" and insert in lieu thereof: "Sec. 2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "also".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 10 to 13, inclusive, and in line 14 the following: "Sec. 5", and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out "6", and insert in lieu thereof "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 29 to 31, inclusive, and in line 32 strike out "Sec. 8", and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "9", and insert in lieu thereof "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "legislation", and insert in lieu thereof "Legislature".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "partners", strike out the balance of line 3 and all of line 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out "firm name, it shall", and substitute in lieu thereof "said co-partnership may".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale, possession and use of machine rifles, automatic rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "California", strike out the following: "manufactures or causes to be manufactured or keeps for sale or offers or exposes for sale or sells or gives or lends or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "automatic rifles".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "writing", and strike out the word "with", and in line 10 strike out the following: "a proposed purchaser of said property" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "between his principal and a third party to purchase, sell or exchange said real property or any interest therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "therein", insert the following: "as a result of said agent's or broker's efforts,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 15 and 16, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "employing such authorization or memorandum in writing,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "writing", and in line 8 strike out "with a proposed purchaser of said property", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "between his principal and a third party to purchase, sell or exchange said real property or any interest therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "therein", insert the following: "as a result of said agent's or broker's efforts,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

HON. CLARE WOOLWINE IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Clare Woolwine, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-third Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 61 and 131 of the Civil Code, and to repeal section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to interlocutory decree for divorce.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "1", and strike out lines 2 to 18, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be the duty of the superintendent of public instruction

to promote and superintend instruction in the public schools of this state for children with defective speech, in order that such defect may be corrected or relieved.

Within the limits of the appropriation hereinafter made, the superintendent of public instruction is empowered to employ such help as is necessary and incur such additional charges as may be needed to promote and superintend such instruction; *provided*, that out of the funds hereinafter appropriated the superintendent of public instruction is authorized to apportion to such counties, or cities and counties, of the state, as in his judgment require the maintenance of special classes for the correction of speech defects, such sums of money as may be necessary not to exceed seventy-five dollars a month for each teacher employed in each such special class; *provided, further*, that no such apportionment shall be made unless the superintendent of schools of the county or city and county in which each such special class for the correction of speech defects is being established shall have set aside for the maintenance of such classes out of the unapportioned county school funds of such county or city and county an amount equal to that apportioned therefor by the superintendent of public instruction The superintendent of schools of the county or city and county is authorized to apportion this fund to districts maintaining a special class for the correction of speech defects as approved by the superintendent of public instruction; *provided*, that no apportionment shall be made by the superintendent of schools of the county or city and county unless the district establishing such special class has set aside for the maintenance of such class an amount equal to that apportioned therefor by the superintendent of public instruction.

SEC. 2. The sum of thirty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be used in accordance with law for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the printed bill, in the blank space following the word "of", insert the words "eight thousand".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 892—An act to amend section 3 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing

thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended 1923.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515 and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682.60, to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owners and/or operator of any oil well to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act.
Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvement in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to

be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 15 thereof, strike out the following: "whose exterior boundaries are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 17 to 22, inclusive, all of page 2 and all of page 3 from and including line 1 down to and including line 30, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

All of pueblo lots numbered two hundred thirty-seven, three hundred fifteen, three hundred sixteen, three hundred seventeen, three hundred eighteen and three hundred nineteen, portions of pueblo lots numbered two hundred ten, two hundred twenty-one, two hundred twenty-two, two hundred twenty-three, two hundred twenty-four, two hundred twenty-five, two hundred thirty-six, two hundred forty, three hundred thirteen, three hundred fourteen and three hundred twenty, and a portion of Roscrans street, as shown on miscellaneous map number thirty-six of the pueblo lands of San Diego on file in the office of the county recorder of San Diego county; also all of Bay View tract, according to map number one hundred four; all of Pendleton addition, according to map number one thousand seven hundred ninety-eight; portions of Harbor villas, according to map number one thousand three hundred fourteen; and a portion of Westlawn addition, according to map number one thousand four hundred sixty-four, all said maps being on file in the office of the said county recorder; the whole being a continuous tract within the city of San Diego, county of San Diego, State of California, and more completely described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southwesterly boundary line of said pueblo lot number two hundred forty, which bears south fifty-three degrees forty-nine minutes forty-two seconds east, a distance of fifty-five and thirteen one-hundredths feet from the westerly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred forty, identical with the southerly corner of pueblo lot number two hundred forty-one; running thence north fifty-four degrees forty-six minutes six seconds east, a distance of one thousand five hundred twenty-eight and twenty-six one-hundredths feet to a point on the northwesterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred fourteen and on the southerly right of way line of the San Diego electric railway, from whence the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred fourteen bears north thirty-five degrees fifty-nine minutes eighteen seconds east a distance of one hundred forty-nine and seventy-eight one-hundredths feet; thence south seventy-seven degrees fifty-five minutes forty-five seconds east along the said southerly right of way line of the San Diego electric railway, a distance of one hundred seventy-one and seventy-four one-hundredths feet to a point; thence south sixty-five degrees fifty-seven minutes thirteen seconds east along the said southerly right of way line of the San Diego electric railway, a distance of three hundred eighty-three and sixty-five one-hundredths feet to a point on the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred fourteen; thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-five minutes forty-four seconds east along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred fourteen, a distance of one hundred twenty-seven and sixty-nine one-hundredths feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred fourteen, identical with the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred fifteen; continuing thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-five minutes forty-four seconds east along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred fifteen, a distance of six hundred sixty and one-tenth feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred fifteen; thence south fifty-four degrees twenty-four minutes five seconds east, a distance of one hundred feet to the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred sixteen; thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-seven minutes five seconds east along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred sixteen, a distance of six hundred sixty and fourteen one-hundredths feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred sixteen; identical with the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred seventeen; thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-six minutes fifty-five seconds east along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred seventeen, a distance of six hundred sixty and three-tenths feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred seventeen; identical with the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred eighteen; continuing thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-six minutes fifty-five seconds east, along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred eighteen, a distance of six hundred sixty and

eighteen one-hundredths feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred eighteen identical with the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred nineteen; thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-seven minutes fifteen seconds east along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred nineteen, a distance of six hundred sixty and two-tenths feet to the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred nineteen, identical with the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number three hundred twenty; thence south fifty-three degrees fifty-seven minutes east, along the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number three hundred twenty; a distance of six hundred thirty-eight and eighteen one-hundredths feet to a point on the northerly boundary of Barnett avenue; thence south seventy-three degrees fifty minutes thirty seconds west, a distance of four thousand two hundred and fifty-one one-hundredths feet, to a point of curvature; thence westerly along the arc of a curve to the right whose radius is one hundred eighty-four and ninety-four one-hundredths feet, a distance of one hundred sixty-seven and fifty-two one-hundredths feet to a point of tangency on the northeasterly boundary of Lytton street; thence north fifty-four degrees fifteen minutes thirty seconds west along the said northeasterly boundary of said Lytton street, a distance of three hundred seventy-six and thirty-one one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north twenty-four degrees thirty-seven minutes thirty-two seconds east, a distance of four hundred eighty-four and twenty-eight one-hundredths feet to a point on the southwesterly line of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-three, from whence the westerly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-three bears north fifty-three degrees fifty-four minutes west, a distance of eighty-three and one one-hundredths feet; thence north thirty-four degrees fifteen minutes thirty-one seconds east, a distance of one hundred forty-three and twenty-five one-hundredts feet to a point; thence north twenty-one degrees forty-one minutes forty-three seconds east, a distance of three hundred nineteen and eighty-eight one hundredths feet to a point on the northwesterly boundary of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-three, from whence the said westerly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-three bears south fifty-three degrees fifty-seven minutes eight seconds west, a distance of four hundred fifty-three feet; thence north fifteen degrees forty-seven minutes thirteen seconds west, a distance of three hundred seven and thirty-eight one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north forty-four degrees twelve minutes thirty-four seconds west, a distance of one hundred twenty and ninety-eight one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north five degrees thirty-four minutes seven seconds west, a distance of one hundred forty-eight and twenty-four one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north twenty-eight degrees fifty-nine minutes fifty seconds east, a distance of one hundred ninety-five and thirty-two one-hundredths feet to a point, thence north six degrees thirty-one minutes twelve seconds west, a distance of four hundred seventy-six and thirty-two one-hundredths feet to a point on the northeasterly boundary of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-two, from whence the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-two bears south fifty-three degrees fifty-four minutes thirty seconds east, a distance of seven hundred four and three one-hundredths feet; thence north five degrees five minutes fifty-three seconds east, a distance of three hundred twenty-three and thirty-two one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north seventy-six degrees seven minutes fifty-five seconds west, a distance of one hundred ten and ninety-eight one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north eighty-seven degrees fifty-five minutes fifty-nine seconds west, a distance of four hundred nineteen and fifty-six one-hundredths feet to the northerly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-two identical with the easterly corner of said pueblo lot number two hundred twenty-one; thence south seventy-five degrees ten minutes west, a distance of three hundred feet to a point; thence south fifty-seven degrees fifty-five minutes west, a distance of three hundred fifteen feet to a point; thence south seven degrees fifty-four minutes fifty-two seconds west, a distance of four hundred eighty-five and three one-hundredths feet to a point; thence south fifty-five degrees fifty-two minutes fifty seconds west, a distance of two hundred feet to a point; thence north fifty-nine degrees seven minutes twenty seconds west, a distance of one hundred thirty feet to a point; thence north twenty-six degrees thirty-seven minutes thirty seconds east, a distance of two hundred sixty feet to a point; thence north five degrees forty-two minutes fifty seconds west, a distance of two hundred thirty-five feet to a point; thence north sixty-seven degrees twenty-seven minutes west, a distance of four hundred eighty-seven and fifty-three one-hundredths feet to a point; thence south forty-seven degrees forty-two minutes west, a distance of two hundred eighty-three and seventeen one-hundredths feet to a point; thence south thirty-six degrees fifty minutes west, a distance of three hundred thirty-two and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north eighty-six degrees thirty-nine minutes west, a distance of seventy-seven and nine-tenths feet to a point; thence north nine degrees thirty-three minutes east, a distance of two hundred thirty and ninety-four one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north thirty-two degrees east, a distance of two hundred seventy-three and fifteen one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north forty-six degrees fifty-two minutes ten seconds east, a distance of two hundred sixty-four feet to a point; thence south seventy-three degrees twenty-five minutes forty-three seconds east, a distance of seven hundred nine and sixty-nine one-hundredths feet to a point; thence north thirty-four degrees forty minutes twenty seconds east, a distance of five hundred twelve and forty-four one-

hundredths feet to the point of beginning, containing an area of two hundred twenty-nine and five one-hundredths acres.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and thirty-one minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 183—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*f*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, equip and maintain buildings to house employees of the school district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 342—An act requiring certain reports to be made concerning children with impaired hearing.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "minor", insert the following: "who is totally deaf or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "address", insert the following: "of the California School for the Deaf and also".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "nearest", strike out the words "school for the deaf", and in lieu thereof insert the following; "public school for the deaf and the nearest public school for the hard of hearing, if there be either or both in the county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "school", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "schools or either of them".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "to", strike out the words "the nearest school for the deaf", and in lieu thereof insert the following: "each of the schools mentioned in section 2 hereof".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 49—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco," approved March 15, 1878, as amended, relating to the State Board of Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 120—An act granting to the city of Los Angeles the tide lands and submerged lands of the State within the boundaries of said city.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 41—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for

the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, so as to prohibit the acceptance of more than one deposit as a fee for the same position.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to terms of imprisonment.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 416—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 411—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or information

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1096*a*,

relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "The", and insert in lieu thereof the article "A".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, following the comma after the word "proved", insert the following: "and in case of a reasonable doubt whether his guilt is satisfactorily shown, he is entitled to an acquittal,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 843—An act authorizing the Governor of the State to sign, the State Controller to countersign, and the State Treasurer to indorse any and all bonds prepared pursuant to the provisions of section 4 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California which have not been signed by the Governor, countersigned by the State Controller and indorsed by the State Treasurer who were in office on the second day of January, 1927.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 198—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors, and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 255—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county officers of counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 19*x*24 of the Juvenile Court Law, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 2646 of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance and repair of county highways.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the organization and creation of improvement districts within irrigation districts organized under the "California Irrigation District Act"; to provide for the construction of improvements therein, and for the levy of assessments on the lands of such improvement districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 168—An act to amend sections 653*ff*, 653*kk* and 653*jj* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative associations, with or without capital stock.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, after line 42, of the printed bill, insert the following: "similar vote, or similar written assent, be delegated to the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, after the words "board of", insert the word "directors".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expense of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 203—An act to amend sections 4, 5, 7, 35 and 41 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost, definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, exclusion of public property and mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

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

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, insert a comma after the word "four", and in line 2 of the title of said bill after the word "eleven," insert the word "thirty-one,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "exclusion of public property and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 17 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, insert the following new matter after the comma following the word "objections": "the including in acquisitions of removals, relocations and structural changes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, insert a comma after the word "municipality".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the comma following the word "improvements".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 9, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "or more than three-fourths".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 11, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, insert a comma after the word "both".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the word "The" in line 19, and strike out all of lines 20 to 25, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The successful bidder shall, within fifteen days after the first publication of the notice of award, make payment to the treasurer in cash for such bonds, which shall be used by said treasurer in the same manner as if such bonds were sold separately; *provided, however,* that the successful bidder shall not be entitled to a contract for the said work or improvement until such payment is made and until the plaintiff in the action to acquire the public way or ways required has obtained a valid court order, judgment or decree entitling it to possession of the public way or ways to be improved. In such cases, the twenty days after the first publication of the notice of award provided in section 14 for entering into the contract shall be extended to ten days after the entry of such order, judgment or decree."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 12 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, add the following new matter after line 11:

SEC. 6½. Section 31 of said "acquisition and improvement act of 1925" is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 31. For the purpose of assessing the compensation and damages, the right thereto shall be deemed to have accrued at the date of the issuance of summons, and its actual value at that time shall be the measure of compensation for all property to be actually taken, and the basis of damages to property not actually taken but injuriously affected, in all cases where such damages are allowed by the provisions of this act; *provided*, that in any case in which the issue is not tried within one year after the date of the issuance of summons, unless the delay is caused by the defendants, the compensation and damages shall be deemed to have accrued at the date of trial, and its actual value at that time shall be the measure of compensation.

If an order of the court be made letting plaintiff into immediate possession and the plaintiff shall take immediate possession upon commencing eminent domain proceedings and thereupon giving such security in the amount of money deposited as the court may determine to be reasonable to secure compensation to the owner, as provided in section fourteen of article one of the constitution of this state, then the compensation and damages awarded shall draw interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of such order.

No improvements placed upon the property proposed to be taken subsequent to the date of the publication of the resolution of intention in the proceeding shall be included in the assessment of compensation or damages.

The referees, or the court, or the jury, as the case may be, shall find separately:

First—The value of each parcel of property sought to be condemned, and all improvements thereon pertaining to the realty, and of each separate estate or interest therein;

Second—If any parcel of property sought to be condemned is only a part of a larger parcel, the damages which will accrue to the portion not sought to be condemned, and to each separate estate or interest therein, by reason of the severance therefrom of the portion sought to be condemned, and the construction of the improvement in the manner proposed by the plaintiff. Such damages must be fixed irrespective of any benefit from such improvement.

In those cases where the acquisition includes the relocation or removal of, or the making of structural changes in, any railroad, street or interurban railway tracks or structures or other public utility structures or equipment, the compensation to be paid for such relocation, removal or change, or the damages occasioned by the ordering thereof, shall be ascertained and assessed and shall become a part of the award and a part of the expense of the acquisition as other compensation and damages. Where prayed for in the complaint and the complaint describes and is accompanied by a map or diagram showing the location and proposed relocation, removal or change, the court shall, in addition to the condemnation ordered, order such relocation, removal or change.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 12, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "section 28 of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 12 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the following in line 37: "section 28", and strike out the first word in line 38, said word being "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 13, line 41, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the word "Acqusition", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Acquisition".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 17, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "(period)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 21, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, insert "thoroughfares," after "alleys,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 22, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the period following the word "part", insert in lieu thereof a comma followed by the following new matter, "including the relocation or removal of, or the making of structural changes in, any railroad, street or interurban railway tracks or structures, or other public utility structures or equipment, therein or thereon or within any right of way adjacent thereto, or made necessary or convenient by reason of the proposed improvement or acquisition."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 23, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the word "referee", and insert in lieu thereof the word "referees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out lines 51 and 52, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to be made on the second day of January or the second day of July (whichever month first succeeds the date of the bonds) next succeeding one year after the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 16 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out line 38, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "of July (whichever month first succeeds the date of the bonds) next succeeding one year after".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 14, 1927, insert the following new matter after the word "utility" in line 41: ", except as otherwise provided in this section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 14, 1927, insert the following new matter following line 45:

In those cases where the improvement consists entirely of a separation of grades at any crossing of a street railroad, interurban railroad or railroad by any public way, or vice versa, as provided in section 50 hereof, all operative property owned or operated by the public utility which owns or operates the said railroad shall be omitted from the district and from the levy and collection of special assessment taxes therefor where any part of the cost and expense of such construction is to be, or has been, under an order of the railroad commission of this state, or pursuant to the provisions of any franchise owned or operated by such public utility, borne or paid by such public utility; but where the work of constructing such grade separation, a part of the cost of which is so borne or paid by such public utility, constitutes only a part of the improvement or improvement and acquisition included in the proceeding, the operative property owned and operated by such public utility in the district shall be separately zoned to relieve such property from the levy and collection of any special assessment taxes to cover the expense of the construction of such grade

separation, and the percentage assigned to such zone shall represent only the proportionate part of the benefits accruing to such property from the remainder of such improvement or improvement and acquisition, exclusive of the cost and expense of such grade separation.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

HON. ROBERT F. FISHER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Robert F. Fisher, member of the Assembly from the Second Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 19—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill after the word "thereafter" insert the following: The provisions of this section shall apply notwithstanding the employment of the attorney of record who is a member of the Legislature, occurs after the election of such attorney of record to the office of member of the Legislature.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 8, 1927, after the word "fee", add the words "which examination fee shall cover all examinations prior to the issuance of such original broker's license."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 32, inclusive.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachment and execution.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 77—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 265—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 559½, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 273—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 956*a*, to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to remedial powers of the appellate courts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 411 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 596—An act to amend the Civil Code by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 161*a* thereof, relating to the respective interests of husband and wife in community property, and more clearly defining the same.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 4463 of the Political Code, relating to newspapers.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 642—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 20, 31, 65, 80, 83 and 105, and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered sections 31*e* and 31*d*, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 485—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code of the State of California, to be numbered 2290, relating to rights of banks purchasing other banking institutions.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 486—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*g*, relating to the stopping of payment of checks.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 487—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3321, relating to the measure of damages by the payment of a check which has been ordered stopped.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 488—An act to repeal section 321 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to books of banks which shall be open to inspection.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 489—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*f*, relating to actions for paying checks after payment has been stopped.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 696—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 695—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 849—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 26, to provide for the dissolution of such levee districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 2322*x*24, relating to the office of the horticultural commissioners in counties of the twenty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, lines 19 and 20, of the printed bill, as amended March 2, 1927, strike out the words "eight thousand four hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "six thousand".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article IIb of Chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered 361e, 361f and 361g, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Agriculture all of the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the State Land Settlement Board and of all members, officers, deputies and employees of said board, and abolishing said board and the positions of all officers, deputies and employes thereunder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1194 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 291 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Consitutional Amendment No. 31—Relative to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons.

Constitutional amendment read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed amendment, after the word "circumstances" strike out the semicolon and the following: "*provided*, that the Legislature shall have power to grant aid to", and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the word "or".

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 867 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1065 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., and Gant—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved

March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murphy moved that Assembly Bill No. 803 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 803 to Committee on Fish and Game.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1129 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 140 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley,

Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 207 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 471 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Bernard, Rochester, and Witter—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Hawes: An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

By Mr Patterson: An act to be known as the "Estate Tax Act," to establish a tax on legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter eight hundred twenty-one of the laws of the session

of the Legislature of California of 1921, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, effective August 13, 1923, and July 24, 1925, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act

By Mr Hedges An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Also: An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Remdollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1172 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Baum moved that Assembly Bill No. 4 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 4 to Committee on Reapportionment.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 108 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1200 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1217 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant,

Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, development, diversion, storage conservation, and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 1008 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Conservation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1008 to Committee on Conservation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Nielsen moved that Assembly Bill No. 1229 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1229 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Feigenbaum moved that Senate Bill No. 263 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 263 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Sewell waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1231 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1231 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

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

REASSEMBLED

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

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exaction of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property of equivalent value, providing for the protection of money put up as a cash bond and providing penalties for violation of the act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act establishing a regional fair to be held annually in the city of Riverside, to create the southern California Regional Board of Agriculture and defining the powers and duties of the officers and members of the same and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Patterson: Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to be known as the "Estate Tax Act," to establish a tax on legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 821 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1921, approved June 3, 1921, as amended effective August 13, 1923, and July 24, 1925, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Hedges: Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 25—An act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled "An act declaring property infested with certain rodents to be a public nuisance; requiring owners, occupants, and persons having possession of or dominion over such property to endeavor to exterminate and destroy such rodents; providing for the inspection of property by boards of health and health officers; authorizing boards of supervisors and other governing bodies to purchase materials and employ inspectors to prosecute such work of extermination; authorizing State and local health authorities to prosecute such work in certain cases; providing for the payment of the expense thereof; making the amount of such expense a lien on the property, providing for the collection of such amount by foreclosure of such lien and declaring any violation of the provisions thereof to be a misdemeanor," approved March 13, 1909, relating to the extermination of certain rodents;

Also, Senate Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class,

Also Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations;

Also Senate Bill No 641—An act to amend section 19b of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation officers.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 25 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 101 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 544 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 641 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family.

Also Assembly Bill No 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the

payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes, and for the preformance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act; and providing limitations on the granting of such use.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by amending section 22 of article IV, relating to the expenditure of public money in State aid.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 2145, 2153*a*, 2187, 2189, 2090, 2191, and 2192 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions;

Also Senate Bill No. 262—An act to amend section 36 of the Civil Code, relating to the disaffirmance of contracts by minors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 394—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases;

Also, Senate Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 254 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 262 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 394 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 414 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 432—An act to

amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 1, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 251 is herewith returned without my approval.

This is a county government bill relating to the salaries of officers in counties of the fiftieth class.

The author has discovered certain defects and has requested that the bill be not signed.

Respectfully,

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Wherrell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the eightieth and eighty-first fiscal years.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Kelsey moved that Assembly Bill No. 1068 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1068 to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title *Xa* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 690 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19x40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 564 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers, and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 307 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J. Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 148—An act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of Capri figs, vesting the enforcement thereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, defining

their powers and duties hereunder, and providing a penalty for violation hereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 148 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 124 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 348—An act to establish standards for field crop products and related agricultural products, providing for the sampling, grading, inspection and certification thereof, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act, establishing the field crops inspection fund and repealing the California Grain Standardization Act, approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 348 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Leymel,

Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 123 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 12 and 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and shall in all cases file his original notes with said clerk"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, add "to reporters in the superior courts of this state".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 399, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1027 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Minter, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar,

Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 763 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1197*c*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1170 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the management of community real property.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Commitee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out commencing with the first word "The" on page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, down to and including the word "him", in line 5, page 1, and insert the following: "The husband has the management and control of the community real property acquired by him or by the community earnings of both spouses jointly, or which is held in the name of both, and the wife shall have the control and management of the community real property acquired by her in the practice of a profession, the conduct of a business, or as wages, *provided*, that each must join with the other, personally, or by duly authorized agent,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "section", insert the following, "affecting any property standing of record in the name of the husband alone,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 519, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of the bill, Mr. Clowdsley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed and amended measure, strike out the words "three thousand five hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Such sum as shall be prescribed by law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed and amended measure, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and the following: "*provided*, that the amount which the state shall pay upon the salaries of superior court judges, shall be equal and the same in each case, and no greater amount shall be paid by the state upon any one than upon the salary of any other superior court judge"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Clowdsley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOWDSLEY, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered engrossed, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to create a State Building Department; providing for the appointment of the members of such depart-

ment; prescribing the powers and duties of such department; providing for the issuance of licenses by such department and fixing the fees for such licenses; providing the method for revocation of such licenses; prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Kelsey moved that Assembly Bill No. 1050 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1050 to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 240—An act to amend the title and to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 9, 11, 16, 23*a* and 24 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended, and to add to said act a section, to be numbered 24*b*, relating to reassessment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 240?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

That in line 9, page 1, of said bill, the word "svamp" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "swamp".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

That in line 46, page 2, of said bill, the word "lie" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "lies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

That in line 33, page 3, of said bill, the word "overflowed" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "overflow".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 240 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4*a* and to amend the title and sections 1, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amal-

gams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses and reports—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 110?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the amended printed bill, line 2, after the word "amend" insert the following: "the title and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the amended printed bill, following "Section 1." strike out "Section 1" and insert in lieu thereof the words "The title".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the amended printed bill, following line 10, insert the following: "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, refining, purchasing or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. Section 1 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 15, of the amended printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 24, of the amended printed bill, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 36, of the amended printed bill, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 110 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 843—an act to amend section one thousand one hundred sixty-three of the Code of Civil Procedure—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 843?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, line 2, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "relating to jurisdiction of superior courts and justices' courts".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 843 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker —49.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, April 4, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 4, 1927.

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

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Williamson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Reindollar was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, Mr. Easley was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williams, Mr. Keaton was granted leave of absence for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

CITY CLERK, CITY OF LOS ANGELES,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, April 1, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Care of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

GREETINGS. At a meeting of the council held this day the following report of the legislative committee was adopted:

"Your legislative committee having had under consideration communication from the Irrigation Districts Association of California, requesting the council to urge the Senators and Assemblymen from Los Angeles County to support Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27, we recommend that the council endorse this request and instruct the city clerk to send copy of this report to the members of the State Legislature from Los Angeles County and request them to vote for the submission to the people of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27."

Respectfully,

ROBT. DOMINGUEZ, City Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor, and creating a revolving fund and providing for the apportionment of school funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions,

Also Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor, prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation, providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration or departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owner and/or operator of any oil well, to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil-bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to water rights;

Also: Assembly Bill No 651—An act to amend section 2322*a*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take Pismo clams for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of Pismo clams, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 61 and 131 of the Civil Code, and to repeal section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to interlocutory decrees for divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended relating to definitions of terms;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4308*a*, creating a special fund for certain expenses incurred by grand juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*x*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled, 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State Commissioner thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend section 514, 515, and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to definition of the term "injury" as used in such Workmen's Compensation Act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above concurrent resolution ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 5—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to penalty on delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 2322*x*18 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendents of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to amend section 2322*a*23 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1618*b*, relating to the education of persons in tubercular sanatoriums and preventoriums;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by amending sections 13, 19, 19*b*, 22*b* and 25 thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by adding a section thereto to be designated as section 27*b*, relating to the deposit of funds of irrigation districts in banks, the receiving of interest thereon, and the taking of security for the safe-keeping thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44, 47 and 47½ thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend California Irrigation District Act approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 85, 86, 87, and 90 thereof, relating to the inclusion of land within districts after their organization;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 56 thereof, relating to interference by irrigation districts with property subject to public use;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 55 thereof, relating to funds and revenue of districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner and inspectors in counties of the seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act authorizing suits against the State, relating to certain real property and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2636 of the Political Code, relating to the naming of public highways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of reclamation district number two thousand forty-seven, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof, and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 4408*a*, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of justices' court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of reclamation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 865—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization and existence of irrigation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend sections 8, 9, and 10 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California to, the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to

make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 1112—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 359b, relating to the Governor's Council:

And reports the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on this first day of April, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully **reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be referred to Committee** on Ways and Means.

FRY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F Huberty against the State of California.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and **recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.**

WILLIAMS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. Wherrell: An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the eightieth and eighty-first fiscal years

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

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

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Olivar, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of

county officers in counties of the twenty-third class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 202?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "each of said clerks" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and said clerk".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 47 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the number "20" and insert in lieu thereof the number "19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the number "21" and insert in lieu thereof the number "20".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 202 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the head of any State department, with the approval of the Department of Finance, to destroy records—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 897?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, after the words "Section 1.", strike out the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Unless otherwise provided for by law, the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "be".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 897 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 168?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "may, at least fifteen days before the first day of the month in which the board of supervisors is required by law to levy the taxes required for county purposes," and insert in lieu thereof the words "must on or before the tenth day of July".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "supervisors", strike out the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the word "must".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 168 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to revise an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 169?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "classes" and insert in lieu thereof the word "classics".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "August first" and insert in lieu thereof "July twentieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, following the word "like" insert the word "kind".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "prepared" and insert in lieu thereof the word "prepaid".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 169 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1858*a*, relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 176?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "common" and insert in lieu thereof the word "elementary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "common" and insert in lieu thereof the word "elementary".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 176 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 1 to 21, inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the state board of prison directors from time to time to fix the price, and to give public notice of the same, at which jute goods shall be sold by the state, which price so fixed shall not be more than one cent per bag in excess of the net cost of producing the same exclusive of the labor of prisoners and guards. Notice of the price fixed shall be given by publication in at least three

newspapers of general circulation, printed and published as follows, to wit: one in Sacramento Valley, one in San Joaquin Valley and one in Salinas Valley.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers and sleeping car companies of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exaction of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property of equivalent value, providing for the protection of money put up as a cash bond and providing penalties for violation of the act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, lines 6, 7 and 8 of the title, strike out the following: "of equivalent value providing for the protection of money put up as a cash bond", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "under certain restrictions, or unless said cash put up as a bond is deposited in a savings account in a bank under certain restrictions,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the following: ", or is to be entrusted,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", or unless the said employer advances regularly to his or its employee goods, wares or merchandise to be delivered or sold by said employee, for which goods, wares or merchandise the said employer is reimbursed by said employee at regular periodic intervals, and limits said cash bond to an amount sufficient to cover the value of the goods, wares, or merchandise so advanced during the period prior to the payment therefor, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "employment", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", *and, further*, unless the said cash put up as a bond is, in any case, accompanied by an agreement or contract in writing entered into by and between said employer and said employee or applicant for employment setting forth the conditions under which said bond is given."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "employment", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and/or the fulfillment of the contract or agreement."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act establishing a regional fair to be held annually in the city of Riverside, to create the Southern California Regional Board of Agriculture and defining the powers and duties of the officers and members of the same and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 5 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers, of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the state, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act", approved April 17, 1909, as amended, relating to the classification of counties into agricultural districts.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 25, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. Section 1 of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the state, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 17, 1909, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1. The several counties of this state are divided and classified into agricultural districts, and numbered as follows, to wit

District 1. The counties of San Francisco and Alameda shall constitute agricultural district number one.

District 2. The county of San Joaquin shall constitute agricultural district number two.

District 3. The county of Butte shall constitute agricultural district number three.

District 4 The counties of Sonoma and Marin shall constitute agricultural district number four.

District 5. The counties of San Mateo and Santa Clara shall constitute agricultural district number five.

District 6 The county of Los Angeles shall constitute agricultural district number six.

District 7. The county of Monterey shall constitute agricultural district number seven.

District 8. The county of El Dorado shall constitute agricultural district number eight.

District 9. The county of Humboldt shall constitute agricultural district number nine

District 10. The county of Siskiyou shall constitute agricultural district number ten.

District 11. The counties of Plumas and Sierra shall constitute agricultural district number eleven: *provided*, that the first fair held in the eleventh agricultural district after the passage of this act shall be held in Sierra County; the next fair in Plumas County, and thereafter said counties shall so alternate in holding such fairs.

District 12. The counties of Lake and Mendocino shall constitute agricultural district number twelve.

District 13 The counties of Sutter and Yuba shall constitute agricultural district number thirteen.

District 14. The county of Santa Cruz shall constitute agricultural district number fourteen.

District 15. The county of Kern shall constitute agricultural district number fifteen

District 16. The county of San Luis Obispo shall constitute agricultural district number sixteen.

District 17. The county of Nevada shall constitute agricultural district number seventeen.

District 18. The counties of Mono, Inyo, and Alpine shall constitute agricultural district number eighteen.

District 19. All that portion of Santa Barbara County lying east of the Gaviota and south of the Santa Ynez mountains, shall constitute agricultural district number nineteen.

District 20. The county of Placer shall constitute agricultural district number twenty.

District 21. The counties of Fresno and Madera shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-one.

District 22 The county of San Diego shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-two.

District 23. The county of Contra Costa shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-three

District 24. The counties of Tulare and Kings shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-four.

District 25. The county of Napa shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-five

District 26 The county of Amador shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-six.

District 27. The counties of Shasta and Trinity shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-seven

District 28. The county of San Bernardino shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-eight.

District 29. The county of Tuolumne shall constitute agricultural district number twenty-nine.

District 30 The county of Tehama shall constitute agricultural district number thirty.

District 31. The county of Ventura shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-one.

District 32. The county of Orange shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-two.

District 33. The county of San Benito shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-three.

District 34. The county of Modoc shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-four.

District 35. The counties of Merced and Mariposa shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-five.

District 36. The county of Solano shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-six.

District 37. All that portion of Santa Barbara county not included in agricultural district number nineteen shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-seven.

District 38. The county of Stanislaus shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-eight.

District 39. The county of Calaveras shall constitute agricultural district number thirty-nine.

District 40 The county of Yolo shall constitute agricultural district number forty.

District 41. The county of Del Norte shall constitute agricultural district number forty-one.

District 42 The county of Glenn shall constitute agricultural district number forty-two.

District 43. The county of Lassen shall constitute agricultural district number forty-three.

District 44. The county of Colusa shall constitute agricultural district number forty-four.

District 45. The county of Imperial shall constitute agricultural district number forty-five.

District 46. The county of Riverside shall constitute agricultural district number forty-six.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Witter moved that Assembly Bill No 1242 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1242 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the creation of a fund for making exhibitions of products and the assistance of local fair associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 579—An act to authorize the Director of Agriculture to provide for the certification of fruits, vegetables and other farm products, to cooperate with the United States Department of Agriculture in carrying out the provisions of this act, to provide for the payment of fees, to establish a fruit and vegetable certification fund and revolving fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 200—An act to amend sections 1, 3 and 8 and add a new section to be known as 3*a* of an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 845—An act providing for the use of labor of inmates of any State prison or of the Preston School of Industry upon public roads and defining the powers and duties of public officials in relation thereto.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Wherrell: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the eightieth and eighty-first fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Crittenden, Bernard, Mixter and Adams: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Relative to provision for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith.

Referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29—Relative to investigation and report as to newspapers that are owned, financed or subsidized by public utility corporations.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Byrne asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29—Relative to investigation and report as to newspapers that are owned, financed or subsidized by public utility corporations.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jost, Kelsey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, and Wright—26.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 29.

Relative to investigation and report as to newspapers that are owned, financed or subsidized by public utility corporations.

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States, at the last session of that body, had before it for consideration the Swing-Johnson Bill, providing for the development of the Colorado River; and

WHEREAS, The Swing-Johnson Bill appears to have been blocked through the efforts of a powerful power corporation lobby at Washington, D. C., during the last session of Congress, assisted through the columns of newspapers reputed to be owned and, or controlled by, power corporations; and

WHEREAS, The authors of the Swing-Johnson Bill and other citizens of the State of California who are deeply interested in the welfare of this State intend to make an effort to secure the passage of this legislation at the next session of Congress; and

WHEREAS, The enactment of legislation as provided in the Swing-Johnson Bill is of vital importance to the future welfare of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, Certain newspapers in the State which appear to be owned or controlled by power corporations, or officials of power corporations, are at the present time attacking advocates of this legislation and printing misleading statements with reference thereto; and

WHEREAS, The newspapers of the State are the greatest factors in the development of public sentiment within the State; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That a committee of five members of the Legislature be appointed to conduct an investigation and ascertain what newspapers in the State of California, if any, are owned, financed or subsidized by public utility corporations, or owned, financed or subsidized by the officials of public utility corporations. Three members of the committee shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly and two members of the committee shall be appointed by the President of the Senate. The committee shall make the investigation provided herein and report their findings to the present session of the Legislature.

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid equally from

the contingent fund of the Senate and Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of the said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

Resolved, That said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all things necessary to make a full and complete investigation of the matters and objects hereinbefore referred to, and is hereby authorized and empowered to require the production of persons, books, agreements, documents, recommendations and papers of every kind; to issue subpœnas and to take all necessary means to compel the attendance of witnesses, and to procure testimony, and the members of said committee are and each of them is hereby authorized to administer oaths; and all the provisions of article VIII of chapter II, title I, part III of the Political Code of the State relative to the attendance and assemblage of witnesses before the Legislature and committees thereof, shall apply to the committee appointed under this resolution.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO ON ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

The question being put: Shall Assembly Bill No. 251 become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

WHEREAS, The present State prisons located at San Quentin and at Folsom are insufficient in size and inadequate in equipment to properly care for the large influx of prisoners; and

WHEREAS, Such influx of prisoners is annually increasing; and

WHEREAS, The transportation of such prisoners sentenced from the southern counties of this State to and from said prisons is a difficult and hazardous task; and

WHEREAS, The transportation of prisoners sentenced from the southern counties of this State is expensive and imposes an undue burden upon the taxpayers of this State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Speaker of the Assembly shall appoint three members and the President of the Senate shall appoint two members, who shall act as a committee of the Legislature to investigate the matters contained in this resolution and the advisability of locating a prison in the southern counties of this State and the best available location therefor, and the estimated cost thereof and to report their findings in full to the forty-seventh session of the Legislature; and be it further

Resolved, That the expenses incurred in such investigation, not to exceed the sum of $500, shall be paid equally by the Assembly and the Senate out of their respective contingent funds.

Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 401 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 807 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock and twenty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
April 4, 1927.

To the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California.

Decisions have just been rendered, one by the Supreme Court of California, and two by the United States Supreme Court, which threaten very grave consequences to our taxation system and to our State revenues unless the situation is at once met by appropriate legislation.

By the first of these decisions corporations organized outside of this State are exempted from the payment of corporation license taxes. This not only entails a loss to the State of nearly half a million dollars per year, but also imposes a discrimination against our own domestic corporations. Manifestly this injustice to California corporations must not be permitted to continue.

The other decisions are even graver in their consequences, and, unless cared for by the Legislature, will mean a probable tax loss amounting to millions of dollars as well as serious confusion in our system of bank taxation. These decisions of the United States Supreme Court deal with cases arising in Wisconsin and Minnesota, and are based on the method of taxing so-called "intangible" property in those states. If applied to California, where similar laws prevail, they will wipe out practically all taxation on our national banks. This would not only be unfair to our State banks, which would still be taxed as at present, but would also unquestionably not be welcomed by the national banks themselves, which have never evidenced any desire to escape their fair share of the tax burden.

Fortunately these decisions have been handed down while this Legislature is still in session, and the State can therefore be saved from the major part of the danger with which it is threatened. The State Board of Equalization, State Controller, Board of Control and Attorney General have been busily engaged in working on the problem, and legislation is being suggested in the form of bills to accomplish the following:

First—To extend to our California corporations the relief from license taxes which the decision accords to foreign corporations.

Second—To adjust the tax on general corporate franchises to the present proper rate as determined by the State Board of Equalization:

Third—To eliminate the differential classification of so-called "intangible" property, on which the decisions affecting national bank taxation were based.

These steps are designed only to meet emergencies presented by these recent court decisions and will neither produce any increase in State revenues or effect any change in our tax system beyond what the decisions themselves render absolutely imperative. By this method our tax system may be properly safeguarded, and our State banks and domestic corporations may be assured of no greater tax burden than is borne by national banks and foreign corporations.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

MOTION TO REFER.

On motion of Mr. Coombs, the above message was ordered referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and twenty-eight minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jacobson, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Morrison:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill the title of which reads as follows:

An act creating a Board of Naturopathic Examiners, appointments, term of office, filling vacancies, qualifications of members of the board empowering Governor to remove members of board; appointment of the first board, meetings of the board, offices and suboffices, legal proceedings against the board, designation of applicant by number, examinations, licenses, applicants failing to make required grade, educational requirements and examination fee; examinations, length of course and subjects required, signing of license by board and authority for seal, authorizing board to approve or disapprove of schools and providing for court appeal upon such decisions; exemption clauses, defining practice as referred to in this act, recording of licenses, empowering board to refuse to grant or revoke or suspend any license to practice, reciprocity, powers and privileges of naturopaths; per diem and expenses of board secretary's salary, powers of board to adopt rules and regulations; providing for prosecution of violators of this act, monthly report to state controller of moneys received, definition of naturopathy; payment of renewal license fees; neglect or refusal of licentiate to pay annual renewal fee, providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Roberts:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. West:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Scudder:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr. Jewett:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and

providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California relative to municipal utility districts.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jones:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code and to repeal section 3627*a* of said code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Roland:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, 409, and 410, relating to foreign corporations.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Parkman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled, "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that section 7 of article XII of the constitution of said State relating to the extension of franchises and charters and the remission of forfeitures of franchises and charters of corporations be amended:

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Selecting and designating two illustrious deceased persons whose statues in marble or bronze shall hereafter be provided and furnished by the State of California to be placed in National Statuary Hall.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15 read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on March 31 passed Senate Bill No. 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12,

13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 90 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to devises for charitable purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 834—An act to amend sections 11 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 825 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 834 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 652—An act creating in the Division of Libraries a Commission on California Representation at the National Statuary Hall at Washington, District of Columbia, and defining the powers and duties thereof,

Also. Senate Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10*a*, and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution, of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 12, relating to the formation and dissolution of county fire protection districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom and the satisfaction of the obligations thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court,

Also Senate Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision;

Also. Senate Bill No. 727—An act to amend section 453*hh* of the Civil Code, relating to land value insurance corporations,

Also. Senate Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 452*b*, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and providing that such associations shall not pay or agree to pay any remuneration for solicitation of membership applications until they have complied with section 609 of the Political Code, and shall have procured a certificate of authority from the Insurance Commissioner, and shall have complied with all of the laws of this State applicable to such associations.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 652 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 687 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 688 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 717 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 727 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 739 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge;

Also: Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein.";

Also: Senate Bill No. 449—An act to amend sections 4039 and 4076 of the Political Code, relating to claims against the county and records thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights;

Also: Senate Bill No. 499—An act to authorize the repayment of money paid or collected by error or mistake or under an unconstitutional law;

Also: Senate Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 319 of the Civil Code, relating to the place of corporate meetings;

Also: Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 2322aS of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, clerks and inspectors in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to fish and game districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 382 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Senate Bill No. 430 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 449 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 492 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No. 499 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 503 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 507 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 635 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 158—An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities therein; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such

districts to meet the cost of such improvements; and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements;

Also Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend.

Also Senate Bill No 261—An act to amend section 629*a* of the Political Code, relating to group life insurance and valuation thereof.

Also Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts, for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water, for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½ to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto;

Also Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor.

Also Senate Bill No 358—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, by adding a new section to be numbered 41*c*, relating to payment of assessments in two installments, and repealing an act inconsistent herewith

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 158 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 233 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 261 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Senate Bill No 325 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 326 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Senate Bill No. 358 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 11?—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*i*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1176?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "board of state parks" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "state parks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "parks" and insert in lieu thereof the word "park".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "parks" and insert in lieu thereof the word "park".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "bodies" and insert in lieu thereof the word "officers".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1176 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolutions:

By Mr. Jones:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of $100; said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office;

Also: *Resolved*, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $515.02 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

E. H. Cox, hanging flags in Assembly room	$5 00
Emerson Manufacturing Co., flags for Chamber	66 00
Cascade Towel Supply, January 3 to March 1, 1927	33 68
Mrs. Virginia Crossan, illuminating Memorial Resolution for Alfred Murray	7 50
Mrs. Virginia Crossan, illuminating Memorial Concurrent Resolution No. 18	10 00
Cascade Towel Supply	49 30
Department of Finance	61 96
State Purchasing Department	281 58
	$515 02

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 615 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 624 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of

said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905, approved May 31, 1917," as amended, relating to salaries of the superintendent and employees of Bureau of Criminal Identification.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 634 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 633—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections, to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 633 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 810 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters,

Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—55
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 889 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ARCHIBALD E. BROCK IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Archibald E. Brock, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-eighth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 530 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—61.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Little gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 530 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease

the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 531 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Little gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 531 was this day passed.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-three minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 532 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Little gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 532 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 760 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Rochester—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHARLES C. SPALDING IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Charles C. Spalding, member of the Assembly from the Forty-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 615 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—55.

NOES—Burns, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, Rochester, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—9.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 615 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 712 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 3664*e* of the Political Code, relating to the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1163 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 709 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. West moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the following: "and Orange", and insert in lieu thereof the following: " , Orange and Sacramento".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out lines 10, 11 and 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of Orange and Sacramento is six thousand five hundred dollars, three thousand dollars of which shall be paid by the state and the remainder thereof by the county for which the judges are elected or appointed."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. West as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 290, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WEST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 1236 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1236 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1106 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith,

Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure six new sections to be numbered 741*a* to 741*f*, inclusive, relating to the rights of persons who have in good faith made permanent improvements or paid taxes or assessments upon real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1043 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—51.
NOES—Carter, Sewell, and Williamson—3

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 861 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1072—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hawes moved that Assembly Bill No. 1072 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1072 to Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 961 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 259 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Ball gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 259 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jost moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, following the word "feed", strike out the words "and licenses therefor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, following the word "that", strike out the remainder of the line, and on line 16 strike out all to and including the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, following the period strike out the remainder of the bill.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jost as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 637, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4308*a*, creating a special fund for certain expenses incurred by grand juries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 715 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 667 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Smith—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*x*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants, and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 717 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 300 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation, providing for a board of examiners and a clerk thereof, to be

under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said board of examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. West moved that Assembly Bill No. 626 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 626 to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, after the word and comma "search,", add the words "or who while so engaged shall without a search warrant".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 117, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, March 24, 1927, Friday, March 25, 1927, Monday, March 28, 1927, Tuesday, March 29, 1927, and Wednesday, March 30, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 5, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 5, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor: Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Reindollar was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Patterson, Mr. Jespersen was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. W. S. Kirk of Placerville, El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. H. S. Lyon, District Attorney of El Dorado County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Misses Ruth Peterson and Martha J. Ferguson, teachers of the Sierra School, Sacramento, and the following pupils: Gene Tregellas, Betty Gaylord, Priscilla Reed, Mildred Allen, Naomi Brown, Betty Wiseman, Catherine Burch, Rosalind Fraser, Bettibelle Cook, Celia Mills, Julia Walsh, Emily Rohier, Catherine

Peasgood, Elise Boullion, Helen Burdick, Betty Vincent, Beth Ryman, Norine Jennings, Rosalind Morshead, Catherine Haddock, Arleen Heltwood, Janice Fulton, Emiline Pylman, Mary Jane Manante, Elethea Solski, Ethelyn Bogart, Frances Clayton, Mary Mack, Lois Lloyd, Harold Peterson, David Larson, Charles Glover, John Callaghan, Albert Magahaski, Charles Lawrence, Able Sequeirra, Todd Zagoren, Robert Pylman, William Smith, Frank Stoneburner, Hoyt Snyder, Barney Dixon, Frank Merwin, Robert Whitman, Beverly Arnold, Tom Callaghan, Eugene Watchhorst, Alexander Macdonald, and Jackson Lawlor were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, T. C. McDaniel, assistant superintendent schools of Solano County, Mrs. M B. Wilson, principal at Peaceful Glen, Solano County, Mrs. Lois McKean of Pitts district, Miss Cecelia McElwaine of Owen, Mrs. Bertha Young of Wolfskill, Mrs. Alice Hunsberger of Silveyville, Miss Agnes O'Brien of Grant, Miss Laverne Preston of Milzner, Miss Ada Allan of Fremont, and Miss Anna Kyle, county supervisor music, Solano County, all of the rural schools of Solano County, and the following pupils: Stephen Katona, Katherine Sweeney, Agnes Ford, Carrie Conner, Anna Ford, Myrtle Richey, Alice Gannon, Pearl Gustafson, Evelyn McNamara, Henrietta Haase, Geraldine Buhlert, Elmer Schroeder, Albert Dally, Marion Phillips, Francis Burroughs, Fred Adiego, David Muller, George Jesser, Irving T. Lockie, Richard Parkhurst, Harold Farrlero, Florence Hubback, Stella Nunes, Ester Johnsson, George Buhler, Uriel L. Rutherford, Carter Sisson, Antone Dettling, John Mariani, Theresa Panizza, Kenneth Schroeder, Mamie Azevedo, Marjorie Eibe and Edna Bibby were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Ella L Wohlfrom and Mercedes McGinnis, teachers of the Marshall School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Norman Bakulich, Floyd Dozier, Douglas Dudrow, Dell Fishback, Jack Hoffman, Raymond Keck, Charles Phelan, Claudius Richardson, Chester Smith, Bill Tuttle, Carl Wilson, Larry Wipf, Charles Zeitler, Alice Ellis, Mary Gomes, Kathryn Hails, Harriet Heitman, Eleanor Herr, Alice Hylton, Betty King, Martha Quinan, Beulah Reeder, Laura Soares, Jane Speich, Fama Vaughn, Marie Wycoff, Cameron Bier, Everett Bryant, Walter Coppinger, Edward Dolder, Billie Hall, Melvin Hawtry, Craig Hyde, Fred Jones, Robert Keck, Francis Lozano, William Pisani, Glenn Robinson, Donald Tempest, Evelyn Evans, Irene Gordon, Dorothy Jones, Mary Lu Johnson, Catherine Kennedy, Maxine Marshall, Jessie Mae Meier, Eleanor Meredith, Jean Ottestad, Lucille Ramsey, Dorothy Smitherham, Donna Wight, Nettie Wight and Aileen Yoder were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mr. and Mrs Frank C. Cope of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cope of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. P. H. Rouse of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Grant P. Merrill of Alpine County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Noyes:

LIVE OAK FARM CENTER.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted at a meeting held on the fifteenth day of February, 1927:

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process, in the past, filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris to such extent as to cause our rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with sand and gravel to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose; and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife which greatly embittered the residents of the farming sections of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains, and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the counties and the farmers in reclamation and protection projects made necessary by hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the lands of the farmers made necessary to pay for these projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees which are now built as high as is practical, inadequate to hold the water in the streams; and

WHEREAS, Our past experience has assured us that no dam can be so constructed as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the streams by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are assured that a great portion of the debris from hydraulic mines now passes and will continue to pass over any dam that may be constructed and so on down into the valley, thus continuing to fill the rivers; and

WHEREAS, A number of the streams of the Sacramento Valley are now so filled with hydraulic mining debris that the present bed of the river is, in many places, above the natural ground outside the levees, therefore, be it

Resolved, By Live Oak Farm Center, whose personnel has borne their share of the burden of the fight in the past and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, that we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by the hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through our valley and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent the resumption of hydraulic mining, and, if necessary, to reorganize the Anti-debris Association and carry on the fight as in the past, for the protection of our homes and this beloved valley.

(Signed) HOWARD H. HARTER, President.

Attest. MRS. FRANK WITT Secretary.

Also:

ARBOGA FARM CENTER.

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process, in the past, filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris, to such an extent as to destroy the navigability of the Feather River and to cause other rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with sand and gravel to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose; and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife, which greatly embittered the residents of the farming section of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains; and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the county and the farmers in reclamation and protection of projects made necessary by hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the land of the farmers made necessary to pay for these projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any great extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees, which are now built as high as practicable, experience has assured us that no dam can be constructed in such a manner as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the stream by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are convinced that a great portion of the debris from the mines now operating above the structure known as Bullard's Bar dam is now passing over the top of the dam and on down into the valley below, thus continuing to fill the rivers more and more; and

WHEREAS, In many places along some of our rivers the present bed of the river is as high, or even higher, than the natural ground outside the present levees; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Arboga Farm Center, the personnel of which is composed of farmers, who have and are now bearing the burden of the fight in the past and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, That we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through the valley, and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent its resumption and if necessary to organize the Anti-Debris Society and carry on the fight as in the past, for our homes, and this beloved valley.

R. H. MAC MATH, President.

WILLIAM C. HANSON, Secretary.

Also:

YOLO COUNTY BOARD OF TRADE.

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 681, by Mr. Cloudman, is a request for a very large sum of money for the purpose of rejuvenating hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The report of the Department of Public Works, Division of Engineering and Irrigation, Bulletin No. 12, specifically recommends the rehabilitation of hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The report of the Hydraulic Mining Commission calls attention to the feasibility of the resumption of hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process, in the past, filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris, to such an extent as to destroy the navigability of the Feather River and to cause other rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with a sand and gravel surface to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose, and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife, and greatly embittered the residents of the farming section of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains; and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the county and the farmers in reclamation and protection projects made necessary by hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the land of the farmers made necessary to pay for those projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any great extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees, which are now built as high as practicable, inadequate, experience has assured us that no dam can be constructed in such a manner as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the stream by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are convinced that a great portion of the debris from the mines now operating above the structure of Bullard's Dam is now passing over the top of the dam and on down into the valley below, thus continuing to fill the rivers more and more; and

WHEREAS, In many places along some of the rivers the present bed of the stream is as high or higher, than the natural ground outside the present levees; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Yolo County Board of Trade, the personnel of which is composed of farmers, who have in the past, and are now bearing the burden of the fight, and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, that we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through the valley, and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent its resumption, and if

necessary to organize the anti-debris society and carry on the fight as in the past, for our homes and this beloved valley

Attest W. F. MIXON.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act; and prescribing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 603—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to vital statistics and the duties of local registrars in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part IV of the Civil Code, embracing sections 653*a*1 to 653*a*13, inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the

issuance, renewal, suspension and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 17 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation committees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 280—An act to amend section 4300*l* of the Political Code, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered chapter IIa, embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales;

Also: Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment by the State or counties, or cities, or cities and counties, of the premium or charge on official bonds when given by surety companies," approved March 25, 1903, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 543—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to the number of notaries public in counties of the second class;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 553—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54 24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes

the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

CRITTENDEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 206—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof,"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526a of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a commission on uniform State laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 681—An act appropriating money to be used for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining opera-

tions and for engineering investigations in connection therewith—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose and to levy taxes for such purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management of community real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520, and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving one certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people

of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 22 of article IV thereof, relating to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Constitutional Amendment No. 31 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 190—An act to amend section 19x4 of that part of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 3, 1921, and in effect August 2, 1921, and relating to the qualifications and salary of the employees in the office of the probation officer in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fiftieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," relating to definition of terms;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to amend section 34 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examinaton and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to the abolishing of "Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District Fund, Sutter-Butte By-pass Assessment No. 6 Emergency Fund" and providing that the moneys in said fund shall be used, expended and disbursed in accordance with, pursuant to and for the purpose set forth in chapter DLVI of the statutes of the State of California for the legislative session of the year 1919, directing the State Controller to draw his warrant and make all necessary transfers and entries concerning the moneys in said fund, directing the State Treasurer to pay the warrant and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No 448—An act to amend section 629 of the Political Code, relating to the installation and maintenance of fish screens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale, possession and use of machine rifles, automatic rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belt, or other separable mechanical device;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 768—An act granting to the regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institution of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation and use of certain lands bordering on the Pacific ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from pre-existing injury, disability or condition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend sections 2 and 9 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use or occupancy, of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add a new section to be numbered 3*a* to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno Nevada, in 1926 and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State to lease or grant franchises in real property for such purpose and to construct and maintain land and buildings for such purpose;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr Roberts An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvement, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

By Mr. Morrison: An act creating a Board of Naturopathic Examiners, appointments, term of office, filling vacancies, qualifications of members of the board, empowering Governor to remove members of board; appointment of the first board, meetings of the board, offices and suboffices, legal proceedings against the board, designation of applicant by number, examinations, licenses, applicants failing to make required grade; educational requirements and examination fee, examinations, length of course and subjects required, signing of license by board and authority for seal; authorizing board to approve or disapprove of schools and providing for court appeal upon such decisions; exemption clauses; defining practice as referred to in this act, recording of licenses, empowering board to refuse to grant or revoke or suspend any license to practice; reciprocity; powers and privileges of naturopaths; per diem and expenses of board, secretary's salary, powers of board to adopt rules and regulations; providing for prosecution of violators of this act, monthly report to State Controller of moneys received; definition of naturopathy; payment of renewal license fees; neglect or refusal of licentiate to pay annual renewal fee, providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act.

By Mr. Jewett An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California relative to municipal utility districts

JEWETT, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Parkman: An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended.

By Mr. Roland: An act to add new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, 409, and 410, relating to foreign corporations.

By Mr. Jones: An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code and to repeal section 3627*a* of said code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

By Mr. West: An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

By Mr. Scudder: An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government and operation of harbor districts for the improvement or development of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 595?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "government" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "operation" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out all of line 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "improvement" strike out the comma and insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "development" strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "protection".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 10, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 13, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "let" insert the word "to".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 595 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, expenses and fees of county officers in counties of the fourteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 888?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "of copyists" and strike out all of line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", expenses and fees of county officers in counties of the fourteenth class."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 888 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder,

Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 916—An act amending the Political Code by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 1536, to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 916?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 5, 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the matter and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for ten additional".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 14 and 15.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 8, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "for" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 916 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 665?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "9" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "10" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "11" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "9 and 10" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "12" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "13" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "14" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "13".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 665 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607e, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 536?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the comma following the syllable "lish"; also strike out the words "maintain, and operate" in said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the comma following the word "establish".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the comma following the word "equipping".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 536 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett,

Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April, 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 738?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

SEC. 3. The provisions of this act as specified in sections 1 and 2 shall not become effective until July 1, 1928.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 738 was concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and

expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act creating a Board of Naturopathic Examiners, appointments, term of office, filling vacancies, qualifications of members of the board, empowering Governor to remove members of board; appointment of the first board, meetings of the board, offices and suboffices, legal proceedings against the board, designation of applicant by number, examinations, licenses, applicants failing to make required grade; educational requirements and examination fee; examinations, length of course and subjects required, signing of license by board and authority for seal; authorizing board to approve or disapprove of schools and providing for court appeal upon such decisions; exemption clauses; defining practice as referred to in this act, recording of licenses, empowering board to refuse to grant or revoke or suspend any license to practice; reciprocity; powers and privileges of naturopaths; per diem and expenses of board, secretary's salary; powers of board to adopt rules and regulations; providing for prosecution of violators of this act, monthly report to State Controller of moneys received; definition of naturopathy; payment of renewal license fees; neglect or refusal of licentiate to pay annual renewal fee; providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jewett: Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Muncipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Parkman: Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Roland: Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 405, 406, 408, 409 and 410, relating to foreign corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation

By Mr Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 3627*a* of said code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 615 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Kelsey, Lenehan, Melville, Miller, James A., Noyes, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Wherrell, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—24.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hedges, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—39.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Little moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 530 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY.

Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 530, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

HON. BERT B. SNYDER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. Bert B. Snyder, member of the Assembly from the Forty-third Assembly District, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Little moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 531 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 531, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 532 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—56.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 532, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Ball waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 259 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 259 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the

salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION TO RECESS.

Mr. Jones moved that further consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18 be continued until after recess.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORT OF SANTA ANA COOPERATIVE INVESTIGATIONS.

The following report was ordered printed in the Journal:

REPORT ON SANTA ANA COOPERATIVE INVESTIGATIONS.

Pursuant to chapter 476 of the Statutes of 1925, by the State Engineer and the Engineering Consulting Committee appointed by Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino counties.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
April 2, 1927.

To the Governor of California and
the State Legislature, Session of 1927.

HONORABLE SIRS: The main source of water for these three counties is the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, draining 1485 square miles above the lower canyon of the river, which is near the eastern boundary of Orange County. The grand total water crop from this area for the last thirty years has been estimated at over three hundred thousand acre feet per annum. This water is discharged largely in the form of torrential floods during the winter, followed by extreme low stages in the summer when it is most required. In Orange County 80 per cent of the total supplies is now obtained from wells and probably over 50 per cent in San Bernardino and Riverside counties. In Orange County these large drafts on the ground water supply is causing its serious depletion. The same is true in large areas in San Bernardino County. In all three counties there is an excess of land not now served with water which under its present condition has little value, but if properly supplied with water would become exceedingly productive and valuable. The winter floods frequently occur in great volume rushing to the sea and causing great damage in their course. In Los Angeles County these flood damages in 1914 and 1916 were estimated at $10,000,000. The flood in February, 1927, destroyed bridges at a loss of approximately $400,000 in Riverside County. In Orange County the flood of 1916 is estimated to have done $1,000,000 in damage. The amount of damage in San Bernardino County, while large, has not been estimated for 1927.

PLAN OF STUDY.

The three counties of Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino, realizing the importance of an adequate water supply during periods of necessity and the avoidance of flood damage, requested the State of California to assist them in finding some remedy. This resulted in the passing of a State appropriation of $25,000 to be expended during the fiscal period 1925-1927, as contained in chapter CDLXXVI of the Statutes of 1925. This instructed the State Engineer's office to carry out a water supply study in cooperation with the three counties, provided the three counties contributed an equal sum to this work. This county cooperation was obtained. Each county also appointed an engineer to represent it in consultation with the State Engineer. In addition to this the three counties are cooperating in the actual work of conserving flood waters by spreading them on the debris cones where the streams leave their mountain canyons. The water companies, which are practically all public institutions, have been expending funds in investigation for the

conservation of the winter flows by spreading in the higher portion of the mountain basins.

THE PROPOSED REMEDY.

The remedy for the problem of flood prevention and conservation as contemplated consists in the storage of flood waters in the mountains for purposes of regulation and conservation. It is also proposed to store flood waters in the lower portion of the drainage basin before they reach the coastal plain and to regulate the winter flow for summer use. By the regulation of these floods it will be possible to handle them in such a way that much greater quantities of water can be put under ground by spreading and absorption so as to sustain the ground water levels.

WORK ACCOMPLISHED

The work accomplished during the biennium under the 1925 appropriation consists of an investigation of the available water supply and of the flood flows in all the tributaries of the Santa Ana, except the San Jacinto. Reconnaissance of over forty miles of stream channel was made for reservoir sites with which their floods might be controlled. Field surveys were made of the sites found, the reservoir capacities determined, cost estimates made for several heights of dam at each site, and the degree of control of floods determined for several reservoir capacities. In all, 19 dam sites and 13 separate reservoir sites were so investigated. The foundations of two of the dam sites were explored with the diamond drill. In addition, an underground water contour map was made of the Santa Ana Basin and much data collected on the subsurface supply and the use of water.

WORK REMAINING TO BE DONE.

While the investigations provided for in the act referred to above have been carried on diligently and continuously for the last two years, the problem has been found to be so complex and involves such great values that a conclusion as to the best method of procedure and remedy can not yet be stated. Some of the dam sites surveyed have not been explored for bedrock. Others have been surveyed so recently that time has not been available for the study of plans and estimates. It is particularly important that the ground water supplies should be more thoroughly investigated, as a large portion of the water must always be derived from this source. When the physical data is complete some reasonable plan should be outlined for the improvement of the entire basin as a unit if possible.

Probably the largest undeveloped supply in southern California is the Mojave River in San Bernardino County. Very little is known of this stream except that its flood discharge is very great and its low water flow exceedingly small. Reservoir sites exist and the underlying lands are desert We recommend that this water supply study should be extended to the basin of the Mojave River.

ESTIMATED COST OF WORK.

It is proposed that the three counties should continue their studies and experiments as to the effectiveness of putting flood waters under ground by spreading operations, and that these counties should bear this portion of the expense. Partly in consideration of this, we advise that the State continue their general hydrographic studies of surface and ground waters in these three counties, including the Mojave River. The estimated cost of continuing this State work for the coming two years is $75,000.

Respectfully submitted.

PAUL BAILEY,
State Engineer.

Approved: CONSULTING ENGINEERING COMMITTEE.

J. B. LIPPINCOTT,
Representative from Orange County.

A. L. SONDEREGGER.
Representative from Riverside County.

GEO. S. HINCKLEY,
Representative from San Bernardino County.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1044, 1083*a*, 1083*b*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1096, 1096*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1113, 1115, 1120, 1121, 1125, 1142, 1151, 1174, 1192, 1195*b*, 1204, 1205, 1210, 1229, 1261, 1262, 1264, 1265 of the Political

Code, relating to registration of electors and conduct of elections—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out line 9 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the issuance of search warrants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 9 to 20, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 4*a*. No search warrant shall issue to search any private dwelling occupied as such unless it is being used for the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquor, or unless it is in part used for some business purpose such as a store, shop, saloon, restaurant, hotel, or boarding house. The term "private dwelling" shall be construed to include the room or rooms used and not occupied transiently but solely as a residence in an apartment house, hotel, or boarding house.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 118, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out all of said lines 1 and 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the board of state harbor commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 341, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the following:

Sec. 2*a*.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the following:

Sec. 2*b*.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the following:

Sec. 2*c*.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, strike out the following:

Sec. 2*d*.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 151, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Clowdsley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 13 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 30, 1927, after the figures and comma "1919,", add the following: "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended March 30, 1927, after the figures and comma "1919,", add the following: "as amended".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Clowdsley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 238, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOWDSLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the

exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Easley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "all", insert the word "other"

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. Easley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 774, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EASLEY, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 131 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 4268*a*, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 344 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger,, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 721—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*j*, relating to the building and maintenance of permanent county fair buildings by the county board of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 721 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe, J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No 143—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 143 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 617—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of duplicates of bonds, warrants and other municipal securities which have become defaced or mutilated," approved February 23, 1907.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 617 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 509—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*b*, relating to the powers and duties of governing boards of school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 509 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—61

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1721 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 469 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 321—An act empowering the State Board of Health, the State Department of Education and the State Department of Public Welfare to carry on their respective functions for the benefit of the

Indians of California to the extent that the cost of such services shall be provided for by the Congress of the United States through federal appropriations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 321 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 493 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 141—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2261 and 2262, relating to establishment of kindergarten service for the blind and for vocational training in schools for the blind.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 141 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROY BISHOP IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Roy Bishop, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 86—An act to amend section 1740 of the Political Code, relating to meeting places of high school boards.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 86 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 78 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 102—An act granting to the city of Eureka tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Eureka, and regulating the management, use and control thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 102 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 515—An act to amend sections 18 and 35 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 515 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jewett, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Patterson, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, and Woodbridge—26.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to approving one (1) certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica,

State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 500?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 8, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "news", strike out the word "wire" and insert in lieu thereof the word "service".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 9, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following words: "not subject to the provisions of section 4 of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 18, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "harbor", insert the following words: "and the University of California".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 500 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 115—An act to amend sections 1083*a*, 1094, 1095*a*, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120 and 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 115 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Ball, Croter, Deuel, Finley, Hornblower, McDonough, Melville, Roland, Wemple, Williams, and Wright—11.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 749 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James, A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 652 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 211 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1223 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1216 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn,

Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to prevent the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 42 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 524 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—Bernard, Carter, Clowdsley, Spalding, West, and Wright—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Hornblower, the consideration of Assembly Bills Nos. 117 and 118 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 6, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p. m.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections, to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d* and 16*e*, to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization

and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out, after the enacting clause, all of pages 1, 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Five new sections are hereby added to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a state laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, to be numbered respectively sections 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, and 16*e*, and to read as follows:

16*a*. The state board of health is hereby authorized to organize and establish local food inspection and enforcement divisions thereof, with headquarters at such points and with jurisdiction over such territory as the said board shall by order specify. For the purposes of this act, the term "local food inspection and enforcement division" shall be construed to mean the local health department headed by the duly appointed, qualified and acting health officer of any county, city or city and county designated by order of said board to act as such division within the territory specified in such order, which territory may include one or more counties, cities or cities and counties.

16*b*. Such local food protection and enforcement divisions shall each have power and it shall be their duty to make, or cause to be made, examinations and analyses of food on sale within the territory over which such local division has jurisdiction and suspected of being adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded, at such times and places and to such extent as the health officer of such local division shall determine. The health officer of any local food protection and enforcement division, together with his deputies, shall have, within the territory over which such local division has jurisdiction, the same powers as are possessed by peace officers of this state.

16*c*. When an examination or analysis made pursuant to the provisions of section 16*b* hereof shows that any provision of this act has been violated, notice of the fact, together with a copy of the findings thereof, shall be furnished to the party or parties from whom the sample was obtained, or who issued the guarantee, as provided in this act, and a day and place shall be fixed by the health officer of the local food protection and enforcement division, at which said parties may be heard before him. At least fifteen days notice of such hearing shall be served upon the parties interested, which hearing shall be private and confined to questions of fact. Appearances may be made in person or by attorney and testimony may be taken and evidence introduced as to the correctness of the findings made by the person making the examination or performing the analysis above referred to. If such examination or analysis be found correct, or if the party or parties fail to appear, after notice duly given as above provided, the health officer conducting the hearing shall certify the facts found to the district attorney of the county in which said adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded food was found, sold, or offered or exposed for sale. No publication as in this act provided shall be made until after said act is concluded.

16*d*. It shall be the duty of the sheriff of any county, in exercising the powers conferred upon him by section 10 hereof, to furnish samples of any and all adulterated, misbranded or mislabeled foods seized or purchased by him as in said section 10 provided, to the health officer of the local food protection and enforcement division, if any, having jurisdiction over the territory within which such seizure or purchase is made; and in carrying out the duties prescribed for him by section 17 hereof, it shall also be his duty to purchase an additional sample and forward the same to such health officer.

16*e*. The provisions of sections 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c* and 16*d* hereof shall not be construed as repealing, either directly or by implication any of the existing sections of this act, but shall be construed as constituting an alternative method of enforcing the same and of carrying out the intent and purpose thereof.

The state board of health is hereby empowered to prescribe such rules and regulations relating to the operating of the "local inspection and enforcement division" as defined in section 16*a* as it may deem necessary to carry into effect the full intent and meaning of sections 16*a*, *b*, *c*, and *d*.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 602, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 14 and 15, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 31, 1927, after the words "Such", the word "committee" having been stricken out, insert the word "commission".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 958, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOODBRIDGE, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 954 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 954 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 955 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 955 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Sewell moved that Senate Bill No. 327 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 327 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Davis moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 13 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 8, 1927, and April 1, 1927 after the figures and comma "1919,", add the following: "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12 of the printed bill as amended March 8, 1927, and April 1, 1927, after the figures and comma "1919,", add the following: "as amended".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Davis as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 241, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAVIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO PRINT IN JOURNAL.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the following decisions pertaining to legislation now pending before the California State Legislature were ordered printed in the Journal:

First National Bank of Hartford, Wis., plaintiff in error, v. City of Hartford and State of Wisconsin, Supreme Court of United States, No. 186.

The plaintiff national bank was entitled to recover a tax assessed and paid, under protest, for 1921 upon the shares of stock in the plaintiff bank, under a statute of Wisconsin, the Supreme Court of the United States held in this review, on the ground that the tax was prohibited by Revised Statutes, section 5219

Mr. Justice Stone delivered the opinion of the court as follows

Plaintiff in error, a national banking association doing business in Wisconsin, brought suit in the circuit court of Washington County, Wisconsin, to recover from the defendant in error, the City of Hartford, a tax assessed and paid for the year 1921 upon shares of stock in plaintiff bank, on the ground that the assessment and tax were prohibited by 5219 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (Act of June 3, 1864, c. 106, 13 Stat 99, 112; Act of February 10, 1868, c. 7, 15 Stat. 34).

Suit to Recover Tax Paid Under Protest The tax having been paid under protest, a suit for its recovery, raising the legality of the assessment, is permitted by local statutes. Wis Stat. 1923, section 74 73.

The trial court held the assessment illegal and gave judgment for the plaintiff. On appeal, the Supreme Court of Wisconsin reversed the judgment with a direction to the court below to enter judgment in favor of the defendant, dismissing the complaint. 187 Wis 290.

The case comes here on writ of error under section 237 of the Judicial Code. Merchants National Bank v. Richmond, 256 U. S. 635, 637; First National Bank v. Anderson, 269 U S 341, 346. The contention here is that the State Supreme Court erred in holding that these tax statutes are not repugnant to section 5219 Revised Statutes

"National banks are not merely private moneyed institutions but agencies of the United States created under its laws to promote its fiscal policies; and hence the banks, their property and their shares can not be taxed under state authority except as Congress consents and then only in conformity with the restrictions attached to its consent." First National Bank v. Anderson, supra, 347, Des Moines Bank v. Fairweather, 263 U. S. 103, 106.

Congress, by appropriate legislation, has permitted the taxation of shares in national banks subject to certain restrictions Section 5219 sanctions such taxation in the state where the bank is located, subject to the restriction that "the taxation shall not be at a greater rate than is assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of such state"

By decisions of this court construing this language, it is established that the phrase "other moneyed capital" does not embrace all moneyed capital not invested in bank shares, but "only that which is employed in such way as to bring it into substantial competition with the business of national banks." First National Bank v Anderson, supra, 348.

Hence the question presented by this record is whether the tax imposed upon the shares of stock of plaintiff under the Wisconsin statutes is at a greater rate than that imposed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of Wisconsin employed in substantial competition with national banks

By section 70 31 of the Wisconsin statutes, an ad valorem tax is assessed upon all shares of banks, including national banking associations, as personal property within the assessment district in which the bank is located. Section 70.11 exempts from such taxation "all moneys or debts due or to become due to any person and all stocks and bonds, including bonds issued by any county, town, city, village, school district, or other political subdivision of this state, not otherwise specially provided for."

No Tax on Credits or Intangible Property. Acting under these statutes, the taxing authorities imposed the tax now in question, but made no assessment and

levied no tax upon credits or intangible property other than the shares of stock in banking corporations.

The state of Wisconsin imposes a tax upon incomes, including incomes derived from credits. The court below assumed, and it was not questioned upon the argument here, that this tax is not to be taken as an equivalent or substitute for the ad valorem tax levied upon bank shares and no question of the possible equivalence of the two schemes of taxation is presented.

From the sections cited, it appears that the tax statutes of Wisconsin discriminate in favor of moneyed capital and capital investments within the state, represented by credits or intangibles, and against that invested in shares in banking corporations.

But it is not sufficient to show this discrimination alone. The validity of the tax complained of depends upon whether or not the moneyed capital in the state thus favored is employed in such a manner as to bring it into substantial competition with the business of national banks.

The question thus raised involves considerations both of fact and of law. To answer it, it is necessary to ascertain the nature and extent of the moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens within the state and the relation of its employment, in point of competition, to the business of plaintiff and other national banks. It is necessary also to ascertain the precise meaning to be given the statute as applied to the facts in hand in order to determine whether the particular moneyed capital and the particular competition with which we are here concerned are moneyed capital and competition within the spirit and purpose of the statute.

The question is thus a mixed one of law and fact, and in dealing with it we may review the facts in order correctly to apply the law. Truax v. Corrigan, 257 U. S. 312, 325; Kansas City Southern Ry. v. Albers Commission Co., 223 U. S. 573, 591. Northern Pac. Ry. v. North Dakota, 236 U. S. 585, 593; Jones National Bank v. Yates, 240 U. S. 541, 552, 553, cf. Merchants' National Bank v. Richmond, supra, 638. The opposite view expressed in Jenkins v. Neff, 186 U. S. 230, 235, must be considered discarded by the later cases.

Also, as the case is brought here from a state court for review on the ground that a federal right there set up was denied, this court is not concluded by a finding of the state court that the asserted right is without basis in fact. Aetna Life Ins. Co. v. Dunken, 266 U. S. 389, 394; Southern Pac. Co. v. Schuyler, 227 U. S. 601, 611.

The evidence shows that plaintiff in the course of its business receives deposits, loans money, has a savings department, deals in exchange, buys and sells notes, government and other bonds, discounts commercial paper and acquires real estate mortgages by loan and purchase. On the trial, plaintiff called numerous witnesses who gave testimony, uncontradicted by defendant, tending to show the nature and extent of various classes of moneyed capital in the hands of individuals in the state and the nature of its employment in competition with the business carried on by national banks.

Evidence Introduced to Prove Competition. There are real estate firms engaged in lending money to individuals in the vicinity of plaintiff's banking house, the amount thus loaned amounting annually from $250,000 to $300,000. According to the testimony, the making of these loans affords the same competition to plaintiff as loans made by banks. And similar conditions obtain throughout the state.

There are various individuals, copartnerships and corporations in the vicinity engaged in the business of acquiring and selling notes, bonds, mortgages and securities. Substantial capital is employed in their business. Others, having their place of business in Milwaukee and in Chicago, are engaged within the state in the business of buying and selling securities both in the vicinity of plaintiff's banking house and elsewhere, and employ capital for that purpose.

Securities thus acquired and offered for sale include public utility and other forms of bonds, notes and farm mortgages. In 1921, one company alone, having its place of business in Milwaukee but doing business throughout the state, including the vicinity of plaintiff's bank, sold approximately $25,000,000 of bonds and other securities. This company is shown to be affiliated with and its stock held principally by stockholders of the First Wisconsin National Bank of Milwaukee, and to have been organized for the purpose of taking over the business of the bank in dealing in securities.

Neither the capital employed in these various enterprises by individuals or corporations, so far as invested in the credits, nor the shares held by investors in such corporations is subjected to the ad valorem tax.

Upon this evidence, the trial court found that during 1921 moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens in the vicinity of plaintiff's banking house, amounting to many hundreds of thousands of dollars, which was not assessed for taxation nor taxed, was employed in a manner which brought it into competition with the business conducted by national banks, including that of plaintiff. It also found that moneyed capital to the extent of millions of dollars held by individual citizens throughout the state, and employed in a manner which brought it into competition with such banks, was similarly exempt from this taxation.

State Bank in Error in Finding no Competition. The State Supreme Court held that it was not concluded by these findings of mixed law and fact. Since the

Wisconsin tax law is one of statewide application, it took judicial notice of the general conditions within the state to which the law applies, and reached the conclusion that there was no capital in the hands of individual citizens which was invested or used in substantial competition with capital invested in shares of national banks.

In so doing, it pointed out that under section 224 03 (Wis. Stat 1923) all persons, firms and corporations doing a banking business are required to incorporate as banks and their shares are taxed in the same way and at the same rate as shares in national banks.

As the basic ground for its decision, the court stated that in consequence of these statutes, "there are no concerns or individuals within the state of Wisconsin engaged in enterprises in which the capital employed in carrying on its business, is money, 'where the object of the business is the making of profit by its use as money,' except banks. All such persons, firms and corporations are required under the laws of the state of Wisconsin to organize as banks."

But the Wisconsin statutes requiring those engaged in the banking business to incorporate as banks are expressly limited in their application to those engaged in "soliciting, receiving or accepting of money or its equivalent on deposit as a regular business." Wis. Stat. 1923, section 224.02. They have no application to transactions already described which formed the basis of the trial court's finding that competition existed.

It is not denied, and indeed it affirmatively appears from the evidence, that there are individuals, firms and corporations in Wisconsin, not required by its laws to be incorporated as banks, engaged in the business of loaning money on the security of notes, bonds, and mortgages, and buying and selling securities, all involving investment and reinvestment by them and their customers. Through the activities of these business concerns, large investments are made and remade in such securities. Large amounts of capital are thus employed in some of the ordinary banking activities although these individuals and firms do not receive deposits.

The state court did not ignore this evidence. It conceded that the local tax statutes were in fact discriminatory. But it apparently construed the decisions of this court as requiring equality in taxation only of moneyed capital invested in businesses substantially identical with the business carried on by national banks.

Consequently, since that class of business must under the Wisconsin statutes be carried on in corporate form and capital invested in it is taxed at the same rate as national bank shares, other moneyed capital, as defined in § 5219, within the state, it thought, was not favored. Under this view, if logically pursued, capital invested in business engaged in some but not all of the activities of national banks as well as that employed by individuals in investment and reinvestment in securities such as we have described could not be considered in determining the question of competition.

Equality in Taxation Interpreted in Opinion. But this court has recently had occasion, in reviewing the earlier decisions dealing with this subject, to point out that the requirement of approximate equality in taxation is not limited to investment of moneyed capital in shares of state banks or to competing capital employed in private banking. The restriction applies as well where the competition exists only with respect to particular features of the business of national banks or where moneyed capital "is employed, substantially as in the loan and investment features of banking, in making investments by way of loan, discount or otherwise, in notes, bonds or other securities, with a view to sale or repayment and reinvestment." First National Bank v. Anderson, supra, 348.

In so doing, it followed the holding in Mercantile Bank v. New York, 121 U. S. 138, 157, that,

"The terms of the act of Congress, therefore, include shares of stock or other interests owned by individuals in all enterprises in which the capital employed in carrying on its business is money, where the object of the business is the making of profit by its use as money. The moneyed capital thus employed is invested for that purpose in securities by way of loan, discount, or otherwise, which are from time to time, according to the rules of the business, reduced again to money and reinvested.

"It includes money in the hands of individuals employed in a similar way, invested in loans, or in securities for the payment of money, either as an investment of a permanent character, or temporarily with a view to sale or repayment and reinvestment In this way the moneyed capital in the hands of individuals is distinguished from what is known generally as personal property."

The amendment to section 5219 (Act of March 4, 1923, c. 267, 42 Stat. 1499), passed after the present tax was levied, provides that "bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness in the hands of individual citizens not employed or engaged in the banking or investment business and representing merely personal investments *not made in competition* with such business, shall not be deemed moneyed capital within the meaning of this section." (Italics ours.)

It is said that this enactment is a legislative interpretation of section 5219 as it stood prior to the amendment; that consequently a narrower interpretation must be given to this section than in earlier cases and that under the section before

and as amended, personal investments of individuals should, under no circumstances, be deemed included in the term competing capital.

But as was pointed out in First National Bank v. Anderson, supra, 350, the amendment did no more than put into express words that "which according to repeated decisions of this court was implied before." By its terms the amendment excludes from moneyed capital only those personal investments which are not in competition with the business of national banks.

Competition may exist between other moneyed capital and capital invested in national banks, serious in character and therefore well within the purpose of section 5219 even though the competition be with some but not all phases of the business of national banks. Section 5219 is not directed merely at discriminatory taxation which favors a competing banking business.

Competition in the sense intended arises not from the character of the business of those who compete but from the manner of the employment of the capital at their command. No decision of this court appears to have so qualified section 5219 as to permit discrimination in taxation in favor of moneyed capital such as is here contended for.

To so restrict the meaning and application of section 5219 would defeat its purpose. It was intended to prevent the fostering of unequal competition with the business of national banks by the aid of discriminatory taxation in favor of capital invested by institutions or individuals engaged either in similar businesses or in particular operations or investments like those of national banks. Mercantile Bank v. New York, supra, 155.

With the great increase in investments by individuals and the growth of concerns engaged in particular phases of banking shown by the evidence in this case and in State v. Minnesota v. First National Bank of St. Paul, today decided, discrimination with respect to capital thus used could readily be carried to a point where the business of national banks would be seriously curtailed. Our conclusion is that section 5219 is violated wherever capital, substantial in amount when compared with the capitalization of national banks, is employed either in a business or by private investors in the same sort of transactions as those in which national banks engage and in the same locality in which they do business.

Some of the cases dealing with the technical significance of the term competition in this field were decided before national banks were permitted to invest in mortgages as they now are. Act of December 23, 1913, c. 6, section 24, 38 Stat. 251, 273. Act of September 7, 1916, c. 461, 39 Stat. 752, 754; Act of February 25, 1927, section 24.

Extensive Loan Business Not Subjected to Tax. And others go no further than to hold that in the absence of allegation and proof of competition with national banking capital, it can not be said that an offending discrimination exists. And it is not sufficient to show that untaxed capital is invested in loans and securities without showing also that the class of investments favored is open to national banks.

Here, large amounts of capital are shown to be invested in business carried on throughout the state which are of the same character as some though not all of the business carried on by national banks. In two fields at least, loans and sales of credits, capital thus employed is shown to be in substantial competition with that of national banks.

The evidence might have been directed more in detail to the precise character of the competition. But that offered was uncontradicted, and when it was shown that national banks in the state of Wisconsin having a capital and surplus in excess of $50,000,000 are engaged in the business of making loans, and that there is an extensive loan business in the state not subjected to the tax burden of national banks, and it was testified directly that this business came into competition with the business of plaintiff and other national banks, we think that the finding of the trial court was supported by the evidence and should not have been disturbed.

There was also, we think, sufficient evidence that private individuals as investors of surplus funds are engaged in loaning money at interest on real estate mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness such as normally enter into the business of banking and that these investments are of substantial amount.

We do not conceive that in order to establish the fact of competition it is necessary to show that national banks and competing investors solicit the same customers for the same loans or investments. It is enough as stated if both engage in seeking and securing in the same locality capital investment of the class now under consideration which are substantial in amount.

It is argued that national banks are not authorized to deal in bonds or other evidences of indebtedness and that section 5219 was not intended to protect them from discriminatory taxation in favor of moneyed capital employed in a business in which they may not engage. But it is not necessary for the purposes of this case to determine the precise limits of their powers.

They are given authority, in addition to loaning money, to exercise all such "incidental powers" as shall be necessary to carry on the business of banking "by discounting and negotiating promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, and other evidences of debt." Section 5136 Revised Statutes. They are authorized, with

certain limitations, to loan money on real estate mortgages Act of December 23, 1913, supra, Act of September 7, 1916, supra; Act of February 25, 1927, section 24.

Here plaintiff is shown to have investments in real estate mortgages and to be engaged in selling them The sale of mortgages and "other evidences of debt" acquired by way of loan or discount with a view to reinvestment is, we think, within the recognized limits of the incidental powers of national banks Compare First National Bank v. Anderson, supra, 348, Mercantile National Bank v. New York, supra, 156

To that extent the business of acquiring and selling such mortgages and evidences of debt, carried on by numerous individuals, firms, and corporations in Wisconsin, comes into competition with this incidental business of national banks. That the exercise of this incidental power has become of great importance in the business of national banks appears from the Report of the Comptroller of the Currency for 1924, 44 et seq, showing that approximately one-third of the investment of national banks consist of government, railroad public service corporation and other bonds, and "collateral trust and other corporation notes"

Finally it is said that section 5219 is directed to an unfriendly discrimination or hostile attitude on the part of a state and that here the Wisconsin legislation was not dictated by such considerations, since the challenged exemptions were merely incidental to the adoption of a state policy of substituting, so far as possible, an income for a personal property tax.

But a consideration of the entire course of judicial decision on this subject can leave no doubt that state legislation and taxing measures which by their necessary operation and effect discriminate against capital invested in national bank shares in the manner described are intended to be forbidden

The questions here considered arising from the application of ad valorem tax are not affected by the amendment of section 5219 by the Act of March 4, 1923, c. 267, 42 Stat. 1499, which permits in lieu of the ad valorem tax on shares of national banks either a nondiscriminatory tax on the income of national banks or on the income derived from their shares.

Judgment reversed

March 21, 1927

State of Minnesota, Petitioner, v First National Bank of St Paul, Supreme Court of United States, No. 245

Minnesota statutes, assessing upon shares of national banks within the state a tax higher than the tax assessed on competing moneyed capital of individuals invested in shares of corporations whose business competes with national banks, were held, by the Supreme Court of the United States on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of Minnesota, discriminatory in violation of section 5219, Revised Statutes.

Mr. Justice Stone delivered the opinion of the court as follows:

The state of Minnesota, the petitioner, brought suit in the district court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, to recover from the First National Bank of St Paul the respondent, taxes assessed against its shareholders for the years 1921 and 1922. Respondent resisted the payment of the tax on the ground that the assessment was at a higher rate than that on moneyed capital employed in competition with national banks and hence prohibited by section 5219 of the Revised Statutes of the United States The trial court gave judgment for petitioner. On appeal judgment was reversed by the Supreme Court of Minnesota and a new trial ordered 204 N W. 874 Upon the second trial, had upon the record of the first, the district court held that at the time of the assessment of the taxes in question "a substantial and relatively material portion of the money and credits so listed and assessed in said Ramsey County consisted of moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of said county, coming into competition with the business of national banks in said county, and with the business of said defendant" Judgment in respondent's favor was affirmed by the Supreme Court of Minnesota 205 N W 375 This court granted certiorari 269 U S 550, Jud. Code, section 237 (b)

Similar to Hartford Case. The questions raised are similar to those considered in First National Bank of Hartford v. City of Hartford, decided this day, and may be disposed of by the application to the present facts of the principles there considered.

Under the Minnesota statutes, shares of national banks and the moneyed capital of banks or mortgage loan companies organized under the laws of the state are assessed and taxed at forty per cent of their full value in the district where located. Gen Stat 1923, section 2023, Laws of 1921, c. 416. Money and credits are taxed at the rate of three mills on the dollar of their full cash value and are exempt from all other taxation Gen Stat. 1913, section 2316, Laws of 1911, c 285 Mortgages upon real estate and executory contracts for the sale of real estate are separately taxed at a lower rate, 15 cents per one hundred dollars where the period to run is for five years or less, and 25 cents per one hundred dollars on mortgages and contracts for a longer period Gen. Stat. 1913, section 2301, et seq.; Laws of 1921, c 445. Money is defined as gold and silver coin, all forms of currency, and all deposits subject to withdrawal on demand. Credits include every demand for money or other valuable thing. Gen Stat. 1923, section 1980, Laws of 1917, c 130.

Under these statutes money and credits, as defined, are taxed at the three-mill rate and mortgages on real estate at a lesser rate.

It appears that the tax assessed upon the shares of respondent was sixty-seven mills in 1921 and sixty-one and one-half mills in 1922. Although based upon a 40 per cent valuation, the actual rate upon the shares was higher than the prescribed tax of three mills per dollar of full valuation of money and credits and therefore was discriminatory. Petitioner argues that in its actual operation, the tax on national bank shares is no greater than the tax on credits, since under the statute individuals are taxed at the rate of three mills upon the full value of their credits without deducting their liabilities, whereas in taxing bank shares, the liabilities of the banks are deducted from their assets in ascertaining the 40 per cent valuation of their shares. Therefore, it is urged, if bank shares were taxed at the same rate without deducting the bank's liabilities in ascertaining the value of their shares, the amount of the tax would be approximately the same. This argument ignores the fact that the tax authorized by section 5219 is against the holders of the bank shares and is measured by the value of the shares, and not by the assets of the bank without deduction of its liabilities. Des Moines National Bank v. Fairweather, 263 U. S. 103, and that the bank share tax must be compared with the tax assessed on competing moneyed capital of individuals invested in credits, or the tax on capital invested by individuals in the shares of corporations whose business competes with that of national banks. Mercantile Bank v. New York, 121 U. S. 138, 156, 157; First National Bank v. Anderson, 269 U. S. 341, 348. Thus compared, the actual tax imposed upon the shares of respondent, like the tax imposed upon credits in the hands of individuals, is assessed without deducting the liabilities of their individual owners, but at different rates. This discrimination is prohibited by section 5219 if moneyed capital in the hands of individuals in Minnesota is employed in substantial competition with national banks within the state.

The evidence shows that there were money and credits listed for taxation in the entire state during each of the years in question in excess of $400,000,000, exclusive of municipal bonds and recorded real estate mortgages, and in Ramsey County alone, where respondent conducts its banking business, there were like money and credits in excess of $83,000,000, all of which were subject to the three-mill tax. The evidence shows that in Ramsey County there were listed for taxation for 1921 in the hands of individuals, promissory notes amounting to $2,481,446, and bonds, exclusive of tax-exempt bonds and real estate mortgages to $7,595,975; for 1922, notes to $1,648,810, bonds to $9,931,955. There was invested in those years in real estate mortgages in Minnesota over $185,000,000 annually. The investment of national banks in Minnesota in those years in real estate mortgages was in excess of $19,600,000; in United States government bonds in excess of $41,000,000, and in other securities $33,500,000. The share value of national banks in Minnesota in those years, not including real estate, was a little more than $60,000,000, and less than two-thirds of their total investment in the securities mentioned.

Brokers Sell Paper. Note brokers within the state in those years made loans to their customers upon paper which they sell to banks and other investors amounting to as much as $100,000,000 annually. Much of this paper is sold outside of the state, but the amount sold to banks and to individuals within the state is substantial. One class of this paper known as "cattle loan paper" exceeded $22,000,000 annually in the years in question, and of this $13,000,000 was sold to banks, corporations, firms and individuals in Minnesota. The amount shown to have been sold to individuals approximated $1,060,000. Eleven business concerns to whom respondent made loans, borrowed from their own officers and employees in one of the years in question about $1,500,000.

Individuals and corporations using substantial capital are engaged within the state in business as investment houses dealing in bonds and mortgages, such as normally enter into the business of banking. Two such corporations in Ramsey County had a capital aggregating $2,250,000. One of them sold $13,000,000 of bonds in Minnesota in 1922, and had sold prior to May 1, 1921, mortgages which were still outstanding aggregating more than $25,000,000.

Taken as a whole, the evidence tends to show without material contradiction that there is a large amount of moneyed capital in the state employed in normal banking activities such as loans, purchases and sale of notes, bonds and real estate mortgages, and that large amounts of capital are invested and reinvested in such securities by individual investors within the state.

But petitioner asserts that it does not appear from the record whether those engaged in the business of note brokers or in the business of acquiring and selling securities are individuals or corporations, and the amount of capital employed by any of them is not indicated. While this assertion is not borne out completely by the record, in the view we take, its truth is not of controlling consequence. The businesses and activities described could not be carried on in the volume indicated without the employment of large amounts of capital and in fact some corporations engaged in these activities were shown to have a large capitalization. It was not necessary that the particular amounts be specified. That capital, if invested in the business of individuals, is moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens, within the meaning of section 5219. If invested in corporations, as appears in some

instances, the share capital in the hands of shareholders is likewise moneyed capital within the meaning of that section.

It is said also that the evidence as to individuals was that large amounts of credits, including bonds, mortgages and notes, were acquired by individuals by loan or purchase in the state and county, but that there is no evidence tending to show that any of these securities were held or employed by individuals in banking or investment business or in any other business. But as we have held in First National Bank of Hartford v. City of Hartford, the competition guarded against by section 5219 may arise either from the employment of capital invested in a business, even though the competition be with some but not all phases of the business of national banks, or it may arise from the employment of capital invested by institutions or individuals in particular operations or investments like those of national banks

It is also urged that the record does not admit of a finding that the funds invested in these credits come into competition with national banks within the meaning of section 5219. To this it is answered by respondent that the court is required to take judicial notice of general conditions to which the law applies and that the taxing laws of Minnesota construed in the light of conditions generally known, show upon their face that they create a discrimination against national banks not permitted by the federal act

But it is unnecessary for us to enter upon the field of judicial notice, for it clearly appears from the evidence, as the court below found, that a large proportion of these investments consisted of investments of individuals out of surplus funds which they were investing and reinvesting in bonds, mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness and that these transactions or continued activities are such as normally constitute an important part of the business of banking as conducted by respondent and other national banks in Minnesota There is direct evidence, also, that the investments of individuals in this type of security aggregating large amounts lessens the opportunity for the investment of capital by national banks The only witness called by petitioner admitted that to some extent such competition existed In this state of the record we think the findings of the state court are supported by the evidence

That capital of individuals thus seeking investment and reinvestment in competition with the capital in national banks is moneyed capital coming into competition with the business of national banks within the meaning of section 5219 is the effect of our decision in First National Bank of Hartford v. City of Hartford, supra, and other cases there considered

Judgment affirmed

March 21, 1927.

RECESS.

At four o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale, possession and use of machine rifles, automatic rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr Jones moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and nine minutes p m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Imley, Fry, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Smith, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—31.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers—and reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 252—An act to amend section 4281 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-second class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof

Also Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers, of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the State, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 17, 1909, as amended, relating to the classification of counties into agricultural districts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvements in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the 'Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district

Also Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1109—An act to appropriate $20,000 to be used to make surveys for and to be used in the construction of a breakwater at the mouth of the Navarro

River, for the purpose of properly protecting fish—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 626*k* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also, Senate Bill No. 612—An act regulating the importation into the State of California of live wild birds, mammals and reptiles; defining certain importations of same to be a public nuisance and providing for a penalty for violations;

Also Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to fish and game districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to boundary lines of fish and game districts;

Also, Senate Bill No. 462—An act to amend section 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the vocation of dealing in fish and in wild game and animals by wholesale for profit and to provide therefrom revenue for the propagation and restoration of fish and game in the State of California," approved April 14, 1911, as amended, and adding a new section thereto to be known as section 11½;

Also: Senate Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 2*a* of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith'," approved May 19, 1915, approved May 8, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be killed;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 6 and section 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain

specified purposes, to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds, to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits, to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof, and to provide a method of dissolving such districts," approved May 16, 1919, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

Also Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund and also a Public School Teachers' Permanent Fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to payment of part time teachers.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1734c of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also Senate Bill No 536—An act to amend section 1543a of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the Board of Regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, amended 1915; amended 1921; amended 1925, by amending section 1 and adding a new section to be numbered 7½ relating to the conduct of training schools for nurses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for non-compliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended:

Also Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408 409, and 410, relating to foreign corporations

Also Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3670 of the Political Code and to repeal section 3627*a* of said code, all relating to revenue and taxation

Also Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Gorham Brothers against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Crawford (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E A. Howell against the State of California.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 579 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill relates to the manner of proving the laws of other jurisdictions in the courts of this State. Senate Bill No 249, which is also before me, would permit the courts of this State to take judicial notice of the laws of the several states of the United States, thereby eliminating the necessity of pleading and proving such laws.

Should the Senate Bill become a law, it would be no longer necessary in our courts to offer evidence to prove the laws of the other states. This would obviate the necessity of providing a manner of proving such laws as set forth in the Assembly Bill.

In the interest of obviating unnecessary technicality in cases where such laws are involved, I am this day signing Senate Bill No. 249, and for the foregoing reasons, I am withholding approval of Assembly Bill No. 579

Respectfully,

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO April 5, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 731 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill would authorize the Adjutant General to lease certain State property, and I am informed that it was drawn on the assumption that no authority exists at the present time for the leasing of such property by any State agency

I am advised that such authority does exist, having been conferred on the Board of Control in 1925 by amendment to section 681 of the Political Code. As the Board of Control, with the consent of the Adjutant General, can now lease the property referred to in Assembly Bill No. 731, I believe that this legislation would merely be adding an unnecessary law to our statute books, and I have therefore withheld my approval.

Aside from the foregoing, I also notice, upon reading this bill, that the words or phrase "and/or" are used in several places. This may be appropriate for use in legal pleadings, but I do not believe that it is good form for legislation.

Respectfully,

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 89—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and annexation thereof within, municipal corporation

Also: Senate Bill No 288—An act to amend section 3649 of the Political Code, relating to the assessment of escaped property;

Also: Senate Bill No. 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the city of Pomona for the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont outfall sewer, for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 345—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also: Senate Bill No. 540—An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of machine guns; providing for the registration of sales of machine guns, prohibiting the possession and use of machine guns, except by lawfully authorized persons, and to provide for their confiscation and destruction in certain cases; prohibiting the ownership, use or possession of machine guns by certain classes of persons; authorizing the granting of licenses to possess or carry machine guns; to provide for the licensing of retail dealers of such weapons

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 89 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 288 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 336 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 345 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 540 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

Also: Senate Bill No 659—An act providing for the exchange of certain lands of the State, situate in a national park, and for the management and control of the lands acquired in exchange;

Also: Senate Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 4024 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to appointment of deputies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1663 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the partial distribution of estates of deceased persons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 1691 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the assignment for distribution of estate to nonresident persons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 765—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases

where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 585 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 659 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Bill No. 679 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 700 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 705 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 765 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 766—An act to amend sections 15 and 19 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 767—An act to amend sections 5 and 6½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 323 of the Political Code, relating to time when statutes take effect;

Also: Senate Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 2620 of the Political Code, relating to the width of highways;

Also: Senate Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators;

Also Senate Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 1033 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to costs;

Also: Senate Bill No. 868—An act to amend section 309½ of the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, or any of them, and the procedure therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 766 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No. 767 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 810 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 864 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 866 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 867 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 868 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11—Relating to securing the aid of the United States Government in establishing a basis for execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appointment of a State commission to act for the State, in conjunction with the United States Commission created by joint resolution approved December 2, 1924, in the George Washington Celebration to be held in the year 1932.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the statutes of California.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported resolutions ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the Juvenile Court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support;

Also Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*d*10 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class,

Also Assembly Bill No 514—An act to amend section 2322*e*52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class,

Also Assembly Bill No 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Also Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Also Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19a, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, by amending section 6 thereof, relating to elections;

Also Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19r10 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend section 626f of the Penal Code, relating to protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 998 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 54 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Feigenbaum—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, relating to water rights.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 645 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1927, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1179 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Leymel,

Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Patterson, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Wright, and Mr Speaker—30

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Heisinger, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, West, Williams, Witter, and Woodbridge—35.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mrs. Woodbridge gave notice that on the next legislative day she would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1045 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—Burns, Byrne, Croter, Hawes, Lenehan, McDonough, Morrison, Nielsen, and Noyes—9

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 768—An act granting to the Regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain tide lands bordering on the Pacific Ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said tide lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the Regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 768 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During the reading of the bill, Mr. Lenehan moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the word "of", add the following: "narcotic enforcement and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 7, 8, and 9, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "who shall perform such functions and duties as the said board may direct and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the word "empowered", add the following "subject to the approval of the department of finance".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Lenehan as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1253, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LENEHAN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 182 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—Woodbridge—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 9*x*4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April

12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary and expenses of the county librarian in counties of the fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 190 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING

Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 656 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 253 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "to", add the words: "or coming from".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out all of lines 2, 3 and 4, on page 3 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "14", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "15", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "16", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "18", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "19", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "17", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "16".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 52, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 408 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State and to charge a fee or fees therefor, or to lease or grant franchise in real property for such purpose, and to acquire, construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1232 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 607 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 604 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 523 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owners and/or operator of any oil well to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas com-

missioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Patterson moved that Assembly Bill No. 309 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Oil Industries

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 309 to Committee on Oil Industries.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvement in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1245 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 805 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crotei, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and

for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 16 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*x*7 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 474 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 509 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 310 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 17*x*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures and deputies in counties of the second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1157 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 759 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fry, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, and Woodbridge—43.

NOES—Adams, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Snyder, Wemple, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—25.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Byrne moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred and seventy-eight *c*", and insert in lieu thereof "two hundred and seventy-four *c*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "278*c*", and insert in lieu thereof "274*c*"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "278*c*", and insert in lieu thereof "274*c*".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Byrne as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 696, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BYRNE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to repeal section 629 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the maintenance of fish screens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williams moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the word "poltical", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Penal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the word "political", and insert in lieu thereof the word "penal".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williams as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 448, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 619 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and fifty-three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 6, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 6, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Reindollar was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr Jay Wheeler of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Fred Schmidt of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hedges, Mrs. Buron R. Fitts, wife of Lieutenant Governor Buron R. Fitts; Mrs F. Gran, Mrs. J. Wilson, Mrs. H. Monland, Mrs. C. Dunn and Mrs. C. Cutter of Sacramento, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Clowdsley, Sister Elizabeth and Sister Angela, and the following students of St. Agnes' High School, Stockton: Lucille Donelon, P. Giottonnini, Agnes Donelon, Pearl Maggini, Elda Bauer, Marion Ruth, Emma Murphy, Rose Affatigato, Olive Cassidy, Charles Riley, Bill Hobin, Henry Lonjers, Joe Oneta, Anna Morotti, Dorothy Genochio, Frances Zana, Evelyn Giottonini, Ida Bosworth, Wilda Thurman, Stella Langero, John Ruth, Ellis Elder, Ed O'Neil, Cleland Bacon and Frank Franzoi were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. J. R. Croad, Mrs. Nona Wallenson, and Mrs. Carl Pierce of the Calistoga Grammar School, and the following pupils: Albert Bryant, Given Roberts, Mabel Fechter, Andreina Lercari, Marie Schlegel, Lena Barberis, Gertie Austin, Margit Olsson, Teddy Bryant, Richard Tommel, Laurence Hillman, Dorsey Tucker, Melvin Coulter, Bernard Whitney, Jack Scott, Iola Pearl, Clara Sharp, Eleta Cronin, Mary Dill, Catherine O'Connell, Viola Bell, George Barrette, Everett Debardeleben, Emily Musante, Earl Hudson, Eddie Cook, Lucien F. Saviez, Bernice Pierce, Edith Bellante, Eugene Tedeschi, Jimmie Wolf, Jack Lynch and Harry Clark were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Noyes:

LIVE OAK COMMUNITY CLUB,
LIVE OAK, CALIFORNIA, March 29, 1927.

State Assemblyman Fred Noyes,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: The Live Oak Community Club, and community in general, is with you in the fight against the hydraulic interests.

Herewith is a copy of a resolution passed at a recent meeting of the club.

"*Resolved*, That this club approve and endorse the action of the Sutter County Chamber of Commerce, the Sutter County Farm Bureau, and the various local centers, in their action toward pending legislative enactment for the revival of hydraulic mining, and also in the matter of the Sutter By-Pass Causeway."

Very truly yours,

LIVE OAK COMMUNITY CLUB.
By H. R RAMSDELL, Secretary.

Also:

BEAR RIVER LAND OWNERS

To the Ways and Means Committee of Assembly.

We, the land owners of the Bear River District, representing 20,000 acres situated along the Bear River, assembled in meeting at Wheatland, March 22, 1927, have adopted the following resolution, and the secretary is instructed to send a copy of same to each member of the Assembly Committee on Mines and Mining, and a copy to our Assemblyman and Senator from this district:

"WHEREAS, Hydraulic mining in the past has been ruinous to the farmers in this district as well as the other districts where the practice of such mining has been conducted on the streams flowing through these districts; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 681 by Cloudman proposes to appropriate money from the State treasury and to legalize hydraulic mining to the detriment of the agricultural interests of the State; therefore be it

Resolved, That we do vigorously oppose this measure as pernicious legislation."

(Signed) LAND OWNERS OF THE BEAR RIVER DISTRICT.
A. C STAGNER, President
C. M BURCHELL, Secretary.

Also:

THE TOWN OF YUBA CITY.

Be it hereby resolved, By the board of trustees of the town of Yuba City, that this board petition the Legislature and the Governor of the State of California, as follows, to wit:

That it has come to the knowledge of this board that an effort is being made to rehabilitate hydraulic mining on the Yuba, Feather, Bear and American rivers, and to secure State aid by having the dams constructed by the State of California; and that a bill is now pending in the Legislature asking for an appropriation for $300,000 for this purpose.

Hydraulic mining in the past has caused enormous losses to the people of this community and has required them to expend millions of dollars in the building of levees and other works of reclamation. It has filled the channels of the rivers and destroyed navigation upon the Feather River.

Dams that have heretofore been constructed have, after a lapse of several years, been washed out. They are quickly filled with debris, and with the increase of the debris behind them, more and more of this debris is carried down into the valley.

Hydraulic mining in the past resulted in long, expensive litigations between the valley counties and the miners.

This board of trustees respectfully submit that in view of the previous history of this kind of mining that the Legislature of the State of California should not aid by financial appropriation this industry which has proven to be dangerous in practice and unlawful in operation.

We also respectfully submit that the passage of the Cloudman bill will be but the entering wedge in securing enormous appropriations from the State of California, to favor an industry whose operations must necessarily result to the disadvantage and probable destruction of the valley regions and will have the effect of placing the power of the State of California behind the mining interests in aiding them to carry on their operations and against the agricultural regions of the Sacramento Valley, who have, unaided and without State appropriation, protected themselves from this mining.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the resolution that the board of trustees of the town of Yuba City duly passed and adopted on the seventh day of March, 1927.

C. C. KLINE,
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Yuba City,
County of Sutter, State of California.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917, and amended and approved April 8, 1919;

Also: Senate Bill No. 337—An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to party conventions and nomination papers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654*d*, relating to illegal searches and seizures;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to the issuance of search warrants.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino, Orange and Sacramento;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of counties of the fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 3 of the Prepared Milk Act, relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 88—An act to amend section 1465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to provision for the support of the family;

Also Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 978 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals to superior courts;

Also Assembly Bill No 110—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4*a* and to amend the title and sections 1, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses and reports,

Also Assembly Bill No 168—An act to amend section 1838 of the Political Code, relating to a building fund tax,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1858*a*, relating to an emergency fund for the relief of school districts suffering from an unusual increase in school attendance;

Also: Assembly Bill No 178—An act to amend section 13 of the "State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity certificates;

Also Assembly Bill No 240—An act to amend the title and to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 9, 11, 16, 23*a* and 24 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands, and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended, and to add to said act a section, to be numbered 24*b*, relating to reassessment,

Also Assembly Bill No 287—An act to amend section 9*a*10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, said section relating to salaries of county librarians in counties of the tenth class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 442—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 25½, providing for the payment of certain work by special tax and authorizing the levy of special tax therefor

Also: Assembly Bill No. 505—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895;

Also Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property in cities governed under freeholders' charters, framed under the provisions of the constitution of this State, for the municipal taxes of such cities, and for the equalization and correction of such assessment by county officers, for the collection and enforcement of the payment of such taxes, including delinquent taxes, by such officers, for the sale and redemption from sale of property sold for the nonpayment of such taxes, and for the performance by county officers of the duties of officers of such cities respecting said matters; and to provide for the compensation to be paid to counties by such cities for the services performed by such county officers for such cities under the provisions of this act," approved June 6, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610*a*, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 843—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of superior courts and justices' courts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 897—An act authorizing the head of any State department, with the approval of the Department of Finance to destroy records.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act providing for the use of water and gas lines and appurtenances constructed within municipalities or unincorporated territory of a county under any street improvement act, and providing limitations on the granting of such use.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article IIa, embracing sections 373 to 373*l*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the fifth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a Board of Examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said Board of Examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out lines 3 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "engineer, unless the said person holds a certificate of registration as herein provided: *provided, however*, that, as used in this act, the term "practice or occupation of a steam or operating engineer", or similar designation, shall not be construed to mean or include engineers upon automobiles, or locomotives, or boilers of less than fifteen horsepower or boilers carrying or subjected to a pressure not to exceed fifteen pounds per square inch, or persons operating boilers under the jurisdiction of the United States government."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the word "In"; also strike out lines 16 and 17, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "If the applicant fails to pass the examination, he shall have the right to take a second examination without payment of any other or further fee, if he makes application therefor within six months from and after the date of the first examination."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 52, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words "ninety days" and insert in lieu thereof "six months".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, lines 4, 5 and 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the following: ", whether or not he is a citizen of the United States or has declared his intention to become such.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, between lines 39 and 40, insert the following:

SEC. 11. All fees and receipts of every kind and nature collected hereunder by the industrial accident commission shall be reported at the beginning of each month for the month preceding, to the state controller and the entire amount so collected or taken in shall be paid into the state treasury and be credited to a fund to be known as the engineer's registration fund, which fund is hereby created. Such fund shall be used by the said commission to pay all expenses necessarily incurred in carrying out the provisions of this act. Payments made out of said fund shall be upon written order of the chairman of said commission which shall contain an itemized statement of the purpose or purposes for which such expenditure or expenditures was or were made. Said order shall be forwarded directly to the state controller who shall draw his warrant against the state treasury for such sum as may be specified therein:

provided, however, that nothing contained herein shall be construed to require the auditing of any such order by the state board of control.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 6, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the word and figures "SEC. 11" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figures "SEC 12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words "is a citizen of the", and strike out the entire line 23, on page 5 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 603—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to vital statistics and the duties of local registrars in connection therewith

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part III of the Civil Code, embracing sections 653*a*1 to 653*a*13, inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act providing for the organization and government of public service districts for the purpose of establishing and maintaining public labor camps.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 23, both inclusive, and strike out pages 2, 3, 4, inclusive, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SECTION 1. Public service districts may be organized under the provisions of this act for the following purpose:

For the establishment and maintenance of public labor camps.

SEC. 2. The term labor camp, for the purposes of this act, shall mean any living quarters, camping facilities, housing accommodations, dwelling, boarding house, shack, tenement, tent houses, barracks, temporary or permanent, maintained directly or indirectly in connection with any work or place where work is being performed within the district.

Whenever any public service district is organized under this act for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a public labor camp or camps therein, said labor camp or camps so established shall be subject to all the provisions of "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof", approved May 29, 1913, as amended."

SEC. 3. Whenever a petition, signed by a majority or more of the electors whose names appear upon the last great register of the county, who reside within territory described by the petition, which petition may consist of separate instruments, requesting that such territory be organized into a public service district for the above named purpose shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county in which such territory is situated at a regular or special meeting of said board, the board of supervisors shall by resolution at such meeting fix a time for the hearing of the petition at not less than two nor more than five weeks from the time of presentation thereof and shall give notice of the hearing by publishing once each week for not less than two weeks prior to the time of the hearing in some newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in said county, a copy of the petition, except that the signature need not be published, a statement of the time and place of hearing and a statement that any person residing or owning property within the proposed district may appear before the board of supervisors at the time and place fixed for the hearing and show cause why the petition should not be granted or why the proposed boundaries of the district should be changed.

SEC 4. At the time fixed for the hearing, the board of supervisors shall hear the petition and shall determine whether or not the petition complies with requirements and whether the notice has been published as required No defect in the petition shall vitiate any proceeding providing the petition has sufficient qualified signatures and its intent can be ascertained The finding of the board of supervisors as to the genuineness and sufficiency of the petition and notice shall be final and conclusive against all persons except the State of California upon suit by the attorney general commenced within one year after the order of the board of supervisors declaring such district organized.

SEC 5. If the board of supervisors shall determine that the petition is sufficient it shall proceed to a final hearing of the matter. Any person residing or owning property within said proposed district may appear before the board at the hearing in person or by attorney and oppose the creation of the district or request a change in the boundaries and may produce evidence in support of his opposition or request. The board of supervisors must hear all competent and relevant testimony offered in support of or in opposition to the formation of the district or with relation to its boundaries. The board may make such changes in the boundaries of the proposed district as it may deem advisable and shall define and establish such boundaries. The hearing may be adjourned from time to time for the determination of the facts not to exceed two weeks in all.

SEC. 6. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the board of supervisors may by order entered in its minutes approve the petition as originally presented or in a modified form and declare the territory embraced within the boundaries established by the board a duly organized public service district. The board shall cause a copy of such order, duly certified, to be immediately filed for record in the office of the county recorder of such county. Upon such filing the organization of the district shall be complete, and the district may sue and be sued in its own name.

SEC. 7. The district shall be governed and managed by a board of trustees consisting of three members appointed by the board of supervisors from electors residing therein. The trustees shall hold office for four years and until the appointment and qualification of their successors and shall serve without compensation

SEC. 8. The trustees shall make the necessary rules and regulations for the management of the district, and shall have power to expend money and incur liabilities for the district, be responsible for the condition of the said camp or camps built or maintained by the district, and may adopt an official seal.

SEC. 9. The district shall maintain the necessary establishment and facilities to fulfill the purpose of the district and for that purpose shall be capable of holding title to property, to take property by grant, gift, devise, lease or any other method and doing all acts necessary or proper for the carrying out of the purposes of this act.

SEC. 10 The board of trustees of the district shall annually at or before the time fixed by law for the levying of county taxes, estimate and certify to the board of supervisors the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation for maintaining the establishment or facilities and fulfilling the purposes of the district and the board of supervisors shall thereupon include in the annual tax levy a tax upon all the property, within such district sufficient to raise the amount so fixed by the trustees.

SEC. 11 The tax shall be collected by the same officer and in the same manner as other county taxes and the same together with all other moneys received by the

trustees shall be paid to the county treasurer and shall constitute a separate fund to be expended solely for the purpose of the district upon warrants issued by the county auditor upon orders signed by not less than two of the trustees of the district.

SEC. 12. The trustees shall as soon after the first day of July in the first year as is practicable and annually thereafter file with the county board of supervisors a report setting forth all their transactions during the preceding fiscal year and containing an itemized account of receipts and disbursements during said fiscal year together with proper vouchers therefor.

SEC 13. Whenever a board of supervisors shall receive a petition, signed by a majority of the electors residing within the boundary lines of a portion of a public service district, as set forth in said petition, requesting that such territory or portion of a district described therein be excluded from a public service district, the board of supervisors shall, by resolution, fix a time for the hearing of said petition at not less than two nor more than five weeks from the time of presentation thereof and shall cause notice thereof to be given of the time and place of such hearing by publication in some newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said county for not less than two weeks prior to the time of said hearing.

At the time fixed for said hearing, said board of supervisors shall hear such petition and must hear all competent and relevant testimony offered in support of or in opposition thereto Said hearing may be adjourned from time to time for the determination of said facts, not to exceed two weeks in all. If the board of supervisors shall determine that the petitioners have complied with the requirements herein set forth and that the notice required herein has been published as required, it shall thereupon proceed to final hearing of the matter and said board shall make such changes in the boundaries of the proposed district as it may deem advisable and shall thereupon redefine and reestablish such boundaries; *provided, however*, that the portion of the territory excluded from said district shall not be relieved from the payment of any tax or assessment levied or imposed upon such territory so excluded prior to the date of the order of the board of supervisors.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "number", strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "application", strike out said word "application" and all following it on said page, also strike out all of page 3 and all of page 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Application for such license shall be made in writing to the secretary of state of the State of California, and shall state the name of the applicant together with the name under which the applicant does, or expects to do business, with full business address and residence, including street and number, the character of business sought to be carried on, the locations by street and number where the same is intended to be transacted and in the case of a firm the full names and residence addresses of all partners; and in the case of a corporation or voluntary association the name and residence address of each of the directors and officers thereof. Such application shall be subscribed by the applicant and duly acknowledged as required for deeds to be recorded, and shall be filed with the secretary of state, together with the bond required by the next section.

SEC. 4. The applicant shall file with the application a bond which shall run to the people of the State of California, in the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000), and shall be conditioned that the principal, who shall be the applicant, shall and will, upon demand in writing, pay and turn over to or for the use of any customer from whom any claim is taken or received for collection the proceeds of such collection, in accordance with the terms of the agreement made between the said principal and the said customer, and conditioned that the principal will comply with all requirements of this or of any other statute now in force or hereafter enacted with respect to the duties, obligations and liabilities of collection agencies. Such bond shall cover all matters placed with said licensee during the term of said license so applied for, or

renewal thereof and liability thereunder shall continue in accordance with the provisions of section 10, and the bond be made and executed by the principal with at least two good and sufficient sureties who shall be residents and freeholders within the State of California, each of whom shall qualify in the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) in the manner prescribed by sections 1057 and 1057*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, except that if such bond is joined in by a surety company one such company shall be sufficient surety thereon when qualified in accordance with law. If the bond so filed shall conform to the foregoing requirements, a judge of the superior court wherein the applicant resides shall so certify by indorsing the same with his approval. Such bond may be enforced in the manner provided for the enforcement of bonds and undertakings in actions or special proceedings.

SEC. 5. Upon receiving and filing such application and bond, and upon payment of the license fee hereinafter provided, the secretary of state shall grant and issue a license to the applicant which shall state the name of the licensee and the locations by street and number where the licensee is authorized to carry on business, together with the number and date of such license, and shall further state that it is issued pursuant to this act, and that the licensee is duly authorized hereunder. Upon receipt of such license the licensee shall have the right to conduct the business of a collection agency with all the powers and privileges contained in and to be subject to all the provisions of this act.

SEC. 6. Before the applicant shall be entitled to receive a license hereunder he shall pay to the secretary of state for the initial license a fee in the sum of twenty-five dollars, and for each renewal license fee in the sum of fifteen dollars ($15). All moneys so received by the secretary of state shall be turned into the state treasury to constitute a fund from which the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this act shall first be defrayed, any balance remaining to go annually into the general funds of the state.

SEC. 7. Upon removal from any location as stated in any license issued hereunder, the licensee shall within five days thereafter, deposit said license with the secretary of state, accompanying same with written notification of such removal, and the secretary of state shall note said removal upon the face of the license, and shall enter in his records in an appropriate place therefor, a notation of such removal and shall thereupon return said license.

SEC. 8. Each license must be framed in a suitable frame under glass, and hung upon the walls of the place of business therein designated in a conspicuous place, but such license shall not be transferable and shall be valid and effectual until the first day of July next ensuing the date thereof unless previously revoked.

SEC. 9. On or before the first day of June in each year any licensee desiring a renewal of the expiring license shall file in the office of the secretary of state a renewal application, in form and text like the original application, stating in addition to the matters required in the original application the date and number of the expiring license, and shall pay to the secretary of state the renewal license fee, whereupon the secretary of state shall issue to such applicant a renewal license to be dated on the first day of July next ensuing the date of the application in form and text like the original license hereinbefore provided for, except that, in addition to the facts therein set forth such renewal shall show the date and number of the earliest license issued to the licensee and shall bear across its face the word "renewal" in conspicuous letters. All requirements of this act with respect to original licenses and bonds apply with like force to all renewal licenses and bonds except as otherwise specified in this section.

SEC. 10. No action shall be brought upon any bond hereinbefore required to be given and filed, after the expiration of two years from the revocation or expiration of the license issued thereunder. From and after the expiration of the said period of two years, all liability of the surety or sureties upon the said bond shall cease, provided no action shall have been commenced upon said bond before the expiration of the said period.

SEC. 11. The secretary of state shall have power upon the filing with him of a complaint under oath against any licensee to require, under oath, and within ten days after notice to such licensee a reply to said complaint, and the secretary of state may, upon proper cause shown, extend the time of filing such reply, not to exceed sixty days. Should such reply when filed be deemed insufficient by the secretary of state or should the charges not have been withdrawn, and should the complaint contain allegations of fraud, the secretary of state shall have power to visit and inspect the books, papers and records of such licensee, through one or more inspectors attached to his office and to be appointed by him, and to take any action under any provision of this act which the result of such inspection may indicate to be appropriate. Whenever any complaint shall have been filed with the secretary of state against any licensee hereunder, the secretary of state must send a copy of such charges to the licensee, and another copy to the attorney general and afford an opportunity to said licensee to answer the same, and to be heard with reference thereto, and if after such notice and hearing the licensee shall be found guilty of fraud or misrepresentation or of any act or omission inconsistent with the faithful discharge of its duties and obligations, or in violation of any provision of this act, or if the licensee shall in any

court of law be adjudged liable for breach of any bond given hereunder, the secretary of state shall have power by an order to be made in writing, and filed in his office and served on the licensee by registered mail at the address shown in the records of the secretary of state to revoke said license and all rights of the licensee under this article shall forthwith terminate, and no application shall be received hereunder from any person, firm, corporation or voluntary association whose license has once been revoked. The determination of the secretary of state revoking any license shall be subject to review by writ of certiorari within thirty days after the date of filing the order of revocation.

SEC. 12. The secretary of state shall keep in his office in a suitable record provided for the purpose all applications for licenses and all bonds required to be filed hereunder, and such record shall state whether or not a license has been issued under such application and bond, and if revoked the date of filing the order of revocation. In such record all licenses issued shall be indicated by their serial numbers as well as by the name and address of the licensee. This section applies to the renewal applications and renewal licenses which shall be entered in said record in their proper order like original applications and licenses, except that with respect to them, said record shall show in addition the word "renewal" with the number of the last preceding license granted to the same licensee. Such book shall be open for inspection as a public record in the office of the secretary of state.

SEC. 13. In addition to any other penalty, any person, firm, corporation or voluntary association, or any officer or director of any such corporation or association carrying on the business specified in this act without first having obtained from the secretary of state a license therefore, as herein provided, or who shall carry on such business after the revocation or expiration of any license so obtained shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 14. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed as requiring any attorney and counsellor at law, licensed to practice in this state, to obtain the license provided for by this act as long as he is retained by his client or clients to collect or to solicit or obtain payment of such client's claim in the usual course of his practice of his profession.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the words "supreme court", insert the following: "from a judgment of conviction for a felony for a second or subsequent offense".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the period add the following: "*Provided, further, however*, that where such appeal to the district court of appeal or to the supreme court from the judgment of conviction of a felony for a first offense is pending at the time the defendant is convicted of a felony for a second or subsequent offense, a stay of execution of the judgment for the second or subsequent offense shall be granted by filing with the clerk of the court in which the conviction was had, a certificate of the judge of such court or of a justice of the supreme court, or of a district court of appeal, that in his opinion there is probable cause for the appeal but not otherwise."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 12 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and

repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 13 of the title of the printed bill, after the figures and comma "1919,", add the following: "as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In lines 13 and 14 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "issuance, renewal, suspension and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "location of the office and branch offices of the real estate commissioner."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "12", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the figures and comma "1919.", add the following: "as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 to 15, both inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 4. The real estate commissioner shall have his principal office in the city of Sacramento, and may establish branch offices in the city and county of San Francisco, in the city of Los Angeles and in such other cities as the commissioner may deem necessary, and he shall from time to time obtain the necessary furniture, stationery, fuel, light and other proper conveniences for the transactions of business, the expenses of which shall be paid out of the state treasury on the certificate of the real estate commissioner and the warrant of the controller.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 9, 1927, strike out the comma and quotation marks, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 9, 1927, following line 22, add the following:

SEC. 3. All other acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. Out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the purposes of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a commission on uniform State laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belong-

ing to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 744—An act to amend section 6 and section 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes; to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits; to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof; and to provide a method of dissolving such district," approved May 16, 1919, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "section six and section", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sections five, six and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

SEC. 5. Immediately after the filing of such petition, the clerk of the board of supervisors with whom such petition is filed shall cause notice by publication to be made of the pendency of the petition and of the time and place of the hearing thereon and of the hearing of objections to the formation of such district

The board of supervisors of the county in which the petition was filed, shall thereafter, for all purposes of this act, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, maintain and have original and exclusive jurisdiction coextensive with the boundaries and limits of said district and of lands and other property proposed to be affected by said district; *provided*, that where said district lies in more than one county the board of supervisors of the county where the petition is filed shall forthwith notify the board or boards of supervisors of other counties in which said district is situated by directing a letter and transmitting the same by mail to the clerk or clerks of said board or boards notifying said board or boards of that fact and setting a day for a joint meeting with said board or boards, whereupon said boards shall meet jointly for the purpose of hearing said petition and objections thereto, if any, and for the transaction of business, in the chambers of the board with whom the said petition was filed, *provided*, that said meetings from time to time may be continued, by mutual agreement, whereupon said boards shall sit cojointly thereafter for all purposes of this act, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, and maintain and have original and exclusive jurisdiction coextensive with the boundaries and limits of the district and of lands and other property proposed to be included in said district or affected by said district without regard to the usual limits of their jurisdiction. A majority of the members of the joint board shall constitute a quorum; *provided*, that in the event that the board of supervisors of any county in which a portion of the district lies, after having been given due notice, as herein provided, of the hearing for the formation of such district, who shall after having been given said notice fail to appear and participate, as a member, or members, of said joint board, shall be considered to have waived all right to participate in the deliberations of said board, and a majority of the supervisors representing the other county or counties in which said district lies, shall thereby automatically constitute the joint board of supervisors and shall have all jurisdiction and powers provided for said joint board of supervisors under this act.

The clerk of the board of supervisors with whom the petition is filed, and all officers of the board with whom the petition is filed, shall be clerk and officers of the board sitting cojointly as herein specified The act of the clerk of said board of supervisors transmitting said letter of notification shall be deemed the act of said board of supervisors so notifying.

At the day set for said hearing all objections to said petition shall be heard by said board or joint board Said board or joint board shall have and it is hereby given full discretion to approve or deny said petition by a majority vote of its members present Its decision in the matter shall be final and conclusive except as to the matters hereinafter stated. Objections to said petition need not be in writing, but the determination of said board shall be in writing and entered upon the minutes of said board

Said board shall at said hearing, if it approve said petition, determine what land or lands within said proposed district will be benefited by said proposed improvements, and said board may in its discretion change or alter the boundaries of said proposed district to conform to the needs of the district: *provided*, that they shall include therein only such land as will in their judgment be benefited by the proposed work or improvement; *and provided*, that they shall not include therein land not included within the proposed boundaries of the district set forth in the petition: *and provided*, that said board shall at said hearing or adjourned hearing define the boundaries of the proposed district; *and provided* no land shall be included within said boundaries until after the board of supervisors of the county in which it is located shall have adopted a resolution approving the inclusion thereof The findings of such board shall be conclusive upon the genuineness and sufficiency of the signatures to the petition and of the notice of the hearing.

SEC. 2. Section 6 of said act approved May 16, 1919, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows "

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sections", and insert in lieu thereof the word "actions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not less than two-thirds", and insert in lieu thereof "a majority".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, lines 25 and 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "including any premium received at such sale,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "construction fund of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill, change the period to a comma and add the following: "in the following funds: the par value of such bonds shall be deposited in the construction fund of the district; any premium or accrued interest received at such sale shall be deposited in the bond fund of the district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, following the word "said" insert the word "construction".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, following the word "upon" at the end of line 28, add "warrants of the county auditor which shall be drawn upon."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 2*a* of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts, approved March 11, 1911," and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 19, 1915,' approved May 23, 1925," relating to Fish and Game District 1¾.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, lines 15 and 16, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "west line of range sixty west, Mount Diablo meridian", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Pacific highway."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be killed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "person", strike out the remainder of line 3 and strike out all of lines 4 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "who, except in fish and game districts one and one-half, one and three-quarters, two, and two and one-half, takes, kills, destroys, or has in his possession more than one deer within any calendar day or more than two deer during any open season, if taken or killed in the State of California, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "only".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the sentence ending with the word "state", add the following sentence: "Such investigation shall also include a study of all matters pertaining to the standardization of supplementary books used in the elementary schools and the publication of such supplementary books by the State of California."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "books", insert the following: "and the study of the standardization of supplementary books".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the comma at the end of the line, insert "and such report shall also include the free text books now furnished by the state".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to payment of part time teachers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "relating to", and all of line 8 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section eight *a* conferring upon the state department of finance authority to invest and reinvest the moneys in the public school teachers' permanent fund and defining the powers and duties of said department in relation thereto".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this state; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds", approved June 16, 1913, as amended is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8. The public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, subject to the provisions of this act, shall have power and it shall be its duty:

(1) To approve and allow retirement salaries of public school teachers entitled to the same under the provisions of this act;

(2) Through its president or other officer designated by it for that purpose, to audit all claims and demands for money expended or authorized to be expended by it, and certify all claims and demands against the public school teachers' permanent fund and the public school teachers' retirement salary fund, including all retirement salary demands, to the state controller, who shall draw his warrant therefor upon the state treasurer, payable out of said fund, *provided*, that no demand shall be allowed except after resolution duly passed at a meeting of the board by a majority of its members, which adoptions shall be attested by the secretary;

(3) To require the boards of education, school trustees and other public authorities, and all officers having duties to perform in respect to the contributions by teachers to said permanent fund, to report to the board from time to time as to such matters pertaining to the payment of such contributions, as it may deem advisable;

(4) To employ such expert and clerical assistance and purchase such supplies and equipment as may be necessary for the administration of this act and pay the same out of the teachers' permanent fund; *provided*, that the amount expended for this purpose shall not exceed two per cent of the total income for any fiscal year;

(5) To prescribe the duties of the secretary and other officers of the board;

(6) To conduct investigations in all matters relating to the operation of this act, and to subpoena witnesses and compel their attendance to testify before it in respect to such matters.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered 8*a* and to read as follows:

Sec. 8*a*. The state department of finance shall have power and it shall be its duty to invest the moneys in the permanent fund in securities and to collect the income therefrom and interest and dividends thereon; to deposit such securities with the state treasurer, and to make sale of such securities when, in its judgment, such sale will be advisable; *provided*, that none of the moneys in the public school teachers' permanent fund shall be invested in any securities except such securities as those in which the funds of savings banks may be legally invested. The state controller is authorized to draw his warrant upon the public school teachers' permanent fund in payment of duly audited claims arising out of the investment of the moneys in said fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 48, inclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, 409 and 410, relating to foreign corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code and to repeal section 3627*a* of said Code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. West the consideration of Assembly Bills Nos. 1263, 1264, 1265 and 1266 was made a special order for Thursday, April 7, 1927, at ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a m.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 17 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation committees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 280—An act to amend section 4300*l* of the Political Code, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter, to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment by the State or counties, or cities, or cities and counties of the premium or charge on official bonds when given by surety companies," approved March 25, 1903, as amended

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 543—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to the number of notaries public in counties of the second class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 16, line 26, of the printed amended bill, preceding the word "to", insert the following: "thence northeasterly along said Brothers line".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 16, lines 32 and 33, of the printed amended bill, strike out the following "lying easterly of a line".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 17, line 8, of the printed amended bill, strike out the word "line".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 17, line 26, of the printed amended bill, preceding the word "and", insert the following: "between Oakland and Brooklyn townships".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 17, line 26, of the printed amended bill, following the word "and", insert the word "along".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 17, line 27, of the printed amended bill, strike out the following: "between Oakland and Brooklyn townships".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 19, line 4, of the printed amended bill, strike out the words "said line", and insert in lieu thereof the following. "the center of the west arm of Lake Merritt".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 19, line 32, of the printed amended bill, following the word "avenue", insert the following: "to the center line of fifty-fifth street".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 20, line 1, of the printed amended bill, following the word "northwesterly", insert a comma and the following: "southwesterly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 34 of the printed amended bill commencing with line 26, strike out everything to and including line 43, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Washington street and Buckingham road, from the southwest; thence easterly along the center line of Washington street to the center line of Hoover street; thence southerly along the center line of Hoover street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Figueroa street; thence southwesterly and southerly along the center line of Figueroa street to the center line of Santa Barbara avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Santa Barbara avenue and the westerly prolongation thereof to the westerly boundary of the city of Los Angeles as the same existed March 1, 1927; thence northerly along said boundary to the southerly boundary of the Palms addition to the city of Los Angeles; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary to the center line of Angeles Mesa drive; thence northerly along the center line of Angeles Mesa drive to the center line of Adams street; thence westerly along the center line of Adams street to the center line of Buckingham road; thence northeasterly along the center line of Buckingham road to the point of beginning, shall constitute the fifty-ninth assembly district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 38 of the printed amended bill, commencing with line 41, strike out everything to and including line 9 on page 39 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Santa Monica boulevard with the center line of Vermont avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Santa Monica boulevard to the center line of Sunset boulevard; thence southeasterly along the center line of Sunset boulevard to the center line of Glendale boulevard; thence southerly along the center line of Glendale boulevard to the center line of Temple street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of East Edgeware road; thence southwesterly along the center line of East Edgeware road to the center line of Temple street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Temple street to the center line of Hill street; thence southwesterly along the center line of Hill street to the center line of Seventh street; thence northwesterly and westerly along the center line of Seventh street to the center line of Vermont avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Vermont avenue to the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixty-fourth assembly district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 47 of the printed amended bill, following line 7, add the following:

SEC. 5. If a referendum petition is filed against any section or part of this act, and by reason thereof such section or part of this act is delayed from going into effect, then the balance of this act shall not go into effect until and unless such section or part of this act so delayed by referendum petition shall become effective

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 5 to 13, inclusive, and insert the following "and transporting horses, cattle, sheep or swine in carload lots shall confine the same in cars, for a period longer than twenty-eight consecutive hours without unloading the same in a humane manner, into properly equipped pens for rest, water, and feeding, for a period of at least five consecutive hours, unless prevented by storm or by other accidental or unavoidable causes which can not be anticipated or avoided by the exercise of due diligence and foresight; *provided*, that upon the written request of the owner or person in custody of that particular shipment, which written request shall be separate and apart from any printed bill of lading, or other railroad form, and time of confinement may be extended to thirty-six hours. In estimating such confinement, the time consumed in loading and unloading shall not be considered, but the time during which the animals have been confined without such rest or food or water on connecting roads shall be included it being the intent of this act to prohibit their continuous confinement beyond the period of twenty-eight hours, except upon the contingencies hereinbefore stated; *provided*, that it shall not be required that sheep be unloaded in the night time, but where the time expires in the night time in case of sheep the same may continue in transit to a suitable place for unloading, subject to the aforesaid limitation of thirty-six hours"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 553—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino Base and Meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 626*k* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 612—An act regulating the importation into the State of California of live wild birds, mammals and reptiles; defining certain importations of same to be a public nuisance and providing for a penalty for violations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1916, as amended, relating to fish and game districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to boundary lines of fish and game districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, after the quotation marks following the word "herewith," insert "approved May 19, 1915".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "districts", insert the following "and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts'"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the quotation marks following the word "herewith, ", insert the following "approved May 19, 1915.".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 462—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the vocation of dealing in fish and in wild game and animals by wholesale for profit and to provide therefrom revenue for the propagation and restoration of fish and game in the State of California," approved April 14, 1911, as amended; and adding a new section thereto to be known as section 11½.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 6 and 7 of the title, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "April 14, 1911, as amended, re".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 18 to 23, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended March 24, after the first comma insert the following: "two and one-half," and also strike out the following: "seven "A",".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended March 24, after the first comma insert the following: "two and one-half.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended March 24, strike out the following: "seven "A",".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 24, in line 29, strike out the semicolon, and insert in lieu thereof a period, and strike out the rest of line 29 following thereafter.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 24, strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, and that part of line 5 which precedes the word "any".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1734c of the Political Code, relating to schools

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 536—An act to amend section 1543a of the Political Code relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the Board of Regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, amended 1915; amended 1921; amended 1925, by amending section 1 and adding a new section to be numbered 7½, relating to the conduct of training schools for nurses.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mrs Woodbridge moved that the consideration of her motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to authorize the State Adjutant General to lease State armories and other State property.

The question being put: Shall Assembly Bill No. 731 become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—Relative to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 31.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 22 of article IV thereof, relating to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-seventh session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend section 22 of article IV of the constitution to read as follows.

SEC. 22. No money shall be drawn from the treasury but in consequence of appropriation made by law, and upon warrants duly drawn thereon by the Controller; and no money shall ever be appropriated or drawn from the State treasury for the purpose or benefit of any corporation, association, asylum, hospital, or any other institution not under the exclusive management and control of the State as a State institution, nor shall any grant or donation of property ever be made thereto by the State; *provided*, that notwithstanding anything contained in this or any other section of the constitution, the Legislature shall have the power to grant aid to the institutions conducted for the support and maintenance or minor orphans, or half-orphans, or abandoned children, or children of a father who is incapacitated for gainful work by permanent physical disability or is suffering from tuberculosis in such a stage that he can not pursue a gainful occupation, or aged persons in indigent circumstances—

such aid to be granted by a uniform rule, and proportioned to the number of inmates of such respective institutions; *provided*, that the Legislature shall have power to grant aid to needy physically handicapped persons not inmates of any institution under the supervision of the State Department of Institutions and supported in whole or in part by the State or by any institution supported in whole or part by any political subdivision of the State; *provided, further*, that the State shall have at any time the right to inquire into the management of such institutions; *provided, further*, that whenever any county, or city and county, or city, or town, shall provide for the support of minor orphans, or half-orphans, or abandoned children, or children of a father who is incapacitated for gainful work by permanent physical disability or is suffering from tuberculosis in such a stage that he cannot pursue a gainful occupation, or aged persons in indigent circumstances, or needy physically handicapped persons not inmates of any institution under the supervision of the State Department of Institutions and supported in whole or in part by the State or by any institution supported in whole or part by any political subdivision of the State, such county, city and county, city, or town shall be entitled to receive the same pro rata appropriations as may be granted to such institutions under church or other control. An accurate statement of the receipts and expenditures of public moneys shall be attached to and published with the laws of every regular session of the Legislature.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 27 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 660 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation and restoration of shell fish, mollusks and crustaceans, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 661 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—Spalding—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to settlement of account.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 990 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1137 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," relating to the definition of terms.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 311 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Finley, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McDonough, Melville,

Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright—45.

NOES—Badham, Byrne, Davis, Eddy, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Murphy, Walters, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—14.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Scofield gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 311 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any of such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 670 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Byrne, Davis, Eddy, Little, Lyons, Murphy, Roberts, Walters, and Witter—9.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Scofield gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 670 was this day passed.

HON. MORGAN KEATON IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a. m., Hon. Morgan Keaton, member of the Assembly from the Seventieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1125 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell,

Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Patterson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 18, of the amended printed bill, after the word "property", insert the following: "other than any vehicle required by law to be registered with the state authorities as a condition precedent to its operation on the public highway,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 34, of the amended printed bill, after the word "property", insert the following: "other than any vehicle required by law to be registered with the state authorities as a condition precedent to its operation on the public highway,".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Patterson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1208, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

PATTERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary condition of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 839 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roland moved that Assembly Bill No. 719 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 719 to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1075 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Noves, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roberts moved that Assembly Bill No. 1057 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1057 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 609 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 623 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to protection of fish.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 650 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 650 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 610 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger,

Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 212 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—43

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Flynn, Gant, Heisinger, Jones, Scudder, Walters, and Wright—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations; creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1247 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento,

San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission, submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plant provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 410 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 30, 1927, after the word "any", strike out the remainder of line 3, all of lines 4 to and including line 25, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "person, firm or corporation who shall willfully or negligently mutilate, cut or destroy any Toyon or Christmas red berry (Hetermeles arbutifolia) or cut any Christmas tree or trees growing on public land or land not his own, without a written permit from the owner of the land signed by such owner or his agent duly authorized in writing to grant such authority, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars ($500), and all Toyon or Christmas trees willfully cut or possessed shall be subject to confiscation by the state forester, deputy state forester, assistant state forester, any state forest ranger, any state fire warden, or any peace officer. The term 'Christmas tree' as used herein shall include

any evergreen tree or a part thereof cut and removed from the place where grown without the foliage having been removed."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 189, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOODBRIDGE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Foster moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the word "amend", insert the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 24, inclusive, also strike out all of pages 2 to 11, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

4233 Counties of Fourth Class, Salaries and Fees of Officers. Fresno. In counties of the fourth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit

1 Clerk The county clerk, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; he shall have three deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum four deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred seventy dollars per annum He shall also have three additional deputies for a period of not to exceed ten months during each and every even-numbered year at a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and four deputies for a period of not to exceed six months during each and every even-numbered year, such deputies to receive a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and also for such even-numbered years he shall appoint such deputies in the county as are necessary for the purpose of registering the electors, such deputies to receive five cents for each elector legally registered by them The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month all fees received by him as county

clerk during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

2. Sheriff. The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have an undersheriff at a salary of three thousand twenty-five dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, eight deputies at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum each; seven deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each, one criminal identification deputy who shall have charge of all criminal identification records and who shall act as a photographer and who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, two stenographers whose annual salary shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars; one clerk whose annual salary shall be one thousand two hundred dollars; a matron whose annual salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars. The sheriff shall pay into the county treasury all sums received by him for service of process.

3. Recorder. The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum, four deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

The recorder shall have such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office at a compensation not to exceed five cents per folio, *provided, however*, that all instruments that are partly written or typewritten and partly printed, and for the recording of which the county has furnished the county recorder with books containing printed forms corresponding to such instrument, the compensation shall be two and one-half cents per folio for the entire number of folios of written and printed matter in said instrument.

4. Auditor. The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum. He shall also have one chief deputy at a salary of two thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall act as chief accountant, and who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as a redemption clerk and who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred twenty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as bookkeeper and who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as a warrant clerk and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum; and eight deputies for not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year, at a salary of five dollars per day each. In addition to the salary herein provided for the said auditor shall receive three per cent of the sum collected from the state under the provisions of section 4099*a* of the Political Code for the extra duties imposed by said section.

5. Treasurer. The treasurer, four thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum, three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars per annum each.

6. Tax Collector. The tax collector four thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred fifty dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred thirty dollars per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred ten dollars per annum; and twenty-one additional deputies for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of five dollars per day each; one additional deputy for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day; and six additional deputies for not exceeding two months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day each. The tax collector shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses required by him in the performance of his official duties as license collector of Fresno county.

7. Assessor. The assessor, five thousand dollars per annum. he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred ten dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred ten dollars per annum, six deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, ten deputies for a period not to exceed six months in each year at a salary of five dollars per day each; seven deputies for a period not to exceed four months in each year at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each; thirty deputies for a period not to exceed three months in each year at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each; one deputy for a period not to exceed six months in each year at a salary of ten dollars per day.

All sums collected by the assessor or his deputies as personal property taxes shall be paid into the county treasury monthly as collected with a statement of such collections.

8. Jurors. In counties of this class grand and trial jurors shall receive three dollars per day each while engaged in the performance of the duties required by them, and in addition thereto shall receive the mileage now allowed by law.

9 District Attorney. The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one assistant at a salary of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each. A detective at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one stenographer at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum; and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and one combination stenographer and telephone clerk at a salary not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per annum

Neither of these stenographers shall receive other compensation by reason of services as stenographic reporter in any action or proceeding wherein the fee or per diem of the stenographic reporter constitutes a charge against the county

The district attorney and his deputies shall devote their entire time during office hours to the work of the county and state and are prohibited from engaging in private work within such office hours

10 Coroner. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. Public Administrator. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

12. Superintendent of Schools. The superintendent of schools, four thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each and two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each. One of the deputies is to act as an attendance office for the schools of Fresno, whose duties shall be to enforce the laws in regard to compulsory attendance of pupils and who shall perform such other duties in connection with school work as the county superintendent may direct. The superintendent and his supervising assistants and attendance officers shall be allowed their actual traveling expenses incurred while visiting the schools of the county.

13. Surveyor. The surveyor, four thousand dollars per annum in full compensation for all services as county surveyor and as road overseer and inspector. He shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. And in addition thereto the county surveyor shall be allowed to employ all necessary inspectors and field or office help needed in the preparation of any plans, specifications, surveys or construction of any public improvement, upon the approval of the board of supervisors of counties of the fourth class.

(Expenses. Inspectors and field or office help.) The county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary traveling and field expenses of himself and chainmen or other necessary help in the field

The surveyor and his deputies shall devote their entire time and service to the work of the county, and are prohibited from engaging in private surveying and engineering work, and shall do all surveying and engineering work for the county, including the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of bridges

14. Classification of Townships. The registered population of the several judicial townships of this county is hereby determined to be the registered votes as shown by the great register of the county in the office of the county clerk January 1, 1923 as follows, to wit.

Township No. 1, Dos Palos	1,351
Township No. 2, Clovis	3,282
Township No. 3, Fresno	23,700
Township No. 4, Fowler	1,568
Township No. 5, Selma	2,751
Township No. 6, Coalinga	2,811
Township No. 7, Sanger	1,907
Township No. 8, Reedley	2,486
Township No. 9, Kingsburg	1,296
Township No. 10, Tollhouse	653
Township No. 11, Kerman	1,586
Township No. 12, Dunlap	271
Township No. 13, Laton	591
Township No. 14, Parlier	737
Township No. 15, Riverdale	779
Township No. 16, Del Rey	315
Township No. 17, Caruthers	1,171
Township No. 18,	1,407

And for the purpose of regulating the compensation of the constables and justices of the peace, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified as follows: Townships having a registered voting population of ten thousand and more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a like population of one thousand four hundred fifty and less than ten thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a like population of six hundred and less than one thousand four hundred fifty shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a like population of less than six hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

15. Justices of the Peace. Justices of the peace in townships of the first class shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month to be paid each month as the county officers are paid.

For each justice's court in townships of the first class there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace. Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers, and give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars, conditioned upon and for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office, which bonds shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers.

Said justice's clerk shall be authorized to administer all oaths, take and serve affidavits, and shall be authorized to issue and sign writs, summons and all other processes in any action or proceeding in the justice's court of the township for which he is appointed, or pending before any justice of the peace in said township, in the name of the justice before whom the same is pending, or out of whose court the same is issued, which shall be in substantially the following form:

"_____,
Justice of the Peace.

Attest:_____,
Clerk."

All legal papers of every kind in actions or proceedings in such justice's court shall be issued by the said justice's clerk in the manner and form hereinbefore set out. The said justice's clerk shall issue, sign and certify to any and all papers, transcripts or records which are required to be issued, signed or certified by said justice of the peace. All complaints, answers and other pleadings and papers required to be filed in the said justice's court, shall be filed with such justice's clerk, who shall keep a permanent record of such actions and proceedings in the justice's docket, now provided by law to be kept by such justice. Said clerk shall keep a record of the proceedings of said court and shall have the custody of all records and papers of the same.

All fees for the issuance of process, or other fees, which are by law allowed for any official service of the justice of the peace, shall be exacted and paid in advance into the hands of the justice's clerk which, together with all fees, fines, forfeitures or penalties received in said justice's court, shall be paid into the county treasury.

Said justice's clerk shall render each month to the county auditor and county treasurer an exact account, under oath, of all fines, forfeitures and penalties and fees received by him or collected by said court. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid.

In the event that the board of supervisors do provide, by order, that two justices' courts be established in any township of the first class, then and in such an event the justice of said additional court shall be entitled to and shall appoint a clerk for said additional court, which said clerk shall be vested with the same authority and charged with the same duties and entitled to the same compensation as the clerk of the justice's court hereinbefore provided for.

The board of supervisors shall provide, in a convenient locality, a suitable office and courtroom, including all necessary office furniture, telephone, light, heat and water and all necessary stationery and office supplies for the justices and clerks thereof for all justices' courts in and for townships of the first and second class.

Justices of the peace and persons now performing the duties of justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and the same shall be in full compensation for all their services rendered and shall include their office rent except as heretofore provided for justices and first and second class, to wit:

In townships of the second class	$100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

For each justice's court in townships other than the first class, there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace; *provided*, that the total number of cases, civil and criminal, filed in said court during the calendar year preceding such an appointment be six hundred fifty.

Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall have same qualifications, authority and duties as prescribed for clerks of justices' courts of the first class. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid. On the first day of each calendar

year, the justice of each court, entitled to a clerk under this provision shall file with the county clerk a certified list of all cases filed in his court for the preceding calendar year, giving titles of same.

Justices of the peace shall pay to the county treasurer once a month all fees and fines collected by them and shall be responsible for the collection and payment to the county treasurer of all such fees and fines as herein provided.

16 Constables. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and to be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit:

In townships of the first class	$125
In townships of the second class	100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

In addition to the monthly salaries above provided each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil cases, and shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to court or prison, which expenses shall be audited by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county treasury; *provided, further,* that when a constable is required to go out of the county to serve a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, he shall be allowed mileage in going and returning outside of the county at the rate of five cents per mile.

17 Supervisors. The supervisors shall receive each the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments of four hundred dollars per month, in full compensation for all services rendered, either as supervisors or road overseers. The supervisors shall devote their entire time to the work of the county.

18 Sealer of Weights and Measures. The sealer of weights and measures appointed under the provisions of section 17 of an act entitled as follows, to wit: "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the state's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a state superintendent of weights and measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," Stats. 1913, p. 1086; for counties of the fourth class shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month and he shall have three deputies at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month each, and in addition thereto he and his deputies shall be allowed their traveling expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties. For the purpose of subdivision 18 of this section the said act hereinbefore in this subsection referred to by title in so far as it purports to fix the salaries of the officers herein designated shall not apply.

19 Payment of Salaries. The salaries of all county and township officers and their deputies shall be payable in installments monthly on the first day of each month. (Amendment approved May 23, 1925; Stats. 1925 p. 954.)

SEC. 2. Effect of Act. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Foster as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 293, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FOSTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1120 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Little, Sewell, and Walters—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 9 of and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*m* and 4*n* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the registry of all dealers in seed and verification of origin statements.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wherrell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, following the comma after the word "hereof" insert the following "approved June 3, 1921,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, after the word "any" insert the following "agricultural seed, as herein specified,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, after the words "a wholesale" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, strike out the period following the word "agents" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and in addition thereto".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, strike out the capital "T" in the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof a small "t" (the).

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, strike out the following "a sworn affidavit," and insert in lieu thereof the following, "an affidavit".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 line 51, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, after the word "register", strike out the following: "or who neglects or refuses to give such evidences or origin as may be requested.", and insert in lieu thereof the following "or who refuses to furnish proof of the origin of any lot of seed which he has sold and/or has represented as having been produced in any particular place or locality or who refuses to furnish affidavit of origin as herein specified".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 16, 1927, strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof a period, and strike out everything from the word "and", in line 1, to and including the word "dollars", in line 7.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wherrell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 321, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

WHERRELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 447—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*b*, providing courses in forestry, the acquiring by school districts of necessary lands therefor outside such districts, the afforestation and reforestation thereof, and of public lands, and for transportation of pupils.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 447 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Bulls, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Deuel, Fisher, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Morrison, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, and Williamson—14.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Gant gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 447 was this day passed.

HON. HARRY L. PARKMAN IN THE CHAIR

At two o'clock and fourteen minutes p.m., Hon. Harry L. Parkman, member of the Assembly from the Forty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 558—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State forester to protect such area.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 558 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., and Gant—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, relating to bonds of contractors on public work.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 278 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 277—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof and for the districting, governing and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 9 of said act to provide for the preservation of the status of special improvement proceedings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 277 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-six minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend sections 7 and 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 297 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, four o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum,

Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FISHER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appointment of a State commission to act for the State, in conjunction with the United States commissioner created by joint resolution approved December 2, 1924, in the George Washington celebration to be held in the year 1932—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No 703—An act to amend section 453*bb* of the Civil Code, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 453*hh*, relating to mortgage insurance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exaction of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property under certain restrictions, or unless said cash put up as a bond is deposited in a savings account in a bank under certain restrictions, and providing penalties for violation of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to vital statistics and the duties of local registrars in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 15 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, 409, and 410, relating to foreign corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,

April 6, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1061 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill provides that all money received under provisions of the "California Grain Standardization Act" shall be paid into the State treasury monthly and paid to the credit of the general fund.

There is also before me Senate Bill No. 348, known as "The California Field Crops Inspection Act." This Senate bill seeks to repeal and replace the "California Grain Standardization Act," and provides that all money received under the proposed act shall be placed in the general fund. If the Senate bill is enacted into law, the Assembly bill becomes unnecessary to accomplish the object sought.

I am this day signing Senate Bill No. 348, and am therefore returning Assembly Bill No. 1061 without my approval.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and the reporting of certain election returns;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the state, to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911;" and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911.'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts; and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates;

Also Assembly Bill No 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires;

Also Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident or on account of fire.

Also Assembly Bill No 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center.

Also Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects," approved June 3, 1921;

Also Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274b, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters, and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county boards of forestry.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," approved March 20, 1889, relative to record of exclusion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to

municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation, and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving one certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 495 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of county auditors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

Also Senate Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 35 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 344—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, and the fees and mileage of jurors in counties of the thirty-ninth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 4, 1927, passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended by adding two new sections thereto, to be numbered 2½ and 50½, relating to certification of warehousemen.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 523 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 19 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," relating to evidence.

Also: Senate Bill No 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 343—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 690—An act to amend sections 290*b*, 290*c*, 290*d*, 290*e* and 290*f* of the Civil Code, relating to corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 726—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges,

Also: Senate Bill No. 731—An act to provide for declarations of intention concerning street and highway opening and widening and the establishment of future street lines by any county, city or city and county or by the State of California along any present or proposed street or highway.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 60 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No 226 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 343 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No 690 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 726 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 731 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At five o'clock and seven minutes p m., Mr. Wright moved that further proceedings under call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Wright, Spalding and Jacobson the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr Wright, that further proceedings under call of the House be dispensed with.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Witter and Wright—41.

NOES—Bishop, Burns Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Snyder, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—34.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock and thirteen minutes p m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scudder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—35.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—43

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was this day refused passage.

SPECIAL ORDER.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Clowdsley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "sale", insert the words "or manufacture".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Clowdsley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 118, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOWDSLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following concurrent resolutions were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relative to setting the time for adjournment forty-seventh session of California Legislature sine die.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also. Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Easley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 7, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 7, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Block, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Lieutenant Powell of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Hon. Wheaton Gray of Tulare County, former Presiding Justice of Court of Appeal, Second District, and former Court Commissioner of Supreme Court, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Miss June Lindsay of Santa Cruz was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Mrs. Belle Lindsay, county recorder of Santa Cruz, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mr. Morris Levy of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mr. Ike Goldman of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. William E. Owen, principal of the Wood School, Woodbridge, San Joaquin County, and the following eighth grade pupils: Ruth Atwell, Marguerite Caple, Ralphine Gordon, Malcolm Graham, Isami Kala, Elsie Palmer, Evelyn Roseberry, Eunice Allington; seventh grade, Nina Arnolfo, Gladys Blakesley, Roy Forsythe, Sarah Heib, Peggy Howard, Mildred Judge, Christopher Manna, Allene Mora, Gladys Marke, Ella Strother, Bonnie Yenglin, Annie Giesbrecht and Kathryn Graham were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. Wilmot Smith of San Bernardino was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. H. H. Ford of Redlands was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Fry, Dr. W. E Stevens of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr Fred G. Stoehr of Pasadena was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Captain J. F. Lynch, of Oakland police department, Frank C. Merritt, city clerk, Oakland, Miss Eloise G. Cushing, Alameda County law librarian, Mrs. Morton of Oakland and Mrs M. G. Cushing of Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

THE AMERICAN CONSERVATION CLUB.

WHEREAS, There has been proposed a bill before the Legislature of the State of California, to amend section 2322*a*17 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the horticultural commissioner and his deputies in Imperial County; and

WHEREAS, By said amendment the expense of said inspection will amount to approximately $40,000 per year and which it is contemplated to make a county charge; and

WHEREAS, Out of a total of approximately 600,000 acres of land in cultivation in Imperial County only a small portion thereof is planted to vegetables or which will in any manner derive any benefits from said inspection, yet which will be taxed and bear the expense thereof; and

WHEREAS, Said amendment provides for a large number of inspectors at a high salary and under which it would be possible for said inspectors to draw two salaries, which would probably render the bill unconstitutional; and

WHEREAS, Said proposed amendment has not been approved by the grand jury of Imperial County; and

WHEREAS, The only purpose of said inspection is to protect the vegetable growers against themselves and which will give no general protection to the balance of the citizens or property owners of Imperial County; now, therefore be it

Resolved, By the American Conservation Club that said club protest against the enactment of such amendement and request that the Senate and Assembly of the State of California refrain from enacting the same and in the event that the same shall be enacted we hereby urge the Governor to veto the same Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the Assembly of the State of California, and to our Assemblyman, Myron W. Witter

(Signed) JOHN O. GRESHAM President.
(Signed) A V. KLINTBERG, Secretary.

By Mr. Noyes.

SACRAMENTO REGION CITIZENS COUNCIL, INC

WHEREAS, The State of California, as a part of the flood control plan for the Sacramento Valley, has constructed across the county of Sutter a by-pass one mile in width for the purpose of carrying the flood waters of the Sacramento River, and

WHEREAS, The construction of said by-pass was and is of State concern and its construction no more benefit to the county of Sutter than to the remainder of the Sacramento Valley, and

WHEREAS, The land within said county has already been assessed several million dollars for the purpose of building said by-pass, and

WHEREAS, Said by-pass as constructed divides the county of Sutter and is impassable during the winter months; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Sacramento Region Citizens' Council, Inc., in regular session assembled this ninth day of March, 1927, that it is our opinion that the construction of a causeway across said by-pass is a matter of State concern and should be built and paid for entirely out of State funds; and be it further

Resolved, That we hereby endorse Assembly Bill No. 1175, providing for the construction of said causeway, and do hereby urge the Legislature of the State of California to enact such bill into law.

SIMON J LUBIN, President.

The above is a true and correct copy of resolution unanimously adopted by the Sacramento Region Citizens' Council, Inc., on March 9, 1927.

A S. DUDLEY, Secretary.

Also:

SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 681, by Mr. Cloudman, is a request for a very large sum of money for the purpose of rejuvenating hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The report of the Department of Public Works, Division of Engineering and Irrigation, Bulletin No 12, specifically recommends the rehabilitation of hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The report of the Hydraulic Mining Commission calls attention to the feasibility of the resumption of hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, Mining by the hydraulic process in the past filled the beds of the rivers and streams flowing through the Sacramento Valley with sand, gravel and mining debris to such an extent as to destroy the navigability of the Feather River and to cause other rivers and streams to overflow their banks to the destruction of thousands of acres of the richest lands in Sutter, Yuba and other counties by covering these lands with sand and gravel to the depth of from five to twenty feet; and

WHEREAS, The destruction of whole counties was prevented by building of huge levees along both banks of these streams at tremendous expense to the farmers who were compelled to tax themselves for the purpose; and

WHEREAS, This destruction and menace were abated only after years of expensive legal strife, which greatly embittered the residents of the farming section of the valley and the mining sections of the mountains; and

WHEREAS, Great sums of money have been spent by the State, the county and the farmers in reclamation and protection projects made necessary by hydraulic mining; and

WHEREAS, The bond issues upon the land of the farmers made necessary to pay for these projects still hang over the farmers in staggering amounts; and

WHEREAS, We are certain that mining by the hydraulic process can not be carried on in any way to any great extent without causing further fills in our rivers and streams, thereby rendering our levees, which are now built as high as practicable, inadequate, experience has assured us that no dam can be constructed in such a manner as to retain all of the debris which is thrown into the streams by the hydraulic process of mining and from past experience and observation we are convinced that a great portion of the debris from the mines now operating above the structure known as Bullard's Bar Dam is now passing over the top of the dam and on down into the valley below, thus continuing to fill the rivers more and more; and

WHEREAS, In many places along some of our rivers the present bed of the river is as high, or even higher, than the natural ground outside the present levees, therefore be it

Resolved, By the Sutter Basin Chamber of Commerce, the personnel of which is composed of farmers who have and are now bearing the burden of the fight in the past and who must suffer the consequences of this destructive force in the future, should it be resumed, that we are unalterably opposed to the resumption of mining by hydraulic process upon the headwaters of the streams which flow through the valley, and we pledge ourselves to use all legal means to prevent its resumption and if necessary to organize the Anti-Debris Society and carry on the fight as in the past, for our homes and this beloved valley

SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
By GEORGE C. ROANTREE, Secretary.

Also:

SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

March 12, 1927.

Mrs. Cora Woodbridge, Assemblywoman, Ninth Assembly District, State Capitol Sacramento, California.

MY DEAR MRS. WOODBRIDGE: We are writing you in regard to pending legislation which is now before the Legislature. Our Assemblyman, Mr. F. B. Noyes, has introduced a bill for the appropriation of $250,000 for the construction of a causeway over the Sutter By-pass at a point west of Tudor, on the Yuba City-Woodland cut-off road.

As you are probably aware, the Sutter By-pass cuts Sutter County in half, and practically isolates southwest Sutter County from all of the territory lying east of the by-pass during the winter months, when the by-pass is full of water. During the summer time, this road which has been open for travel for several years, although only a dirt road for part of the distance, is a very popular cut-off and is destined to become one of the most important cross lanes in the State. Sutter County and Yolo County have joined together in the formation of a Bi-county Highway Association for the purpose of paving the twelve miles of dirt road which is not already paved.

We in this community feel that this bridge is a vital necessity, and will do for the upper Sacramento Valley what the Yolo Causeway has done for Sacramento and the lower Sacramento Valley. We are sending you herewith a copy of the resolution adopted by our local chamber of commerce sponsoring this bill, and hope that you will be able to give it your very able assistance.

We wish also to bring to your attention Assembly Bill No 681, which calls for an appropriation of $300 000 for building dam sites in the mountains for the purpose of retaining the tailings from placer mining. We also enclose herewith resolution adopted by our local chamber of commerce protesting against this measure for the following reasons

First—Because the proposed plan will not function as it is supposed to, this being proven by the Bullards Bar Dam, which is a living example of what would result should this bill pass Dams in the mountains built for the purpose of restraining the tailings from hydraulic mining will not prevent sand or gravel and sediment from reaching the lower rivers, filling the stream beds

Second—The territory adjacent to the rivers of the interior valleys, and particularly in the reclamation areas, are already heavily burdened with taxes, and the further filling up of the streams with debris would necessitate even heavier taxation, beyond the point which the farmers would be able to bear.

Third—We do not believe that the State of California should subsidize any industry to the extent of $300,000, when the money could be spent to so much greater advantage in the further development of State highways, water ways, flood control measures, State institutions, etc.

Fourth—We believe that federal aid, which is necessary for the assistance of California reclamation districts will not be forthcoming from Congress as long as hydraulic mining is legalized and permissible, and is a subsidized industry of the State

We know that you represent a district which has a great many people engaged in the mining industry but your largest centers of population are in the agricultural district, and we feel that your keen interest in the future of the Sacramento Valley will convince you that this measure will work injury on a territory which is already heavily overburdened with taxes, and that your territory will swing to the support of the people of this great valley and work to defeat this measure.

We wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your enthusiastic and common sense stand on all sound and just matters which have come before you

With kindest personal regards to yourself and to Dr. Woodbridge, we beg to remain

Very truly yours,

SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
By W. J. DUFFY, JR., President.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1265—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code and to repeal section 3627*a* of said code, all relating to revenue and taxation—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after the comma following the figures "1923", insert the following "as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the period following the word "exchanges", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", trading in butter, cheese or eggs."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after the comma following the figures "1923", insert the following "as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15 of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the word "thirty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ninety".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the following: "the department of"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 17 1927, strike out all of lines 7 to 36, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

(d) It shall be the duty of the director of agriculture to examine the application, and if he finds that the applicant has fully complied with the provisions of this act, he shall issue to said applicant a license authorizing it to operate such a dairy produce exchange. Said license shall recite in bold type that the issuance thereof is permissive only and does not constitute a recommendation or endorsement of the rules and regulations or bases of trade under which said applicant proposes to operate

(e) The director of agriculture may upon his own motion and shall, upon the verified complaint in writing of any person, investigate the actions of any dairy produce exchange as defined by this act, and shall have the power to temporarily suspend or permanently revoke licenses issued under the provisions of this act whenever the holder thereof is guilty of:

1. Failing to supply all the information required by the provisions of subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and 4 of subsection (c) of this section

2. Making any false statements or misrepresentations of facts to the director of agriculture.

3 Fraud or deception in his or its application for or procurement of a license.

4 Any other conduct, whether of the same or a different character than hereinabove specified, which is unlawful

5. Violation of any law or ordinance of the state or any city or county of the rules of the federal trade commission governing unfair trade practices in the handling of butter, cheese and/or eggs

(f) Before suspending or revoking any license, the said director of agriculture shall notify in writing the applicant or holder of such license of the charges against him or it, and afford an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel in reference thereto

(g) Every order, decision or other official act of the director of agriculture, including every decision suspending or revoking any license under this act, shall be subject to review in accordance with the provisions of chapter I of title I of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure, and any party aggrieved by any such order, or decision of the director of agriculture may, within thirty days from date of written notice of said decision or order, appeal therefrom to the superior court of the State or California, in and for the county in which the said dairy produce exchange affected by such decision has its place of business under the terms of this act, by serving upon the director of agriculture a notice of such appeal and a demand in writing for a certified transcript of all the papers on file in his office affecting or relating to such decision and all the evidence taken on the hearing. Thereupon the said director of agriculture shall, within thirty days, upon payment of the costs therefor by the appealing party, make and certify such transcript The applicant shall, within fifteen days after receiving the same, file the same and the notice of

appeal with the clerk of said court. Upon the hearing of said appeal the burden of proof shall lie upon the party appealing and the court shall receive and consider any pertinent evidence, whether oral or documentary, concerning the action of the director of agriculture from which the appeal is taken

(h) In the event of the suspension or revocation of any license the decision of the director of agriculture shall not take effect until thirty days after its date. In the event of an appeal from the decision of the director of agriculture to any court of competent jurisdiction in the State of California, the decision of the director of agriculture shall remain in effect pending the determination of such appeal, unless the party appealing and aggrieved by such decision of the director of agriculture shall file with said court a bond in a sum to be fixed by said court, which bond shall be in favor of the people of the State of California, and be conditioned upon the faithful performance of all those things which are ordered to be done, or the faithful observance of such restraint as may be directed by the director of agriculture. Said bond shall be for the benefit of any person having dealings with such appellant, and any such person so dealing with the same shall have the right to commence a suit thereon in his own name against appellant and his sureties.

(i) (1) The director of agriculture shall have power to administer oaths, certify to all official acts and to issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers. In any hearing in any part of the state, the process issued by the director of agriculture shall extend to all parts of the state, and may be served by any person authorized to serve process of courts of record, or by any person designated for that purpose by the director of agriculture. The person serving any process shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by the director of agriculture, not to exceed fees prescribed by law for similar service, and such fees shall be paid in the same manner as provided herein for the payment of fees of witnesses.

(2) Each witness who shall appear by order of the director of agriculture shall receive for his attendance the same fees and mileage allowed by law to a witness in civil cases, which amount shall be paid by the party at whose request such witness is subpoenaed. When any witness who has not been required to attend at the request of any party shall be subpoenaed by the director of agriculture, his fees and mileage shall be paid from the funds that the director of agriculture may accumulate out of fees to be obtained from applicants for licenses.

(j) (1) The superior court, in and for the county in which any hearing may be held by the director of agriculture shall have the power to compel the attendance of witnesses, the giving of testimony and the production of books and papers as required by any subpoena issued by the director of agriculture. In case of the refusal of any witness to attend or testify or produce any papers required by such subpoena, the director of agriculture may report to the superior court, in and for the county in which the hearing is pending, by petition, setting forth that due notice has been given of the time and place of attendance of said witness, or the production of said papers, and that the witness has been examined in the manner prescribed in this act, or that the witness has failed or refused to attend or produce the papers required by subpoena before the director of agriculture, in the cause or proceeding named in the subpoena, or has refused to answer questions propounded to him in the course of such hearing, and ask an order of said court compelling the witness to attend and testify or produce said papers before the director of agriculture.

(2) The court upon petition of the director of agriculture shall enter an order directing the witness to appear before the court at a time and place to be fixed by the court in such order, but the time to be not more than ten days from the date of the order, and then and there show cause why he has not attended or testified or produced said papers before the said director of agriculture. A copy of said order shall be served upon said witness. If it shall appear to the court that said subpoena was regularly issued by the director of agriculture and duly served, and if it shall appear that said testimony and/or said books or papers are relevant, material and pertinent to the hearing being held by the said director of agriculture, then the court shall thereupon enter an order that said witness appear before the director of agriculture at the time and place fixed in said order, and testify or produce the required papers, and upon failure to obey said order said witness shall be dealt with as for contempt of court.

(k) The director of agriculture, may, upon his own motion or upon application of the complainant or the licensee in any hearing before him cause the deposition of witnesses residing within or without the state to be taken, in the manner prescribed by law for like depositions in civil cases in the superior courts of this state, and to that end may compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers.

(l) For each license, the director of agriculture shall charge the sum of $100, which said sum must accompany the application for the said license. Except as otherwise provided herein each license issued by the director of agriculture shall continue in effect so long as the licensee shall continue in business, and shall pay a fee of $100 annually to the director of agriculture, such fee being payable on the first Monday of each calendar year.

All fees collected under the provisions of this section shall be paid into a fund to be known as "dairy produce exchange fund" which fund is hereby created. Any moneys so paid into such fund may be expended by the director of agriculture in enforcing the provisions of this section

(*m*) The director of agriculture may require such monthly or other periodical reports, records of market quotations and other statistical information as may be necessary to him in administering this act, and all such reports, statistics or information pertinent to each licensee shall be kept on file in the office of the director of agriculture and subject to public inspection.

(*n*) The director of agriculture shall have access to all records of every licensed dairy produce exchange, and may appoint a representative to sit with the board of directors or other governing body of such exchange.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, at the beginning of line 37, strike out "(*e*)", and insert in lieu thereof "(*o*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out all of lines 12 to 44, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Any person, firm or corporation who or which shall operate a dairy produce exchange without a license shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall also be liable to pay to the State of California the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every day of such operation, said moneys to be recovered by an action at law brought by the attorney general in the name of the people of the State of California. Any person who shall make any false statement in applying for a license or shall violate any rule or decision of the director of agriculture authorized by this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the figure "3", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, strike out the last three words in line 8 and the first two words in line 9, as follows: "or any of its members".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, insert a period after the word "licensee", and strike out the last three words "or the members", and strike out all of line 11.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 4, line 17, of the printed amended bill, strike out the word "proceedings", and in lieu thereof insert the word "proceeds".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 337—An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act, approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to party conventions and nomination papers

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 703—An act to amend section 453*bb* of the Civil Code, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 453*hh*, relating to mortgage insurance.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "four hundred fifty-three *hh*", and insert in lieu thereof "four hundred fifty-three *gg½*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, after the word "insurance", strike out the period, and add the words "in this state."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "453*hh*", and insert in lieu thereof "453*gg½*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, strike out the following: "453*hh*", and insert in lieu thereof "453*gg*½".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, after the comma following the word "defined", insert "in California,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, after the word "insurance", and preceding the comma, insert the words "in California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 14, 1927, after the word "insurance", and preceding the first comma, insert the words "in California".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO ON ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND SIXTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "Grain Standardization fund."

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the consideration of her motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Scofield moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 311 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Scofield moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 670 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Gant moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 447 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Williamson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 650 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J. (by request): An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Gorham Brothers against the State of California.

By Mr. Crawford (by request): An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. A. Howell against the State of California.

By Mr. Easley: An act to amend section one thousand six hundred thirteen of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 637 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 19x56 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 252 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wemple moved that Assembly Bill No. 657 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 657 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1227 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Smith—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 26 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the State, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 17, 1909, as amended, relating to the classification of counties into agricultural districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1238 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

Mr. West moved that the Assembly resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering Assembly Bills Nos. 1263, 1264, 1265 and 1266.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assembly Bills Nos. 1263, 1264, 1265 and 1266 considered.

Mr. Jones moved that the committee do now rise and report in favor of the passage of the bills.

Motion carried.

IN ASSEMBLY.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

The following report of Committee of the Whole was received and read:

GENTLEMEN The Committee of the Whole has had under consideration Assembly Bills Nos 1263, 1264 and 1265, and does now report the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LEVEY, Chairman.

Also:

GENTLEMEN The Committee of the Whole has had under consideration Assembly Bill No. 1266, and does now report the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LEVEY, Chairman.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "ten, eleven and fifteen", and insert in lieu thereof the following "fifteen, sixteen, eighteen and nineteen"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "10, 11 and 15", and insert in lieu thereof the following. "15, 16, 18 and 19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "is", and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-FOUR

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "four hundred nine, and four hundred ten,", and insert in lieu thereof the following. "and four hundred nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "405", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "406".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "405", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "406"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "state", insert the following "and the place of business or residence of such person".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "event", insert the following "that such person cannot be found at the place designated or in the event".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "406", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "408".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 16 to 22, inclusive, and the words "provisions of the preceeding section.", in line 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following

408 Every corporation which complies with the provisions of sections 405 and 406 of this code is thereafter entitled to the benefit of the laws of this state limiting the time for the commencement of civil actions but any corporation created by or under the laws of any foreign state or country that has not complied with said sections is not entitled to the benefit thereof, nor can any such foreign corporation

maintain or defend any action or proceeding concerning its property in this state or any intrastate business or transaction, in any court of this state.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "chapter", and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "408", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "405".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "408", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "405".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "doing", insert the word "intrastate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "herein", insert the words "for such purpose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "do", insert the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "herein", insert the words "for such purpose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "doing", insert the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "owns", insert the words "any real".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 39 to 45, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Such corporation shall also file any amendment of or change in any of the provisions of its original articles of incorporation, or charter, or of the statute or legislative, executive or governmental act or acts creating it. Every such corporation shall pay to the secretary of state for filing in his office such certified copy of its articles of incorporation, or if its charter, or of the statute or statutes, or legislative, or executive or governmental act or acts creating it, a fee of one hundred dollars; *provided*, that foreign corporations organized for educational, religious, scientific or charitable purposes and having no capital stock, and foreign nonprofit corporations shall pay a fee of five dollars for filing the document or documents hereinabove required."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "410", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "409".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill strike out the figures "410", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "409"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 50 and 51, and the word and figures "and 409", in line 52, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "neglect or fail to comply with the conditions of section 405".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words and figures "sections 408 and 409", and insert in lieu thereof the word and figures "section 405".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the Governor, who shall instruct"; also strike out all of lines 6 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the attorney general of the state who shall, as soon as practicable, institute proceedings to recover the fine provided for in this section, and the amount so recovered must be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the general fund of the state. In addition to the penalty herein provided every contract made by or on behalf of any such foreign corporation affecting the personal liability thereof or relating to

property within the state shall be held void on its behalf and on behalf of its assigns, but shall be enforceable against it or them Any such corporation which, prior to the eighth day of March, 1901, shall have complied with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to amend 'An act in relation to foreign corporations,' approved April 1, 1872," approved March 17, 1899, is exempted from the provisions of this section and section 405 of this code"

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, following the words "An act to amend sections", strike out all of the remaining language, and insert in lieu thereof the following "three thousand six hundred twenty-seven three thousand six hundred twenty-seven *a*, three thousand six hundred twenty-eight, three thousand six hundred fifty of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 22, inclusive; also, on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 27, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "SEC. 2.", and insert in lieu thereof the following words "SECTION 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "value", insert the following: "In determining the full cash value of shares of capital stock there shall be deducted the value of the property in California of the corporation by which such shares of capital stock are issued."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 34 and 35, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC 2 Section 3627*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

3627*a*. Each county or city and county shall tax notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits and mortgages or deeds of trust, which are taxable to the owner thereof under the provisions of the laws of the state, at a rate of one and forty-five hundredths per centum of the full cash value thereof, *provided*, that the taxpayer shall have included such property in the annual statement under oath made and delivered to the assessor as required by law, *provided*, that in the event of failure or refusal to file such annual statement such property shall be assessed at double its full cash value In determining the full cash value of the property hereinbefore enumerated in this section the assessor shall not take into account the existence of any custom or common method, if any, of assessing any other class or classes of property at less than the full cash value thereof The taxes so collected shall be deposited in the general fund of the county or city and county in which such property is taxed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "In assessing solvent credits not secured by", also strike out lines 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following "In assessing solvent credits, not secured by mortgage, deed of trust, contract or other obligation, where land situated within this state is pledged as security therefor, a deduction from the assessed value shall be made of such debts, unsecured by mortgage, deed of trust, contract or other obligation, where land situated within this state is pledged as security therefor, as may be owing by such person, firm, corporation or association to bona fide residents of this state."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 10 to 52, inclusive; also strike out all of lines 1 to 8, inclusive, on page 4 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO CONTINUE SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the further consideration of Assembly Bills Nos. 1263, 1264, 1265 and 1266 was continued until three o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 576 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1209 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Noyes moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, after the words "thirty-seven *q*", add the letter "*q*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the figures "737*q*", insert the letter "*q*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures "737*q*", insert the letter "*q*".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Noyes as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 62, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NOYES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Keaton moved that Assembly Bill No. 685 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 685 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend sections 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3732, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758, and 3759 of the Political Code of California relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Woolwine moved that Assembly Bill No. 733 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 733 to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m , the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Crawford (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. A. Howell against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J. (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Gorham Brothers against the State of California

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution, relative to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 15, 16, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for non-compliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, and 409, relating to foreign corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3627, 3627*a*, 3628, 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure,

relating to the disqualification of judges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to whom shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of clerks of city justice's courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors

Also: Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority,

Also: Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 682—An act to repeal section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale of real property, and granting of easements by religious corporations;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election

of November 3 1914—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the Terminal Weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act

Also Assembly Bill No 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relative to setting the time for adjournment forty-seventh session of California Legislature sine die—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 ordered on file for adoption.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the acquisition and construction of that certain part of the State Highway system between Big Sur, in the county of Monterey, State of California, and the southerly boundary of said county of Monterey, as provided by section 2 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California (being a part of that highway described in said section as Carmel to San Simeon), and authorizing the use of convict labor for such construction—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON REVISION AND PRINTING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 394—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a legislative manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 570—An act to amend sections 2337, 2338, 2341, 2344 and 2346 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Department of Public Welfare—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully

reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Education.

FINLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by amending section 22 of article IV, relating to the expenditure of public money in State aid—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21 ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 921 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Keaton, Kelsey, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to election of officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1101 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 179 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55
NOES—Clowdsley—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jewett moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the word "eight", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighty".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jewett as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 764, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

JEWETT, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appointment of a State commission to act for the State, in conjunction with the United States commission created by joint resolution approved December 2, 1924, in the George Washington Celebration to be held in the year 1932.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

Relative to the appointment of a State commission to act for the State, in conjunction with the United States commission created by joint resolution approved December 2, 1924, in the George Washington celebration to be held in the year 1932.

WHEREAS, Congress of the United States by joint resolution, approved December 2, 1924, established the United States commission for the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington, composed of nineteen commissioners; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to said resolution of Congress the President of the United States, the presiding officer of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have been designated as members of the commission; eight distinguished American citizens have been appointed by the President of the United States; four United States Senators have been appointed by the President pro tempore of the Senate, and four Representatives have been appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, all constituting a commission of nineteen members; and

WHEREAS, The significance of this proposed celebration equals in importance any historical event that has ever been commemorated by the nation, honoring as it does *the memory and deeds of George Washington, who led the American people through* a campaign which won for them their independence, who presided at the convention which gave to the republic its constitution, who was the nation's first president, and who died, and has since lived, as "first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen"; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That a State commission is hereby created to consist of fifteen members, of whom three ex officio members shall be the Governor of California, the Lieutenant Governor of California and the Speaker of the Assembly, and of whom six shall be appointed by the Governor, three by the President of the Senate appointed from among the members of the Senate and three by the Speaker of the Assembly from among the members of the Assembly, to act for the State in conjunction with the United States commission created by said resolution in the George Washington celebration to be held in the year 1932.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend section 1461 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1780, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, relating to bonds of contractors on public work.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

RECESS.

At two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Mr. Jones moved that the Assembly be declared at recess for the purpose of being addressed by Hon. C. C. Young, Governor of California, and Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, United States Senator from California.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Jacobson, Rochester and Reindollar as a Select Committee to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the purpose of escorting the Hon. C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California, and Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, United States Senator from California, to the bar of the Assembly.

During the recess addresses were made by Hon. C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California, Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, United States Senator from California, and Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. RAY WILLIAMSON IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p m., Hon. Ray Williamson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 18 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Finley, Fisher, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Patterson, Snyder, and Wright—19.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 15, 16, 18 and 19 of an act entitled, "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1263 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—Little, and Sewell—2

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Patterson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1263 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 405, 406, 408 and 409, relating to foreign corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO PASS ON FILE.

Mr. Patterson moved that Assembly Bill No. 1264 be passed on file.

Motion lost.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add five new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 405, 406, 408 and 409, relating to foreign corporations.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1264 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Davis, Little, Lyons, Scofield, and Sewell—5.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr Patterson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1264 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No 1265—An act to amend sections 3627, 3627*a*, 3628, 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Badham, Crawford, Davis, Little, Lyons, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell and Walters—10.

Assembly Bill No 1265—An act to amend sections 3627, 3627*a*, 3628, 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1265 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Badham, Crawford, Davis, Little, Lyons, Scofield, Sewell, and Walters—8.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Patterson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1265 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Davis, Little, Lyons, Sewell, and Walters—5.

Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1266 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Davis, Little, Lyons, Sewell, and Walters—5.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Patterson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1266 was this day passed.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 475—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the Street Opening Act of 1903, approved March 23, 1903, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 475 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 193—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 193 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 151 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relating to adjournment—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31 ordered on file for adoption.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, April 8, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 8, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Williamson, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Feigenbaum, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mrs. H. F. McGowan, teacher of the Shasta Union School of Butte County; the accompanying parents, Mrs. M. G Hamm, Mrs. W. M. Spesert, Mr. and Mrs. George Parker and Mr. A. Pelko; and the following pupils: Ruth McGowan, Marion Thomasson, Margaret Thomasson, Zola Thomasson, Lester Franks, Paul Parker, Reginald Maxfield, Don Maxwell, Max Helphenstine, Robert Stallings, Walter Kesterson, Paul Pelko, Frank Nunes, Joyce Stahl, Lucile Spesert and Clifford Haynes were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mrs. Beth Rummel, teacher, Mr. S. Bennett and Mr. George Hancock, trustees, and the following pupils of the Nord School of Butte County: Alice Ruffinelli, Theresa Ruffinelli, Almeta Lee, Elidia Quadros, Ornan Lee, Manuel Quadros, John Wise, Kenneth Bennett, Albert Felix, Alexander Felix, Tony Carlos, Joe Carlos, Anita Felix, Margarita Felix and Edwin Hamilton were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Jacobson, Mr Carl L. Maritzen of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

To the Hon. F. B. Vosco,
Assemblyman, Eighth District, State of California.

WHEREAS, You have framed and introduced a bill into the Legislature of the State of California, for the appropriation of $250,000 for the construction of a causeway or bridge over the Sutter By-pass at a point where the summer road of the Yuba City-Woodland cutoff crosses the Sutter By-pass; and

WHEREAS, Under present conditions this road is impassable across the by-pass for several months each year during the rainy and freshet season, due to water flowing through the Sutter By-pass and the muddy condition of the road; and

WHEREAS, This condition is of great inconvenience to the people of your district, and to all of the people who travel by automobile in this part of California; and

WHEREAS, It is of particular inconvenience to the people of the Sutter Basin, forming a barrier between that wealthy and rapidly growing territory and the rest of Sutter County; and

WHEREAS, The summer traffic over the Yuba City-Woodland cutoff has proven beyond a doubt that this proposed bridge is a necessity, and this cutoff is destined to become one of the busiest crossroads in northern California; and

WHEREAS, The proposed bridge would bring northern California points approximately twenty-five miles nearer to San Francisco and the bay region and the coast districts; and

WHEREAS, The county of Sutter and the county of Yolo have formed a Bi-county Highway Association and are forming plans for the paving of approximately twelve miles of unpaved road on this Yuba City-Woodland cutoff; and

WHEREAS, The proposed bridge would be the connecting link on this important highway and would be of great benefit and value to the people of California and particularly to the people of the Sutter Basin district; be it there

Resolved, That the Sutter Basin Chamber of Commerce is wholeheartedly and enthusiastically in favor of your bill for appropriation to build this bridge, and hereby insures you and your colleagues its undivided support.

(Signed) SUTTER BASIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
By GEORGE C. ROANTREE, Secretary.

Also:

SUTTER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Resolution favoring adoption of Assembly Bill No. 1175:

WHEREAS, The Sutter By-pass was constructed under State supervision, to relieve the Sacramento River of flood waters, as a flood protection for all the counties along the Sacramento River, both north and south of Sutter County It is of equal benefit to Glenn, Butte, Colusa, Sacramento, Yuba and Yolo counties, as it is to Sutter County Not alone is it of equal benefit to these other counties, but it serves them, without any of the inconveniences that are suffered by Sutter County, by virtue of its location; and

WHEREAS, The Sutter By-pass is a strip about a mile wide made by two parallel levees which run diagonally across Sutter County from the northwest to the southeast corners It is capable of carrying off seven times more water than the Sacramento River: and

WHEREAS, It is not and never was a natural waterway and might just as well have been constructed through Colusa County on the west side of the Sacramento River as through Sutter County, and

WHEREAS, This fact was pointed out in the suit brought by the people of Sutter County to prevent, along with other damages, the severing of five roads across the county by the construction of the by-pass. The State fought the case and the Supreme Court ruled against Sutter County, and

WHEREAS, In the winter months when the by-pass is carrying flood waters from the Sacramento River, the southwestern portion of Sutter County (about two-fifths of the total area of the county) is practically isolated from the rest of the county; and

WHEREAS, In order for this isolated section of the county to reach Yuba City, the county seat, or in fact any portion of the county east of the by-pass, under these conditions, it is necessary to travel either south to Sacramento and then north to Marysville, a distance of about one hundred miles, or to travel north to Meridian (over a road that is frequently impassable to machines in wet weather) and then east to Yuba City by the unfinished Tahoe-Ukiah highway, a distance of about fifty miles; and

WHEREAS, The distance between Yuba City, the county seat of Sutter County, and Woodland, the county seat of Yolo County, while only forty miles during the dry months is increased to eighty-two miles during the winter months, and

WHEREAS, The people of Sutter County feel that their county is forced to bear this hardship, not alone as a protection to themselves, but as an equal protection to Glenn, Butte, Colusa, Sacramento, Yuba and Yolo counties, and for this reason they are deserving of outside aid in building the causeway over the by-pass connecting the severed portions of their county; and

WHEREAS, Aside from the merits of the case as stated above, the Woodland-Yuba City highway through Sutter County, as shown by the attached map, will be of great benefit to the touring public, especially those traveling from points north of Yuba City to points south of Davis; and

WHEREAS, The causeway will shorten the distance between these points by twenty and one-half miles as compared to the east side highway route through Sacramento, Roseville and Marysville, and seventeen miles as compared to the Garden Highway route through Sacramento, Nicolaus and Yuba City; and

WHEREAS, The Sutter By-pass causeway will relieve, in a considerable measure, the congestion on the Yolo causeway, which, we understand, is becoming a serious problem and

WHEREAS, The route served by this proposed Sutter By-pass causeway is paved with the exception of a stretch of seven miles south of the by-pass, and four and one-half miles north of the by-pass, a total of eleven and one-half miles; and

WHEREAS, This route will be popular for tourists is attested to by the fact that it is now used considerably during the spring, summer and fall months. A check made at Marysville showed that more than fifty per cent of the inquiries made by tourists are made in reference to this route to San Francisco via the Woodland-Yuba City cutoff; and

WHEREAS, There is a bill before the Legislature entitled Assembly Bill No. 1175 asking for an appropriation to build a causeway over said by-pass; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by this board, That said Assembly Bill No. 1175 be passed and said appropriation to build said causeway be made

Passed and adopted by the supervisors of Sutter County on March 8, 1927, by the following vote:

Ayes—F. H. Graves, E. E. Reeves, J. C. Ahlf, J. B. Heiken, Geo H. Trevathan.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½

to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said map unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

Also Assembly Bill No 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Also Assembly Bill No 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*e*17 of the Political Code relating to the expenses of the county board of horticulture.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass as amended

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4264*b*, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10*a* and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution, of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, as amended, and to

add a new section thereto to be numbered section 12, relating to the formation and dissolution of county fire protection districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom and the satisfaction of the obligations thereof

Also, Senate Bill No 655—An act to amend sections 15 and 17 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the purchase of materials and supplies and providing for cooperation of said flood control district with public and private corporations;

Also Senate Bill No 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor,

Also: Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 2322a8 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, clerks and inspectors in counties of the eighth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 264—An act to amend section 4232a of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of jurors in counties of the third class;

Also: Senate Bill No 449—An act to amend sections 4039 and 4076 of the Political Code, relating to claims against the county and records thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16a4 consecutively to 16a58 to and to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputies sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 629 of the Penal Code, relating to the installation and maintenance of fish screens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship,

Also Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16a, 16b, 16c, 16d and 16e to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved

March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause

Also: Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 2a of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith'," approved May 19, 1915, approved May 8, 1917, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 626f of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be killed,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1907, as amended,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

KELSEY, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15 ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 132—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 298—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes;

Also Senate Bill No. 299—An act to amend sections 1830, 1836 and 1840 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to elementary and district school funds and taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No 300—An act to amend section 1612*a* of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the time of preparing and filing school budgets

Also: Senate Bill No 527—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the attorney general and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office by fixing the salaries of such assistant and of the chief deputy, and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies.

Also Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 132 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No 298 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 299 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 300 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation

Senate Bill No 527 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Senate Bill No. 528 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said code to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*j*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations;

Also Senate Bill No. 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State board of accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accounts; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending subdivision 3 of section 2 by providing that no person shall be compelled to work or be employed, at any time, in the office of a certified public accountant as a prerequisite to taking such examination;

Also Senate Bill No 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Also Senate Bill No 44—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke suspend or refuse to grant licenses, providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question prohibiting the conducting of agencies in connection with pool halls and soft drink parlors and more specifically defining what are employment agencies

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 788 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 234 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 21 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 44 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, amending section 1 of said act so as to make said act applicable to all jails and to all prisoners in prison for misdemeanors whether in county jails or in city prisons, by amending said act so as to provide that in cities where a municipal court has been established, the board of parole commissioners for such municipal

court shall consist of the presiding judge of said court, the chief of police and the prosecuting attorney of such city.

Also: Senate Bill No. 851—An act to validate the organization and existence of county water districts.

Also: Senate Bill No. 870—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 542 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 851 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 870 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 874 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to the observance of American Forest Week, April 24 to April 30, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Jewett (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Bishop:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the commission to award reparation.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fisher:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and con-

tainers thereof labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Finley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 173 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 5, insert "*provided*, that the ownership of taxable or assessable property within the state or any political subdivision thereof, or any irrigation, reclamation, drainage, improvement, assessment, or other district, shall not be deemed an interest within the meaning of this subdivision so as to disqualify any justice, judge, or justice of the peace, from sitting or acting in any action or proceeding in which the state or such political subdivision thereof, or such irrigation, reclamation, drainage, improvement, assessment, or other district is a party, or is interested."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out "the superior court", and insert in lieu thereof "a court of record".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out "the superior court", and insert in lieu thereof "a court of record".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out "the superior court", and insert in lieu thereof "a court of record".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the superior court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "governor", and insert in lieu thereof "chairman of the judicial council".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "governor", and insert in lieu thereof "chairman of the judicial council".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "governor", and insert in lieu thereof "chairman of the judicial council".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "superior", and insert in lieu thereof the word "other".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "superior".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "governor", and insert in lieu thereof "chairman of the judicial council".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "superior".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 21 to 32, inclusive, and on page 4 strike out lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof "the disqualification mentioned in either subdivision 2 or 3 of this section may be waived by the written stipulation of the parties."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof ", or to a municipal court if the action be cognizable therein."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, after the words "another justice's court", insert ", or to a municipal court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, after line 17, add the following:

3. If in a municipal court to another municipal court, or to a justice's court, if the action be cognizable therein, otherwise to a superior court.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 13 and 14 of page 2, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

10. For filing amended articles of incorporation, except as otherwise provided for, five dollars; for filing amended articles of incorporation which provide for additional shares having no nominal or par value, five dollars for each five thousand additional shares, or fraction thereof, but in no case less than fifteen dollars; for filing amended articles of incorporation changing the stock of a corporation from shares having a par value to shares having no nominal or par value, five dollars for each five thousand shares, or fraction thereof, therein provided for, but in no case less than fifteen dollars; for filing amended articles of incorporation changing the stock of a corporation from shares having no nominal or par value to shares having a par value, or amended articles of incorporation authorizing a corporation which has no capital stock to issue shares of capital stock having a par value, five dollars for each fifty thousand dollars of capital stock so authorized, or fraction thereof, but in no case less than fifteen dollars

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, after the word "cents", add two new paragraphs reading as follows:

27. For each notary public commission signed by the governor and attested by the secretary of state, five dollars

28. For filing a certified copy of a permit issued by the commissioner of corporations pursuant to section 309½, Civil Code, five dollars.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 1381, relating to who shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "whom shall be deemed a party of interest", and insert in lieu thereof "the rights of the United States government or a department or bureau thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "minor", and insert in lieu thereof "in cases where compensation, pension, insurance, or other allowance is made,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, strike out the words "shall be deemed a party of interest and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of clerks of city justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "mayor", insert the following: "or if the clerk's salary is paid by the county, shall be approved as provided for county officers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or county treasury", and in lieu thereof insert the following: "treasury, or into the county treasury if the salary of the clerk is paid by the county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "supervisors", insert the following: "where the salary of the clerk is paid by the county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "class" and before the word "shall", insert the following: "where there is a police court or other inferior court organized under the city charter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "dollars", insert the following: "Every clerk of the justice's court in any city or town of the second and one-half class, where there is no police court or other inferior court organized under the city charter, shall receive an annual salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, lines 11 and 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "out of the treasury of said cities or counties", and in lieu thereof insert the following: "by warrants drawn each month upon the salary fund, or if there be no salary fund, then upon the general fund, of such city or county as the case may be, such warrants to be audited and paid as salaries of any other city or county officials respectively."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths, and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the eightieth and eighty-first fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section two of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a legislative manual and state blue book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the state blue book.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out all of the bill between lines 1 and 22, inclusive, on page 1 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of the legislative manual and state blue book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The volume shall be distributed as follows To the governor of the state, ten copies; to each elective state officer, senator, and member of the Assembly, five copies; to the state library, twenty copies; to the governor and secretary of state of every state in the union, one copy each; to the congressional library at Washington, D C., five copies. The remainder of the volumes shall be sold by the secretary of state at a price to be fixed by the department of finance and the amount so received shall be deposited to the credit of the general fund.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 682—An act to repeal section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale of real property, and granting of easements by religious corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, following the word "property", insert the following: "attached and a notice that it is attached shall be recorded or registered the same as in the attachment of real property"

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to

amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one half of the wages due a judgment debtor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 403?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill strike out the period after the word "business", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4, line 6 of the printed bill, strike out the word "premium", and insert in lieu thereof the word "premiums".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "moneys", and insert in lieu thereof the word "money".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 403 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended Assembly Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employments, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments, providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semimonthly entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "The people of the State of California," delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 216?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "employment", and insert in lieu thereof the word "employments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 24, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "semi-annually", and insert in lieu thereof the word "semimonthly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "employment", and insert in lieu thereof the word 'employments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "place", and insert in lieu thereof the word "places".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "all", and insert in lieu thereof "each of his or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill strike out the comma after the word "employees".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 216 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289 and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292 and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 460?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the amended printed bill, after the word "thereof", add a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 25, of the amended printed bill, after the period, add the following: "Except in contracts that fall within the scope of the United States arbitration act of 1925, any arbitration had under authority of an arbitration clause in any contract shall be held within the State of California, unless all parties to such contract after the controversy arises, agree in writing that the arbitration be held elsewhere."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 5, of the amended printed bill, after the word 'within', strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 460 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crotei, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled 'An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto three new sections to be numbered 4½, 5½ and 23½, relating to the annexation by county sanitation districts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, and the dissolution of such districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 765?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That on page 5 of said printed bill, all of lines 5 to 51, inclusive, and on page 6 of said bill all of lines 1 and 2 be stricken out.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 765 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—55

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 939?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That in lines 7 and 8 on page 2, of said printed bill, the following words be stricken out "A square of advertising shall be two hundred thirty-four ems nonpareil"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 939 was concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with her notice given on a previous day, Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson. D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs Woodbridge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the title of the amended printed bill, after the word "highway", insert the following "and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, add a new section thereto to be known and numbered section 3*b*, as follows:

SEC. 3*b*. There is hereby appropriated and allocated out of said fund to be retained for said purpose the sum of four thousand dollars and said commissioner is authorized and directed to expend said amount in the construction of said marker, or so much thereof as may be required, and to pay the balance of said fund into the state treasury for the use of the state

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1179, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOODBRIDGE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Gant waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 447 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 447 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Williamson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 650 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that the consideration of the motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1263 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Davis, Little, Sewell, and Walters—4.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1264 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Davis, Little, Sewell, and Walters—4.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1265 was passed be reconsidered.

HON. BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden, member of the Assembly from the Nineteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1265 was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Baum, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Lyons, Scofield, Sewell, and Walters—9.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland,

Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1266 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Davis, Little, Lyons, Sewell, and Walters—5.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relating to adjournment

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—Bernard—1.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 31.

Relating to adjournment

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the forty-seventh session of the California Legislature do adjourn sine die, at twelve o'clock noon, Saturday, April 23, 1927.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J.: An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

By Mr. Jewett (by request): An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor.

By Mr. Fisher An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

By Mr. Bishop An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division 1 of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the commission to award reparation.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 461—An act providing for the organization and government of public service districts for the purpose of establishing and maintaining public labor camps—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 358—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31,

1897, by adding a new section to be numbered 41c, relating to payment of assessments in two installments, and repealing an act inconsistent herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1213—An act making an appropriation for the construction and equipment of buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SNYDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 835—An act to amend section 652 of the Civil Code, relating to the consolidation of colleges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SNYDER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office, by fixing the salaries of such assistant and of the chief deputy and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies;

Also; Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project Number Two of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No 570—An act to amend sections 2337, 2338, 2341, 2344 and 2346 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Department of Public Welfare—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that section 7 of article XII of the constitution of said State relating to the extension of franchises and charters and the remission of forfeitures of franchises and charters of corporations be amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22 ordered on file for adoption

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 7, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 407 is herewith returned without my approval.

The author has requested this action because of certain typographical defects which have been found in the bill

Respectfully submitted

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
April 7, 1927

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 28 is herewith returned without my approval.

A discrepancy between the title and the body of the bill has been called to the attention of the author, and he has requested that approval be withheld.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article I thereof a new section to be numbered 14½, relating to the taking of parcels of land by eminent domain where such border upon public improvements.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 371—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 607—An act to authorize and empower the Director of Natural Resources to close to fishing and camping any area in any State park or forestry area or fish and game district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also: Senate Bill No 832—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises for charitable uses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 858—An act to provide for the formation, powers, duties, government, and maintenance of health and sanitary districts in the State; the acquisition, maintenance, improvement, and disposal of property thereby; the acquisition, construction, maintenance, and disposal of certain public improvements therein; the alteration of boundaries and dissolution of such districts; and the reorganization of existing sanitary districts in the State under the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No 877—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 371 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 607 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No 735 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 832 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 858 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 877 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr Adams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend section 2322a27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr Bernard:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Anderson, Roscoe J.: Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr Jewett (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr Fisher: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers

thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bishop: Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the commission to award reparation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution, relative to the right of suffrage.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 530 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Rochester moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 311 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum,

Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Rochester, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Crittenden, Jost, Williams, and Wright—4

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Rochester moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 670 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof, relative to State Superintendent of Public Instruction, county superintendent of schools, State Board of Education and county boards of education.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "it", and insert in lieu thereof the words "the Legislature".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the Legislature", and insert in lieu thereof the word "it"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "compiled", insert the words "and adopt".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption

Senate Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 341 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 240 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 2322*c*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 671 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—56

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 665—An act to amend section 2322*c*42 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of horticultural commissioner in the counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 665 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy,

Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 246—An act to amend section 2322*x*47 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the horticultural commissioner in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 246 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 247—An act relating to the passage of ordinances by cities or counties, and authorizing cities or counties to adopt ordinances relating to building construction, plumbing or electric wiring and other similar work by reference to printed codes on such subjects; provided not less than three printed copies of such code or codes, in book form, have been filed with the clerk.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 247 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 543—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to the number of notaries public in counties of the second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 543 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Baum, Bernard Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Easley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Easley as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 294, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EASLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage

Senate Bill No. 61—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Lenehan moved that Senate Bill No. 61 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 61 to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No 99—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr Lenehan moved that Senate Bill No. 99 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 99 to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 531 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 532 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville,

Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, prescribing the number and fixing the salaries thereof and making a supplement appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 674 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 674 to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 675 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 675 to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, April 11, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 11, 1927.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.
MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr Fisher, Mr Easley was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Sewell, Mr Little was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Leymel, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Stanley Houghton of Long Beach was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eddy, Mr. and Mrs. W. Custer of Covina were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eddy, Mr. G A Bonlette of National City was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mrs. E. H. Hubbard of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fisher, Miss Roberta Easley and Miss Mildred Burroughs of Contra Costa County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, the following: Mr. Henry G. Clement, Superintendent of Schools; Mr. A. Haven Smith, Principal of High School; Mr. Walter C. Hargraves, Mrs. Walter C. Hargraves and Miss Mary Fray of Redlands were extended the privilege of the

floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. F. G. Stevenot, former member of Assembly, of Carson Hill, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger. Hon. D. Fricot of Angels Camp was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. C. B. Collins of Holtville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. C. R. Prince of Calipatria was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Finley, Mr. Paul E. Stewart, City Superintendent of Schools of Santa Barbara, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. West:

THE CHURCH FEDERATION OF SACRAMENTO
Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, April 8, 1927.

For a number of years it has been the custom of the Sacramento churches to hold noon-day Lenten services for the four days preceding Good Friday. It is no slight thing, in this intensely materialistic age amid the bustle of our commercial, industrial, social and recreational life that numbers of people pause for meditation and prayer at midday in the heart of the city.

The West Coast Theater Company has extended the courtesy of the Senator Theater, its organ and organist for religious observances April 11th to 14th, from twelve to twelve forty-five o'clock p.m. Each day there will be an organ recital of fifteen minutes at noon, Allen Field at the organ.

Speakers as follows: Bishop Patrick Keane, Monday; Rev. Watson Brown, Tuesday; Bishop Wm. H. Moreland, Wednesday; Dr Frank K. Baker, Thursday.

It is our pleasure to extend to each of you an invitation to attend these as well as the Good Friday services held at the new Pioneer Memorial Congregational Church from twelve to three o'clock p.m. The Episcopalians and Catholics worship in their own cathedrals on Friday.

Very sincerely,

SACRAMENTO CHURCH FEDERATION.
(MRS.) M. F. HARBAUGH, Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries,

Also Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein;

Also Assembly Bill No 113—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the tenth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to revise an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District' to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, by amending section 6 thereof relating to elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 500—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 2322*r*10 of the Political Code relating to salaries, fees and expenses of horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the tenth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 595—An act providing for the formation, government and operation of harbor districts for the improvement or development of harbors, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the assessment and levy of taxes for the payment of such bonds, principal and interest, and for the ordinary expenses of such districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code relating to salaries, expenses and fees of county officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 916—An act amending the Political Code by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 1536, to establish a State Curriculum Commission for the public schools of the State.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the eighth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock, p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and

extending their jurisdiction, and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to the issuance of search warrants—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*qq*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California, providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation, fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act; and prescribing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce and exchanges trading in butter, cheese or eggs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section to be numbered section 8*a*, conferring upon the State Department of Finance authority to invest and reinvest the moneys in the public school teachers' permanent fund and defining the powers and duties of said department in relation thereto

Also: Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes, to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds, to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits, to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof, and to provide a method of dissolving such districts," approved May 16, 1919, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the location of the office and branch offices of the Real Estate Commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 1257 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to new trials and appeals and taking possession of property in eminent domain proceedings,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F Huberty against the State of California.
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

Also Assembly Bill No 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds" approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof, and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 901—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, and under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume, and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalities to pay all or any part of the expenses of such maintenance and operation, providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 158—An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities therein, for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements, and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements;

Also: Senate Bill No 192—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article 1 of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 302—An act to amend the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, and to add a new section; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 28—Approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 28 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district or districts benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the letting of contracts for the said work and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited, lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities at their election—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Adams: An act to amend section 2322*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

By Mr. Bernard: An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses.

By Mr. Finley: An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

JEWETT, Chairman

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. Williamson, Burns, Flynn, Jacobson, Fry and Jones:

WHEREAS, The practice among Christians of setting apart the hours from twelve to three on Good Friday for devotion, having obtained so largely in California, that it would seem but right not only to favor such hallowed practice, but also to give opportunity to all who desire to recall during these hours the mystery which Christians celebrate; be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Assembly of the State of California that recess be taken from twelve to three o'clock on Friday, April 15, 1927, to enable all who wish to participate in the exercises which mark these hours so notable in the world's history.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said map unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "there shall be dedicated", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "without an offer to dedicate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and such", and strike out all of lines 16 to 18, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'with streets leading to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "shall have", and insert in lieu thereof "all of said streets, roadways or promenades having".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the word and comma "provided,", and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the board of supervisors, common council or other approving body shall withhold its approval of any such map until such

street, streets, roadway, roadways, promenade, promenades and connecting byways have been acquired by said governmental body by condemnation, purchase, gift or other legal means, and no such map shall be approved or recorded until such rights of way have been acquired by dedication or by condemnation, purchase, gift or other legal means nor until all lands lying between said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "shall be reserved to", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "are dedicated to or required by and for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, in lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "state highway commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, in lines 12 and 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "state highway commission", and insert in lieu thereof the following "board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of supervisors".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "whenever", and insert in lieu thereof the word "before".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board or boards", and insert in lieu thereof the words "individual or corporation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "application", strike out the period and add the following: "and shall also notify the board of supervisors that said individual or corporation has notified the state engineer of such application".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the following words: "such fees as are now or may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "hereafter be allowed by law", and insert in lieu thereof, the following: "ten dollars per day when employed by the board of supervisors to do surveying and ten cents per mile in going to or coming from such work".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, after the words "population of", insert "three thousand or more".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 line 42, of the printed bill, after the first "than" insert "two thousand dollars"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, after the second "than", insert the words "three thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, at the beginning of the line and before the word "and" insert the words "eighteen hundred dollars"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "than", insert the words "two thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the words "forty-five dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the words "fifty-five dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "than", insert the words "fifteen hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, after the word "than", insert the words "eighteen hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the word "fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the word "sixty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "than", insert "fifteen hundred dollars".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4250", insert the following

In counties of the twenty-first class, the county and township officers shall receive as full compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their office, the following salaries and fees, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such fees as are now, or may be hereafter allowed by law, and in any year when a new great register of voters is required by law, he shall receive, in addition thereto, ten cents per name for each person registered. He may appoint one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred sixty dollars per annum; four

deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand three hundred eighty dollars per annum two copyists each at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and during any year when an official primary election is held in the county he may appoint four additional deputies, to serve for a period of four months only, at a monthly salary of seventy-five dollars The deputies, clerks and stenographer herein provided for shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the county clerk is paid. In any year when a new registration of voters is required by law, he may appoint such number of deputies as may be necessary for the convenient registration of voters in their respective precincts, such deputyships and offices being hereby created Each of said deputies shall be paid by the county the sum of ten cents per name for each elector registered by him Said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county, on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of the county, of a duly verified claim therefor, approved by the county clerk On and after January 6, 1919, all fees, commissions and perquisites from whatever source received and collected by the county clerk, except the said sum of ten cents per name received by him for each person registered, shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county In counties of this class, the county clerk is hereby allowed his costs for transportation incurred in connection with elections Claims for such costs of transportation shall be made upon verified claims and approved by the board of supervisors

2 The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy to act as jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, five deputies at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars each per month. The salaries of the deputies and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the sheriff is paid. In criminal cases, and actions in which the county is interested, the sheriff shall receive only actual expenses incurred and no more All claims against the county shall be itemized and sworn to by the sheriff or chief deputy and filed with the board of supervisors monthly before the tenth day of each month Expense accounts to be sworn to and filed as separate claims A monthly statement of all fees collected from whatever source derived, duly subscribed and sworn to by the sheriff or chief deputy shall be filed with the county treasurer on or before the tenth day of each month The board of supervisors may allow the sheriff a sum not less than thirty-seven and one-half cents per day for feeding each prisoner committed to his custody. Prisoners shall be fed three meals each day The changes in this subdivision made shall apply to the incumbent and shall be in lieu of all fees, commissions, and mileage

3 The recorder, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum and said recorder may appoint four deputy recorders, one of whom shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum and two who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, and one who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum He may appoint such copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notices or documents in his office, except maps or plats, who shall receive for their services the sum of six cents per folio: and for copies of any paper or record six cents per folio. The salaries and compensation of all deputies and copyists herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments out of the same fund as the recorder is paid All fees, commissions and perquisites collected by the recorder, from whatever source received, shall be paid into the county treasury The recorder shall file monthly, on or before the tenth day of each month, with the county auditor, a verified statement showing in detail the fees received by him, and the amounts paid to copyists or other employees in his office, and the names of the persons to whom the same were paid.

4. The auditor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint two deputies, one of whom shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum: and one who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one clerk at a salary of one hundred dollars per month: and ten copyists for one month each year, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each The deputies, clerk and copyists herein provided for, shall be paid by the county in monthly installments in the same manner and out of the same funds as the auditor is paid.

5. The treasurer, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. The salary of said deputy shall be paid by the county at the same time in the same manner and out of the same funds as the treasurer is paid.

6. The tax collector, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum He may appoint one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of two thousand one

hundred dollars per annum; also one stenograhper at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum: five stenographers at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each for not to exceed three months in each year; three index clerks at a monthly salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month each for not to exceed three months in each year; two cashiers at a salary of six dollars and fifty cents per day each, not to exceed four months in each year; three copyists at a salary of fifty dollars each per month for not to exceed three months in each year; two typists at a monthly salary of ninety dollars each per month for not to exceed four months in each year, three clerks at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars each per month for not to exceed four months in each year. The tax collector is hereby declared to be the ex officio license collector, at a salary of five hundred dollars per annum, and is to be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties.

The salary and compensation of each of said deputies, stenographers, clerks and copyists shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner as other county officials are paid

7. The assessor, four thousand dollars per annum. In counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the assessor, the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy assessor at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy assessor at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; one deputy transfer clerk at a salary of two hundred dollars per month; four copyists at a monthly salary of one hundred dollars each per month for not exceeding six months in each year; two typists at a salary of one hundred twenty dollars each per month for not exceeding six months in each year seven field deputies at a salary of six dollars per day each for not exceeding four months in each year.

The salaries of all deputies, clerks and employees shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid The assessor shall receive no compensation or commissions for the collection of personal taxes, or compiling the military roll, and all commissions, perquisites and fees from whatever source received, collected by him, shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county. The changes herein made are intended to place the office of the assessor on a fixed salary basis, in lieu of the assessor's present compensation, fees and commissions allowed him by law, and shall apply to the incumbent.

8. The district attorney, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and said district attorney may appoint a stenographer, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; and one stenographer who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy district attorney, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum. Said stenographer and deputy shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the district attorney is paid. The district attorney shall be allowed, in addition to the monthly salary herein allowed, the sum of sixty dollars per month, which shall be in full for all his traveling and other personal expenses in criminal cases and civil actions in which the county is interested, as provided for in subdivision 2 of section 4307 of the Political Code.

8a. The county librarian, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officials; *provided*, that there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county librarian, one deputy, whose salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy whose salary shall be one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum, and sixteen librarian custodians whose salaries shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of two thousand five hundred eighty dollars per annum, and the board of supervisors may appoint all other necessary employees for the county librarian, as provided by law. The county librarian shall also be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law

11. The superintendent of schools, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and said superintendent of schools may appoint a clerk, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, and such additional clerks as the superintendent of schools may appoint at a salary not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars per annum. Said clerks shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the superintendent of schools is paid. In counties of this class, the superintendent of schools shall receive the sum of sixty dollars per month for traveling and other expenses in visiting and examining schools and school properties of the county and in performing such other duties as are incident to the full discharge of the requirements of the office of superintendent of schools.

12. The surveyor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the surveyor,

one deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum

All work which the county surveyor is directed or charged to perform or cause to be performed by law or by order of the board of supervisors, shall be performed or caused to be performed by the county surveyor at actual cost; *provided, however,* that on all such work other than work for the assessor hereinafter provided for, transit men, draftsmen and inspectors that are actually engaged on such county work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed ten dollars, and chainmen and rodmen that are actually engaged in such work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed six dollars; *further,* that the county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary expenses for work performed for the county by virtue of his office, and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field. Whenever the county surveyor is directed by the board of supervisors or assessor to plat, trace, or otherwise prepare maps, plats or block books for the use of the county assessor or said board, he shall be allowed only the actual cost of preparing the same.

The said county surveyor shall render to the auditor of said county a sworn statement, showing therein the kind and nature of work performed, the dates, amounts paid to assistants and paid for expenses.

The deputy and all other persons herein provided for shall be appointed by the county surveyor, and their salaries shall be paid by said county, in equal monthly installments, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as are the salaries of county officers of this class.

13 Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them, and of all fees. In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more, one hundred fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of not less than one thousand five hundred and not more than three thousand five hundred, ninety-five dollars per month, in all townships having a population less than one thousand five hundred, seventy-five dollars per month. All fees collected by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county. The provisions of this subdivision shall apply to the incumbents.

14. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more, one hundred sixty-five dollars per month: in townships having a population of not less than one thousand five hundred nor more than three thousand five hundred, one hundred thirty dollars per month, in all townships having a population of less than one thousand five hundred, ninety dollars per month. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may collect and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law for all services performed by him in civil actions; and he shall also be allowed his actual and necessary expenses incurred in executing any warrant outside of his county issued by a magistrate or justice of his county. Constables shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to the county jail, which said expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors, and paid out of the county treasury.

15. Each member of the board of education shall receive five dollars per day as compensation for his services when in actual attendance upon said board, and mileage at the rate of twenty-five cents per mile one way only, from his residence to the place of meeting of said board The secretary of said board of education shall receive five dollars per day for his services for the actual time that the board may be in session. Said compensation of the members of said board, and of said secretary, shall be paid out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid Claims for such services and mileage shall be presented to the board of supervisors, and shall be allowed at the rate above named, in the same manner as other claims against the county are allowed The compensation of the members of the county board of education herein provided is not in addition to that provided in section one thousand seven hundred seventy of this code

16 Each supervisor, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and twenty cents per mile for traveling from his residence to the county seat; *provided,* that when a supervisor is also road commissioner he shall receive in addition to the twenty cents per mile allowed to him by law as such road commissioner his actual traveling expenses, and additional expenses not in any one year to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars The changes as to salary made in this subdivision shall apply to incumbents.

17. Whenever it has been determined by the board of supervisors or by vote of the people to build, construct or repair any public road, bridge or building in the county, the board of supervisors may thereupon employ such expert mechanics, draughtsman, engineers and inspectors as the board deems necessary to render skilled or technical services in connection with and for the purpose of such work, and shall define their duties and fix their compensation. At any time deemed necessary, the board of supervisors shall have power to employ road masters who shall patrol the highways of the county as directed by the board and who shall have and exercise the powers of peace officers. The compensation of such employees

shall be designated by the board, upon claims presented to and approved by said board.

18. The county traffic officer, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer six deputies, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said traffic officer and shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; the salaries of such deputies shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid. The board of supervisors shall provide motorcycles or other vehicles and gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same, for such traffic officers and shall pay all of the expense of the upkeep of said machines. All of the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law

19. In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more, justices of the peace shall be allowed for their office rent, and expenses, the sum of sixty dollars each per month, in addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed. In townships having a population of less than three thousand five hundred, justices of the peace shall be allowed for their office rent, and expenses the sum of forty dollars each per month in addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed. Each justice of the peace must pay into the county treasury monthly, all fees and fines collected by him; and he must keep a book open for the inspection of the public, during office hours, in which must be entered at once and in detail the amount of all fees and fines collected by him The auditor must withhold warrants for salary and office rent until a sworn statement has been filed with him, of all cases tried, and fees and fines collected; and the same are paid into the county treasury No justice of the peace shall draw or receive any monthly salary unless he shall make and subscribe an affidavit before an officer entitled to administer oaths, that no cause in his court remains pending and undecided, that has been submitted to him for decision for a period of thirty days; said affidavit to be filed with the auditor of the county.

20. In counties of this class, grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall each receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residence to the county seat, in going only, per mile, the sum of twenty cents; such mileage to be allowed but once during each session such jurors are required to attend.

21. In counties of this class, there shall be appointed by the sheriff, a suitable woman as jail matron, who shall have the care of female persons confined in the county jail She shall be paid a salary of seventy-five dollars per month to be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the sheriff is paid.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 3 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered four thousand two hundred fifty-seven *a*, relating to the compensation of the surveyor, his deputy and surveying crews in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 27, both inclusive, and strike out all on pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1 A new section to be numbered 4257*a* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows

4257*a* In counties of the twenty-eighth class, the surveyor shall receive ten dollars per diem while engaged in the performance of his duties. He shall have one deputy who shall be paid ten dollars per diem by the county while engaged in the performance of his duties. The surveyor shall also be paid the actual and necessary expenses of transportation and subsistence of himself, his deputy and surveying crews while in the field, together with the actual and necessary wages paid said crews. In computing the per diem of the surveyor, his deputy and crews, the time spent in traveling shall be included. The county shall also provide for the use of the surveyor a suitable office, office furniture, field and office equipment, lights and care for said office, office and record books, and other necessary material for the performance of his duties.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "county", strike out the following "The provisions herein contained apply to the deputies of present incumbents.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "it is understood that this provision relative to private work does not effect the district attorney until his salary is six thousand dollars per annum."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "except in a county in which the road work is in charge of a road engineer or highway engineer or in a county governed by a county charter adopted under and pursuant to the provisions of article XI of the constitution."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the county board of horticulture.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, strike out line 3 of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following 'compensation and expenses of county horticulture commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the seventeenth class."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-eight", and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out line 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thirty-nine thousand dollars".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

HON. WALTER H. DUVAL IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon. Walter H. Duval, member of the Assembly from the Sixtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4264*b*, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars", and before the word "for", insert the following: "or accruing more than thirty days after such property shall have come into the possession of the lien claimant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "addressed", and before the word "to", insert the following: "to the division of motor vehicles and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert the following after the word "title" "and such notice shall state the license number, motor number, make, type and model of such automobile, the date on which such automobile was left with such garage, the name of the holder of the legal title of such automobile if known, and the nature of the items of such lien"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out lines 15 to 29, inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 3 and 4, of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, strike out the following "notice of delinquent assessments and tolls", and insert in lieu thereof the following "irrigation districts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, lines 1 to 21, inclusive, of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, strike out following the words "Section 1.", of line 1, all to and including line 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Whenever the board of supervisors of any county has heretofore declared any portion of such county, to be an irrigation district under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes", approved March 31, 1897, as amended, and such district has existed as such for a period of six months prior to the taking effect of this act, all acts and proceedings of such board of supervisors and all acts of all public officers leading up to and including the formation of such district are hereby legalized, ratified and confirmed and declared valid for all intents and purposes, and any such district is hereby declared to be a legal, valid, and subsisting irrigation district"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10*a* and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution, of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 12, relating to the formation and dissolution of county fire protection districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom and the satisfaction of the obligations thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, following the word "thereof,", strike out the comma and the words "and shall set forth,", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or as the same may have been modified by the exclusion of territory pursuant to the provisions of section 3 hereof. Such resolution shall also set forth".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 655—An act to amend sections 15 and 17 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the purchase of materials and supplies and providing for cooperation of said flood control district with public and private corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that", and insert in lieu thereof the following "in the event said proposals are rejected or no proposals are received pursuant to advertisement therefor, or where the cost of such work does not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars, or in cases of rectification of channels, maintenance, repair, or emergency,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Certified copies of said resolution shall", and all of line 17, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Upon presentation of a certified copy of said resolution, the county auditor shall draw his warrant in favor of the sheriff for such amount specified in said resolution."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 507—An act to amend section 2322*x*8 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, clerks and inspectors in counties of the eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word 'each'

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out, in lines 21 and 22, the following: "five dollars per day while employed without traveling expenses", and insert in lieu thereof the words "not less than one hundred nor more than one hundred fifty dollars per month each"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 264—An act to amend section 4232*a* of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of jurors in counties of the third class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 449—An act to amend sections 4039 and 4076 of the Political Code, relating to claims against the county and records thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16*x*4 consecutively to 16*x*58 to and to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 835—An act to amend section 652 of the Civil Code, relating to the consolidation of colleges.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office, by fixing the salaries of such assistant and of the chief deputy and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, in line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "by."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 6 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the first word "and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the comma following the word "clerks".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 570—An act to amend sections 2337, 2338, 2341, 2344 and 2346 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Department of Public Welfare.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 358—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, by adding a new section to be numbered 41c, relating to payment of assessments in two installments, and repealing an act inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Badham:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 33—Relative to approving two certain amendments to the charter of the city of San

Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927.

Resolution referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Finley. Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETOES.

Assembly Bill No 28—An act to amend section 2322*x*37 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J. Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan,

Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to repeal section 629 of the Political Code as amended, relating to the maintenance of fish screens.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 448 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Patterson moved a call of the House

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—67

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1253 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Fisher, Gant, Keaton, Miller, Eleanor, and Wright—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Patterson.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1208 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—45.

NOES—Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Croter, Deuel, Eddy Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Smith Wemple, Williamson, and Woodbridge—27.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Patterson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1208 was this day passed.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 27—Proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution, relative to water rights.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "to", insert a comma and the words "but to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "section", strike out the semicolon, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the words "for the purposes for which such lands are, or may be made adaptable, in view of such reasonable and beneficial uses."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "riparian to his land under modern", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the stream to which his land is riparian under reasonable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "diversion", strike out the comma and the words "transportation and application", and insert in lieu thereof the words "and use".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "self-executing", strike out the balance of said line 9, and all of line 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and the Legislature may also enact".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 12 to 16, both inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the remainder of line 12 and strike out all of line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars per month".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the remainder of line 14, and strike out all of line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following "not to exceed one hundred dollars per month.

Provided, that the appointment of such deputy, clerk and inspectors, shall be subject to the approval of the board of supervisors; *and provided, further*, that inspectors shall be appointed at such times and for such periods only as may be approved by the board of supervisors."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 651, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part III of the Civil Code, embracing sections 653*a*1 to 653*a*13, inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Heisinger moved that Assembly Bill No. 461 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No 461 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Rochester, consideration of Assembly Bills Nos. 663 and 664 was made a special order for Tuesday, April 12, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p m.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p m of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson Reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017, and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense;

Also Senate Bill No. 533—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter CVL of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*;

Also: Senate Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 563*a* of the Penal Code, relating to false entries;

Also: Senate Bill No. 379—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge;

Also: Senate Bill No. 383—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089 and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 595—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California," approved April 30, 1919.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 176—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to the ownership of pharmacies or drug stores;

Also: Senate Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 823—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*t*, providing for the supervision of ports by the Department of Public Works,

Also: Senate Bill No. 840—An act providing for the expenditure of money, appropriated by the Legislature of the State of California, for the rectification of the channel of the San Joaquin River in cooperation with the government of the United States in accordance with an act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing

the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes" approved by the President on January 21, 1927; authorizing the Board of Control to acquire rights of way therefor and authorizing the Governor on behalf of the State of California to convey said rights of way to the United States of America;

Also: Senate Bill No. 876—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2527*a*, relating to the powers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners as to the construction and leasing of extensions of wharves or piers owned by the State of California and under the control of said board, and providing for the right of ingress to and egress from such extensions over such wharves or piers during the term of said lease.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 176 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 460 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 823 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 840 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 876 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 6, 1927, passed Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 349 of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the departments and the residence of the heads thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 800 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election, held therein, on the tenth day of March, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917; as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, approved May 26, 1923, as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered article XVIII, embracing sections 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f*, 363*g* and 363*h* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of

the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, authorizing a reclamation district that may have sold or transferred any of its levees or property to Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No 6, or any other unit or project, and received warrants issued by said Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District or Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No 6, or any other project thereof in exchange or payment therefor, or may have received or may receive compensation for any property included in any plan now or that may hereafter be adopted for controlling the flood waters of Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers, or their tributaries, to exchange said warrants for outstanding warrants issued by such reclamation district and also providing that in any new, additional or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon tracts of land the benefits accrued from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district exchanged or paid for by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and also the amount that should have been apportioned of warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and providing that if the amount that would have been assessed against each tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled on distribution of warrants, such excess shall be assessed to each tract of land and if the amount be less, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by such reclamation district

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases.

Also Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 196 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911 and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

Also Assembly Bill No 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*;

Also Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be;

Also Assembly Bill No 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution, and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds.

Also Assembly Bill No 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits;

Also Assembly Bill No 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*a*, relating to the joinder of parties to actions

Also Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions

Also Assembly Bill No 614—An act to amend section 273*b* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 or 271*a* of this code to work.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 5, 1927, passed Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of non-resident indigents

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 25—Approving an amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda, after due ratification by a majority of the qualified voters of said city at an election held therein on the eighth day of March, 1927

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 17 and 25 ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Assembly Bill No. 103 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 103 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections, to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d* and 16*e*, to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 602 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crotei, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—Reindollar—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 189 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crotei, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 278*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 696 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 869 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—*Feigenbaum and Keaton*—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 203—An act to amend sections 4, 5, 7, 35 and 41 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost, definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, exclusion of public property and mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Woolwine moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, strike out the word "expenses", and insert in lieu thereof the word "expense".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, insert the following after the word "expense" at the end of said line: ", as estimated,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, insert the word "estimated" after the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 14, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, strike out the word "said", and insert in lieu thereof the words "this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 14, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "section 28".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 19, line 52, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, strike out the word "said", and insert in lieu thereof the word "same".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Woolwine as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 203, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOOLWINE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by amending section 22 of article IV, relating to the expenditure of public money in State aid.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 21.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by amending section 22 of article IV, relating to the expenditure of public money in State aid.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 22 of article IV of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 22. No money shall be drawn from the treasury but in consequence of appropriation made by law, and upon warrants duly drawn thereon by the Controller; and no money shall ever be appropriated or drawn from the State treasury for the purpose or benefit of any corporation, association, asylum, hospital, or any other institution not under the exclusive management and control of the State as a State institution, nor shall any grant or donation of property ever be made thereto by the State; *provided*, that notwithstanding anything contained in this or any other section of the constitution, the Legislature shall have the power to grant aid to the institutions conducted for the support and maintenance of minor orphans, or half-orphans,

or abandoned children, or children of a father who is incapacitated for gainful work by permanent physical disability or is suffering from tuberculosis in such a stage that he can not pursue a gainful occupation, or aged persons in indigent circumstances—such aid to be granted by a uniform rule, and proportioned to the number of inmates of such respective institutions; *provided, further*, that the Legislature shall have the power to grant aid to needy blind persons not inmates of any institution supported in whole or in part by the State or by any of its political subdivisions; *provided, further*, that the State shall have at any time the right to inquire into the management of such institutions; *provided, further*, that whenever any county, or city and county, or city, or town, shall provide for the support of minor orphans, or half-orphans, or abandoned children, or children of a father who is incapacitated for gainful work by permanent physical disability or is suffering from tuberculosis in such a stage that he can not pursue a gainful occupation, or aged persons in indigent circumstances, or needy blind persons not inmates of any institution supported in whole or in part by the State or by any of its political subdivisions; such county, city and county, city, or town shall be entitled to receive the same pro rata appropriations as may be granted to such institutions under church, or other control. An accurate statement of the receipts and expenditures of public moneys shall be attached to and published with the laws at every regular session of the Legislature; *provided, however*, that for the purpose of raising $5,000,000, to be used in establishing, maintaining, and supporting in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, an exposition in commemoration of the completion of the Panama Canal, to be known as the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, the State Board of Equalization shall, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1911, and for each fiscal year thereafter, to and including the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1914, fix, establish, and levy such an ad valorem rate of taxation, as when levied upon all the taxable property in the State, after making due allowance for delinquency, shall produce for each of such fiscal years a sum of $1,250,000. The said taxes shall be levied, assessed, and collected upon every kind and character of property in the State of California not exempt from taxation under the law, and subject to taxation on the first day of July, 1910, and in the same manner, and by the same method, as other State taxes were levied, assessed, and collected under the law, as the same existed on the first day of July, 1910. The State Board of Equalization shall each year, at the time it determines the amount of revenue required for other State purposes, determine, fix, and include the rate of tax necessary to raise the revenue herein provided for.

There is hereby created in the State treasury a fund to be known as the Panama-Pacific International Exposition fund, and all moneys collected pursuant to this provision, after deducting the proportionate share of the expense for the collection of the same, shall be paid into the State treasury, and credited to such fund. All moneys so paid into such fund are hereby appropriated, without reference to fiscal years, for the use, establishment, maintenance and support of said Panama-Pacific International Exposition. No tax, license fee, or charge of any kind or character shall ever be levied or assessed or charged against any property of said Panama-Pacific International Exposition, or against any property used as exhibit therein, while being used or exhibited in connection therewith.

There is hereby created a commission to be known as the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Commission of the State of California, which shall consist of the Governor of said State and four other members to be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of said State. The Governor shall have the power to fill all vacancies occurring at any time in said commission. The members of said commission shall receive no compensation and shall hold office until such exposition shall have been closed and its affairs settled. Said four members of said commission shall be selected from different sections of the State, and the appointment thereof shall be made by the Governor of the State during the month of February, 1911. The commission hereby created shall have the exclusive charge and control of all moneys paid into the Panama-Pacific International Exposition fund; *and provided, further, that the Legislature shall pass all laws necessary to carry* out the provisions of this act, including the times and the manner in which and the terms and conditions upon which moneys shall be drawn from the State treasury by said commission; where contracts and vouchers shall be filed; to whom and how often reports shall be made; what disposition shall be made of any sum left unexpended or received from the sale of any property or buildings purchased or constructed by said commission for the use of said exposition, or of any disposition of any building or improvement constructed by said commission out of said fund, and to provide for the transfer to the general fund of the State of California, of any portion of said Panama-Pacific International Exposition fund unused.

The commission herein created is authorized and directed to make such proper contract with the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California on the twenty-second day of March, 1910, as will entitle the State of California to share proportionately with the contributors to the said Panama-Pacific International Exposition in the returns from the holding of said exposition at the city and county of San Francisco.

HON. HUBERT B. SCUDDER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twelve minutes p.m., Hon. Hubert B. Scudder, member of the Assembly from the Twelfth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California.

WHEREAS, The present State prisons located at San Quentin and at Folsom are insufficient in size and inadequate in equipment to properly care for the large influx of prisoners; and

WHEREAS, Said influx of prisoners is annually increasing; and

WHEREAS, The transportation of such prisoners sentenced from the southern counties of this State to and from said prisons is a difficult and hazardous task; and

WHEREAS, The transportation of prisoners sentenced from the southern counties of this State is expensive and imposes an undue burden upon the taxpayers of this State; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Speaker of the Assembly shall appoint three members and the President of the Senate shall appoint two members, who shall act as a committee of the Legislature to investigate the matters contained in this resolution and the advisability of locating a prison in the southern counties of this State and the best available location therefor, and the estimated cost thereof and to report their findings in full to the forty-seventh session of the Legislature; and be it further

Resolved, That the expenses incurred in such investigation, not to exceed the sum of $500 shall be paid equally by the Assembly and Senate out of their respective contingent funds.

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the liability in damages of the officers of districts, towns, cities, cities and counties, counties and of the State of California for injuries to person or property resulting from defects and dangers in public streets, highways, bridges, buildings, work or property, prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, and repealing an act entitled 'An act relating to the liability of public officers for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work or property,' approved April 26, 1911," approved May 18, 1919, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 4.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 601 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 618—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies, and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 6*a*, declaring breeding places for mosquitoes to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 618 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "'An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' " approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 6½.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 290 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter,

Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 793—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*i*, embracing sections 372 to 372*y*, relative to a Department of Public Health.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 793 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. HAROLD C. CLOUDMAN IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Harold C Cloudman, member of the Assembly from the Fortieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 20—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 20 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Woodbridge—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 360—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment

of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q* and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 360 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-four minutes p m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

Senate Bill No. 110—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California; the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and

duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby; providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, as amended, by amending sections numbered 6, 7, 10, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered and providing as follows, to wit:

Section 8*a*, relating to the offices of assessor, collector and treasurer; section 8*b*, relating to consolidation and segregation of the offices of assessor and collector; section 8*c*, relating to deputies to assessor and collector; section 15*b*, relating to lack of benefits to improvements in district of operation and maintenance of irrigation system; section 27*a*, relating to time for completion of assessment roll and time for equalizing assessments; section 27*b*, relating to hearing as to equalization of values and duty of secretary in respect thereto; section 28*a*, relating to levy of taxes by boards of supervisors; section 28*b*, relating to duty of district attorney and Attorney General on default in levy and collection of taxes; section 28*c*, relating to extension of time for duties in assessment, levy and collection of taxes; section 28*d*, relating to collection of unsecured taxes; section 28*e*, relating to addition of unpaid water tolls and charges to taxes; section 28*f*, relating to assessment lien; section 28*g*, relating to change of assessments and refund of erroneous taxes; section 28*h*, relating to notice that assessments are due and collection and delinquency of taxes; section 28*i*, relating to suit against delinquents to collect taxes; section 28*j*, relating to duty of collector on sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*k*, relating to sale for delinquent taxes; section 28*l*, relating to rights of owner of realty resold in default of payment, and purchase by district; section 28*m*, relating to certificates of sale; section 28*n*, relating to record book of property sold for taxes and interest on redemption; section 28*o*, relating to redemption of property and collector's deed; section 28*p*, relating to delinquent taxes and deed on dissolution of district; section 28*q*, relating to tax deed as prima facie and conclusive evidence and effect thereof; section 28*r*, relating to assessment roll or delinquent list as prima facie evidence; section 28*s*, relating to misnomers; section 28*t*, relating to waste after sale for taxes, district's rights and actions to enforce the same; section 28*u*, relating to settlements between secretary and collector; section 29*a*, relating to warrants unpaid for lack of funds and payment thereof; section 62, relating to assessment and equalization schedule for the year 1927; section 63, relating to effect of unconstitutionality and intention of this act; and section 64, relating to short title of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 110 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts,

Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 580—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State, interstate and foreign markets; to protect the State's reputation in these markets, to establish standards and standard containers for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing, marking and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 580 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 568—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 568 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—32.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jost, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williams, and Woolwine—38.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Byrne gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 568 was this day refused passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 622 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Bernard, and Burns—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 12 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 994 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 6 and section 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes; to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits; to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from

the enforcement thereof; and to provide a method of dissolving such district," approved May 16, 1919, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 744 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. H. E. DILLINGER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty-one minutes p.m., Hon. H. E. Dillinger, member of the Assembly from the Sixteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 2*a* of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts, approved March 11, 1911," and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 19, 1915,' approved May 23, 1925," relating to Fish and Game District $1\frac{3}{4}$.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 644 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be killed.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1076 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester,

Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—54.
NOES—Bishop, Fiegenbaum, Jewett, Patterson, Smith, Walters, and Williamson—7.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1230 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifty-four minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to payment of part time teachers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 463 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California,

and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905. as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1259 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leneban, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1189 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leneban, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all following the semicolon following the word "year", and also lines 31, 32 and 33 down to the semicolon following the word "them", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and he shall be allowed each year such number of registration deputies, to be appointed by him, as may be necessary for the registration of voters outside of the office of said county clerk, each of said deputies to receive the sum of ten cents per name for each elector legally registered by him; said registration deputies to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county a duly verified claim therefor on the general fund of said county after proper allowance of said claim by said board of supervisors."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all following the semicolon following the word "annum", and also lines 7, 8 and 9, down to and including the semicolon following the word "month".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "uty", at the beginning of the line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "uties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, following the word "dollars", insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the remainder of the line following the semicolon down to and including the word "and", in line 14.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "two thousand one hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "one thousand five hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 181, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 11, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 6 is herewith returned without my approval.

Although the enrolled bill comprises thirty-nine pages, the only effect of this legislation is to change the names by which certain city officials are designated in cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

In making this change, numerous sections of the Municipal Corporation Act are affected. This bill conflicts with six other bills proposing substantial changes in some of the same sections of that act, some of these bills having already passed both houses. I am this day signing Assembly Bill No. 589, by the same author, which contains an amendment to section 852*a*, which amendment conflicts with changes in that section made by Assembly Bill No. 6.

If the cities of the fifth and sixth class desire to change the names of these officials, I am advised that this could be very easily accomplished without interfering with other legislation proposed at the same session. A single section might be added stating that these officials named in the various sections should be hereafter known and designated by different names or titles.

In order to avoid the enactment of conflicting legislation, I am therefore withholding approval of this bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 11, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 956 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill seeks to amend an act approved May 22, 1925, providing for the gathering of data concerning teachers. It is designed to change certain administrative details.

The amendment would be practically meaningless, as certain of the original dates were erroneously re-enacted. Under section 1, it is required that certain acts be done "during the month of November, 1925." Under section 4, it is required that lists be filed "on or before December 31, 1925."

For the foregoing reasons, approval is withheld on this bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and semicolon "foresight;", add the following: "is guilty of a misdemeanor;".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 85, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter, to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the amended printed bill, after the word "part", strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the amended printed bill, after the word "part", strike out the figure "I", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "IV".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 349, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1927, strike out lines 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

12. The county surveyor, the sum of ten dollars per day for all work performed for the county, *provided*, that in counties of the fifty-first class the board of supervisors shall provide the county surveyor with a suitable office, office furniture, heat,

light and care for the same, office and record books and other necessary material, and also all necessary expenses and transportation on work performed in the field.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 6, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Williamson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 650 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 12, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 12, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.
MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Sewell moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Little was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr Easley, Mr. W. L. Hawkins, teacher of social problems and history, and the following pupils of the Antioch High School of Contra Costa County: Jack Nicholls, Maxine M. Cornelius, Leigh Peavy, Frederick Rother, Robert Wicker, Marion Elliott, Ida Herring, Lois Elliott, Marion Grace, Ruth Bude, Edward Smith, Stanford Rother, Catherine West, Howard Anderson, Gertrude Menaker, Ruth Evens, Alice Perry, William Beasley, Peter Donlan, George Frazer, Henry Bude, John Edwards, Alice Altizer, Louis Sylveria, Mrs. Perry, Mildred Burroughs and Roberta Easley were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Melville, Messrs. J S. Cotton of Fort Bragg, Edward Blackman of Willets and Charles Fulkerson of Ukiah, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. George H. Learned of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scofield, Messrs. K. L. Stockton, Paul E. Webb and Arthur E. Paine of Huntington Park, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Oliva, Mr. Jack Cranford of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. Carl N. Vance, principal of Brawley Union High School of Brawley, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Scudder, Capt. T. V. Butts, tax collector, and Mr. Lester Brittain of Santa Rosa, and Mr. James Keegan of Sebastopol, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. C. M. Powers, Mr. A. A. Gray and Miss T. Gay, teachers of the history department of Berkeley High School, Berkeley, California, and the following students: Hanna Wilbur, Marguerite Stephenson, Katherine Smith, Betty Branstead

and Ross Smith were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Messrs. W. L. Travis and Thomas H. Elson of Los Angeles County were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Dillinger, Mr. C. E. Browne, principal of El Dorado High School, El Dorado, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, the following: D E. Clark, principal Templeton Union High School, San Luis Obispo County; Mrs. D. E. Clark and daughter Alice Louise, Paso Robles, California; A. M. Fosdick, principal Marguerita Black Union High School, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo County; John Raitt, principal Paso Robles Union High School, San Luis Obispo County, and Mrs. Raitt and son Robert, Paso Robles, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Cloudman, the following teachers from Berkeley, California: Azalea Almy, Matilda H. Suendermann, Mimi H. Young, Erma Abernethy, Elizabeth Cloudman, Helen Scudder, Sue J. Irwin, Marion Davis, Rose Whinnery, Mildred Osborne, Ethel Engebretsen, E. Lowell Fisher, Florence Shapero, Catheryne W. Gammon, Mabel M. Fawcett and Marie Steine were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. O. F. Barth, Hope Israel, Adelaide Smith, teachers of the Linden School, San Joaquin County, and the following pupils and visitors: Donald Mitchell, Merle Vote, Irmgard Cady, Maxine Foote, Harold Needham, Matilda Potter, Winola Fontaine, Bernice Olson, Bernice Dunton, Teddie Watkins, Josephine Epp, Elmer Wells, Floran Vote, Evan Estep, Gertrude Cady, William Seymour, Mary Mournian, Alberta Drace, Rita Canessa, Woodley Seymour, Marie Fonceca, Harry Chelotti, Gerald Swartzell, Cecile Willey, Zola Stanley, Anderson Drace, Lillian Sayles, Albert Sayles, Helen Sayles, Mrs. Rosetta Sayles, Mrs. Peter Hansen, Clarice Mahler, Doris Sigfried, Dorothy Ellison, Mrs. O. F. Barth, Mrs. M. W. Smith, Mrs. B W. Potter, Alida Israel, W. H. Carroll and Margaret Miller were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Messrs M. M. Swisher and M. L. Hardy of Watsonville were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Miss McNeeley and Mrs. McNeeley of San Francisco and Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Alta Mae Cunning, Alice L. Stewart and Louise T. Brown of Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

SAN FRANCISCO LABOR COUNCIL,
SAN FRANCISCO, April 11, 1927.

The Honorable Members of
The California Legislature,
Sacramento, California

Pursuant to resolution adopted by the representatives of more than fifty thousand working men and women affiliated to this council, the undersigned most sincerely appeal to you to adopt Assembly Bill No. 177 designed to alleviate some of the most serious grievances under which our people now suffer through the overbearing greed and selfishness of combinations of capital permitted to function without the least legal restraints by past State legislatures.

Assembly Bill No. 177, by Mr McDonough, relates to contracts of employment (yellow dog contracts) containing provisions against affiliating with a labor organization or employers' association, as the case may be, and declaring such contracts void. It was drafted in consultation with the foremost legal authorities of the country, such as Dean Roscoe Pound and Professor Francis Bowes Sayre of Harvard, and Professors Chamberlin and Oliphant of Columbia University. Every court decision affecting any feature of the bill has been carefully considered, and we inclose copy of opinion of the attorney general of Ohio, Edward C. Turner, as to the constitutionality of an identical bill now pending before the Ohio legislature. No court has yet had a chance to consider such a bill, wherefore it is unfair to urge the unconstitutionality of such a bill, so highly sponsored.

We respectfully urge that you vote for the passage of this important measure, to the end that this State declare its public policy on a measure that would contribute to the establishment of some degree of equality and industrial justice.

Expressing the hope that you will see the wisdom of placing this measure on the statute books of our beloved State, we are

Very respectfully,

W. P. STANTON, President.

JNO. A. O'CONNELL, Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*e*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the acquisition and construction of that certain part of the State highway system, between Big Sur, in the county of Monterey, State of California, and the southerly boundary of said county of Monterey, as provided by section 2 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California, being a part of that highway described in said section as Carmel to San Simeon, and authorizing the use of convict labor for such construction; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32 ordered on file for adoption.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executions in civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to issuance of licenses to marry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1110—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4218*a*, relating to recording of maps,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensation of real estate and personal loan brokers,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 877—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add a new section to be numbered 3a to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory highway and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 394—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to the rights of the United States government of a department or bureau thereof in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors in cases where compensation, pension, insurance, or other allowance is made;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of clerks of city justice's courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4264b, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama county," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. Badham: An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

ON CIVIL SERVICE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CRAWFORD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 4, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 486?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed amended bill, following the word "work", strike out the words "and what part of such indebtedness"; also strike out all of lines 23 and 24, and in line 25 strike out the words "to be paid thereon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 47, of the printed amended bill, after the word "held" insert the words "and canvassed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6 of the printed amended bill, strike out all of section 13 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC 13. The harbor commission shall in conformity with the foregoing proceedings by resolution fix the form and denomination of said bonds, the place and date at which they shall be payable and the rate of interest thereon and each bond shall be authenticated by the seal of the commission and signatures of its president and secretary, who may be in office at the date of said bond or at any time thereafter prior to the delivery of said bond. Said bonds shall conform in form and manner of issuance as nearly as practicable to the form and manner of issuance of county bonds, the commission and its officers acting in place of county officers. Said bonds shall be sold by said commission in the same manner as county bonds, but for not less than par value and accrued interest The bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall be payable substantially in the following manner: a part thereof, to be determined by the commission, which shall not be less than one-fortieth (1/40) of the whole amount of such indebtedness, shall be paid each and every year at a day and date to be fixed by said commission and designated in said bonds, together with the interest on all amounts unpaid on such date until the whole of said indebtedness shall have been paid; *provided, however*, that said commission may in its discretion determine and fix a date for the earliest maturity of the principal of said bonds not later than five (5) years from the date of the issue of said bonds and in this event the whole amount of such indebtedness must be payable in equal annual parts in not to exceed forty (40) years from the time of contracting the same Said bonds shall bear interest at not to exceed six (6) per cent per annum, payable semiannually. The total principal amount of any bonds outstanding shall not exceed five (5) per cent of the total assessed value of taxable real property, including improvements thereon, within said district, at the time of issuance of said bonds.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, lines 23 and 24, of the printed amended bill, strike out the following: "in any bank or banks authorized to receive county funds", and insert in lieu thereof "with the county treasurer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 6, line 28, of the printed amended bill, following the word "demands", insert the following: "of the commission, in form and as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 39, of the printed amended bill, strike out all of the line after the word "district", and in line 40 strike out the words "preferred to that of any subsequent issue".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 42, of the printed amended bill, strike out the word "assessment", and insert in lieu thereof the word "tax".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 42, of the printed amended bill, following the word "property", insert the words ", including improvements thereon,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 43, of the printed amended bill, following the word "property", insert the words "and improvements thereon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On pages 7 and 8 of the printed amended bill, strike out all of section 16 and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC 16. In each year after the commission shall have been authorized to incur such indebtedness and issue said bonds, the board of supervisors of Ventura county shall at the time of making the general tax levy for county purposes, levy a tax upon all of the taxable real property, including improvements thereon, in such district, sufficient to pay the interest on all bonds theretofore issued and then outstanding and such portion of the principal thereof as is to become due before the time of making

the next general tax levy, and if from any cause the revenues and current receipts of the said harbor from wharfage, dockage, permits, tolls, rents and other sources shall appear to the commission to be inadequate to provide the funds otherwise needed for the current operation and maintenance of said harbor, an additional tax shall be levied as hereinafter provided, which shall include such amount of money, not exceeding in any year one and one-half (1½) mills upon each dollar of the assessed value of the real property, including improvements thereon, in said district, as may be necessary to carry on the said maintenance and operation until the time of making the next general assessment. Said tax shall be levied upon the real property and improvements thereon set forth on the county assessment roll made by the county assessor of Ventura county. The commission shall not later than the Monday preceding the last Tuesday in August of each year by resolution determine the amount of bonds theretofore issued and then outstanding, and separately the amount, if any, necessary to be raised for current operation and maintenance. A copy of said resolution, duly authenticated by the signature of the chairman of the commission, or in his absence by the signature of such member as the commission shall designate, shall not later than the last Tuesday in August of each year be filed in the office of the county clerk and one in the office of the county auditor of Ventura county. And said board of supervisors shall make the tax levy in accordance therewith, subject to the limitation above provided.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 8, line 45, of the printed amended bill, following the word "deposited", insert the words "with the county treasurer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 8, line 46, of the printed amended bill, strike out the words "created by the commission for that purpose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 47, of the printed amended bill, following the word "drawn", insert the following "only upon demands of the commission, in form and as prepared, presented, allowed and audited by the commission".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 486 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly

within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "to", strike out all printed matter down to and including the word "act", immediately preceding the word "to", in line 2 thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, following the word "bonds", insert quotation marks.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, following the word "amended", strike out the comma and all the quotation marks.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert "and to add two new sections to be designated section two and three to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the semicolon, strike out everything through and including the last word of the printed bill, "prescribe", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the municipal corporation constructing the improvement shall restore the road, street, alley, avenue, highway, canal, ditch, or flume so used to its former state of usefulness as nearly as may be, and such use shall be so located as to interfere as little as possible with other existing uses of said road, street, alley, avenue, highway, canal, ditch or flume; *provided*, that before construction shall be begun a bond guaranteeing replacement, within a reasonable time, of any pavement or other structure to be torn up shall be filed with the municipality to be crossed. Whenever any of the improvements above mentioned are to be constructed within any

other municipal corporation, said improvements shall conform to all safety requirements provided for by acts of the Legislature, and such reasonable regulations by ordinances of such other municipal corporation not in conflict with such acts; and the route of said improvement, and the time after commencing construction within which said improvement shall be made shall conform to such reasonable general rules and regulations as the municipal corporation within which the improvement is to be constructed shall prescribe; *provided, further*, that this act shall not be deemed to authorize the construction of any sanitary sewer within the territorial limits of any other municipality if the method of disposition of sewage therefrom is by discharging said sewage in the Pacific ocean within one mile of the territorial limits of such other municipality, or in any manner that may create a public nuisance.

SEC 2. A new section to be numbered 2 is hereby added to said act, to read as follows:

Sec 2. This act shall not affect any right or action which has accrued, or any duty imposed, or any proceedings commenced under and by virtue of the act hereby amended.

SEC. 3. A new section to be numbered 3 is hereby added to said act, to read as follows:

Sec. 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalities to pay all or any part of the expenses of such maintenance and operation; providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts; and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 158—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities therein; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements; and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the quotation marks before the word "An".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, following the word "in", insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 41, of the printed bill, following the word "intention", insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, following the word "none", insert the word "be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "publshed", and insert in lieu thereof the word "published".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "folowing", and insert in lieu thereof the word "following".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, following the word "dollars", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "11½", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 8, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "12", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 8, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "13", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 8, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "14", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "15", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" following the word "voters", and insert in lieu thereof the word "at".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:
SEC. 2. Section 2 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "steps", insert the following: "safety zones, platforms, seats, statuary, fountains,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 302—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 4, 9 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 38, all relating to street improvements.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "four" at the end thereof, insert the following, "eight,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 10 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "and to add a new section", and insert in lieu thereof the following, "relating to street improvements, and to provide for the continuance of proceedings and actions for improvements under said act commenced prior to and pending at the time of the taking effect of this act and for the validation of such proceedings."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, immediately preceding the word "percentage", insert the word "any"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, before the word "Section", add the following:

SEC. 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the words "by a boundary line".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 51 and 52, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "in the assessment district Said map shall govern for all details as to the extent and description of the land to be taken for the proposed improvement and as to the extent of said assessment district. The city council".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 8, of the printed bill, following the word "act", strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, following the word "municipality", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, following the word "be", insert the word "so".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, following "nance", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 35, of the printed bill, following the word "improvement", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, following the word "all", strike out the word "particulars", and insert in lieu thereof the word "details".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "opening and widening", and insert in lieu thereof the following, "----------".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, following the word "city", insert the following: ", or if the address of any property owner is not on file in the office of the city clerk,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, lines 27 and 28, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "described in said ordinance of intention,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "3", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 4 to 29, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and circulated. At the time set for hearing said protests, the city council shall proceed to hear and pass upon all protests so made and its decision shall be final and conclusive; *provided, however*, that when the protest is against the proposed improvement and the city council finds that such protest is made by the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property within the assessment district, no further proceedings shall be taken for a period of six months from the date of the decision of the city council on said hearing, unless the said protest be overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of the city council. If no protests in writing have been filed within the time hereinbefore provided for filing the same, or if any protest shall be found by the city council to be insufficient, or shall be overruled, or if a protest against the proposed assessment district shall be heard and denied, immediately thereupon the city council shall be deemed to acquire jurisdiction to order the proposed improvement. The city council may adjourn said hearings from time to time.

SEC. 6. Section 8 of said act approved March 24, 1903, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 8. When all parties defendant to the action have answered, or have been served with summons and their default entered, the plaintiff or any party defendant whose default has not been so entered, may, upon five days notice to the parties, except to the defendants in default, move the court to set the action for trial. Upon the hearing of such motion, the court shall order a trial of the action by a jury or by the court without a jury as the case may be, as to any defendants who shall demand such trial, and shall fix a time for the trial thereof; and as to all other defendants, including defendants in default, a jury trial or a trial by the court shall be deemed to be waived, and the court shall make an order appointing three disinterested persons referees, to ascertain the compensation to be paid to such defendants so waiving a trial by a jury or by the court without a jury. Such referees must be residents of the municipality where such improvement is to be made, and over the age of twenty-one years, and must take and file with the court an oath to discharge their duties faithfully and impartially. If any of such referees fails to qualify, or resigns, or is removed by order of court, or is or becomes unable to act, the vacancy so created shall be filled by the court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6" immediately following the word "Sec.", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 6, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7" immediately following the word "Sec.", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 45 to 49, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*vided*, that in any case where a motion to set the action for trial, as provided in section 8 of this act, is not made within one year after the date of the issuance of the summons therein, the right to compensation and damages shall be deemed to have accrued at the date of the hearing of the motion to set the action for trial."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 8 to 11, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "taken, subsequent to the date at which the right to compensation and damages shall have accrued as hereinbefore provided, shall be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 7, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "8" immediately following the word "Sec." and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "appropriated to", and insert the following in lieu thereof: "placed in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "9" immediately following the word "Sec.", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 7, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the period immediately following the word "act", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "and all steps taken by the legislative body of any city in any such proceedings and any and all acts done and performed therein by any officer or officers of any city, or any and all acts done or steps taken by any other officer or officers in connection therewith, and such proceedings, are hereby validated, ratified, legalized and confirmed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 40, 41 and 42, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall be sufficient if it describes the land necessary or convenient to be taken for the proposed improvement, and describes briefly and in general terms the proposed improvement and the district to be bene-".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "street", and insert in lieu thereof the following "streets,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, following the word "desirable", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following "*provided, however*, that when such objections are against the proposed separation of grades and the legislative body finds that such objections are made by the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property to be assessed for said improvement, no further proceeding shall be taken for a period of six months from the date of the decision of the legislative body on said hearing, unless the said objections be overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of the legislative body."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 4, line 27, of the printed bill, add the letter "s" to the word "provision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "district or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 11, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "s" in the word "terms".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 12, line 17, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "Upon", strike out all printed matter down to and including the word "assessment" in line 24 of said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following "In the event of the nonpayment of any installment of the interest or principal, the holder of any bond upon which any payment either upon the principal or of the interest has not, or shall not be made when due may, at any time after six months from the date of any delinquency

of principal or interest and prior to the expiration of four years after the due date of the last installment unpaid upon any bond or of the last principal coupon attached thereto, file and maintain a suit to foreclose the lien of the bond and recover the amounts due thereon.

The complaint in such suit shall be sufficient if a true copy of the bond be therein set forth and appropriate allegation be made therein regarding the payments made upon the principal and interest of such bond, and such suit shall be brought in the superior court within whose jurisdiction the city is by which the said bond has been issued and in case the owner of the lot, or parcel of land covered by said bond, can not with due diligence be found, the service of summons in such case may be had in the manner prescribed in the codes and laws of this state. The said bond, together with proof either orally by the said treasurer of the said city or by a certificate signed by him showing the nonpayment of any of the principal or interest upon said bond, shall be prima facie evidence of the right of the plaintiff to recover in said action. The court in said suit shall have the power to adjudge and decree a lien against the lot or parcel of land covered by said bond and to cause said premises to be sold as in other cases of the sale of real estate by the process of said court to satisfy and discharge such bond and lien, and the amount of interest and penalties due shall be calculated in the manner herein provided up to the date of the judgment. On appeal, the appellate courts shall have the same power to adjudge and decree a lien and order such premises to be sold as is conferred on the court from which an appeal is taken. The court having jurisdiction of said cause shall also fix and allow a reasonable attorney's fee for the prosecution of said suit.

The plaintiff in the suit may also recover the cost of any abstract or report of search of title procured in good faith, in order to determine ownership, such search to be by a reputable abstractor or title company, and such cost not to exceed five dollars per lot, and such abstract or report of search with affidavit of payment to be filed in the action.

Such premises, if sold, may be redeemed as in other cases. Such action shall be governed and regulated by the provisions hereof, and also when not in conflict herewith, by the codes of this state.

A written notice of the pendency of any action for recovery on a bond shall be filed with the treasurer and after the filing of such notice the treasurer shall not receive any money on account of said bond in his register or give a discharge of said bond without the written consent of the owner thereof until judgment has been rendered in such action or the same has been dismissed.

Should suit be brought for recovery on any bond prior to the time provided herein, the plaintiff shall not recover in such suit and the defendant in such suit shall be entitled to have and recover such attorney fees as the court may deem reasonable, in addition to all taxable costs."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 13 of the printed bill, strike out lines 21 to 43, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

It shall be the duty of the superintendent of streets or county surveyor on or before the fourth Monday of September of each year to certify to the tax collector a list of the properties upon which there is a lien for delinquent assessments, as shown by the records of the superintendent of streets or county surveyor. If the tax collector so requires, the notice herein provided for to be attached to or pasted to, printed on or stamped upon the tax bill, shall be prepared by the superintendent of streets or the county surveyor and shall be delivered to the tax collector on or before the dates herein provided for forwarding said lists, and if the tax collector so requires, the superintendent of streets or county surveyor shall upon notice attach to or paste to, print on or stamp upon the tax bills, the notice hereinafter prescribed. In any event, the tax collector shall himself or through the agency of the superintendent of streets or county surveyor, cause to be pasted or attached to, or printed or stamped upon the tax bill or tax receipt, a notice which shall in substance be as follows:

"Notice of Assessment.

There is an assessment lien unpaid on this property. Unless same is paid to the city street superintendent (or bureau of assessments where such office exists) or (county surveyor) this property will be subject to foreclosure."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 14, line 1, of the printed bill, following the word "after", insert the following: "ninety days after the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 14, line 15, of the printed bill, following the word "city", insert "or county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 14 of the printed bill, strike out line 27, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ings and acts of the superintendent of streets or county surveyor, and the legislative body of the city or county carrying on said proceeding".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 15 of the printed bill, following the word "streets" in line 12, insert the following: "or county surveyor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 17, line 30, of the printed bill, following the word "land", insert the following "deemed by him to have been benefited by the work or improvement. The reassessment shall assess upon and against each of the lots, pieces, or parcels of land, contained therein an amount arrived at as follows:

The benefits derived, or to be derived by each of the said lots, pieces or parcels of land."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 18 of the printed bill, strike out lines 25 and 26, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for five insertions, if the paper be a daily, or by two insertions if the paper be published less frequently. At the time fixed for said hearing, or at".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 21, line 35, of the printed bill, following the word "of", insert the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 21, line 36, of the printed bill, following the word "proceedings", insert the following "taken under this act shall avoid or invalidate such proceedings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 14, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "way", and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 15, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "make", and insert in lieu thereof the word "mark".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 18 of the printed bill, commencing with the word "Such" in line 23 thereof, strike out all printed matter down to and including the word "frequently.", in line 26.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017 and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violation hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 745 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 563*a* of the Penal Code, relating to false entries.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "He may, in his discretion,", and insert in lieu thereof, the words "He shall".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 383—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089 and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the words "is entitled to", strike out the word "ten", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the words "the state to", strike out the word "ten", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" (the first word in the line), and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, following the words "the state to", strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 595—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation, and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer, and deputy adult probation officer, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, strike out the words "or attempted to inflict".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 6 thereof, strike out the word "eight", and insert in place thereof the word "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 8 thereof, after the word "hundred", and before the word "dollars", insert the word "*fifty*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 9 thereof, strike out the word "twenty-five", and insert in place thereof the word "seventy-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 10 thereof, strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 10 thereof, strike out the word "one", and insert in place thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 18, 1927, line 11 thereof, strike out the words "seventy-five dollars per month", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten dollars per month, and one assistant adult probation officer who shall act as cashier and clerk, one hundred ninety dollars per month".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETOES.

Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of 'An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State, etc.,' approved June 16, 1913," approved May 22, 1925.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote.

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend sections 751, 752, 752*a*, 752*b*, 753, 754, 755, 757, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 769, 772, 773, 774, 776, 777, 778, 786, 788, 789, 790, 791, 797, 798, 806, 807, 808, 813, 851, 852, 852*a*, 852*b*, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 862*a*, 863, 864, 865, 867, 868, 870, 870*a*, 871, 872, 874, 875, 876, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations,"

approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to city officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Williamson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 650 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 650 was refused reconsideration by the following vote.

AYES—Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A, Morrison, Reindollar, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—19.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Woodbridge, and Wright—43

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. T. M. WRIGHT IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirteen minutes a.m., Hon. T. M. Wright, member of the Assembly from the Forty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Byrne moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 568 was refused passage be reconsidered.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 568 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, McPherson, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Williams—29.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHT.

Senate Bill No. 568—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 568 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Nielsen, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Kelsey, McPherson, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Williams—29.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr Patterson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 1208 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1208 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 1208 ordered on file for third reading.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Wright, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 814 was made a special order for Thursday, April 14, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, the consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 13, 1927, at eleven o'clock a.m.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and seven minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m , the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair
Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Gorham Brothers against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and asks that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. A. Howell against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WILLIAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act, to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish." approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637c, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game to which was referred Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners;

Also: Senate Bill No. 607—An act to authorize and empower the Director of Natural Resources to close to fishing and camping any area in any State park or forestry area or fish and game district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 606—An act to permit the Fish and Game Commission to control predatory fish and animals;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 2620 of the Political Code, relating to the width of highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 5, 1927, respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code—and appointed Senators Fellom, Garrison, and Maloney as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Anderson, D. P., Oliva and Brock as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 303.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 15, 16, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor.

Also Senate Bill No 35—An act to regulate employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Also Senate Bill No 281—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof" approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8h.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 33 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 35 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital

Senate Bill No. 201 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Williams: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley.

Referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr Hedges: Assembly Joint Resolution No 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No 1277—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, to add a new section 1174a to the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Fellom, Garrison and Maloney, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

ANDERSON, D P.
OLIVA.
BROCK.
Assembly Committee on Conference.

Report of Committee on Conference adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Williamson, Wherrell and Nielsen as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 303.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 764 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Synder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 402 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Badham, Ball Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Sewell Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 402 was this day passed.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 826 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—51.

NOES—Badham, Baum, Byrne, Davis, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Oliva Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—19.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION

Mr. Crittenden gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 826 was this day passed.

HON. EDWARD J SMITH IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Edward J Smith, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1068 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No 1179 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1179 to Committee on Ways and Means

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 50 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," relating to the definition of terms.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 311 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball Bernard, Bishop Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—55.

NOES—Badham, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Croter, Davis, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Lyons, Rochester, and Mr. Speaker—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock and thirty minutes having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 61 and 131 of the Civil Code, and to repeal section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to interlocutory decree for divorce.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 663 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Baum, Brock, Carter, Croter, Finley, Foster, Fry, Jacobson, Lyons, McPherson, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, and Woodbridge—20.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Rochester moved that Assembly Bill No. 664 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No 664 to Committee on Judiciary

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 22—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that section 7 of article XII of the constitution of said State, relating to the extension of franchises and charters and the remission of forfeitures of franchises and charters of corporations be amended.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 22.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that section 7 of article XII of the constitution of said State relating to the extension of franchises and charters and the remission of forfeitures of franchises and charters of corporations be amended.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh regular session, commencing the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the houses thereof voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of this State, viz: that section 7 of article XII of said constitution be so amended that said section shall read as follows:

Sec. 7 The Legislature shall not extend any franchise or charter, nor remit the forfeiture of any franchise or charter of any quasi-public corporation now existing or which shall hereafter exist under the laws of this State. The term of existence of any corporation now or hereafter existing under the laws of this State may be extended, at any time prior to the expiration of its corporate existence, for a period not exceeding fifty years from the date of such extension, by the vote or written consent of stockholders representing two-thirds of its capital stock or of two-thirds of the members thereof; *provided,* in the case of corporations engaged in public utility business the written consent of the Railroad Commission, or such governing body having jurisdiction over the issuance of securities of such corporations, is first obtained. A certificate of such vote or consent shall be signed and sworn to by the president and secretary, and by a majority of the directors or trustees of the corporation and filed and certified in the manner and upon payment of fees required by law for filing and certifying articles of incorporation, and thereupon the term of existence of the corporation shall be extended for the period specified in such certificate, and such corporation shall thereafter pay all annual or other fees required by law to be paid by such corporation. The extension of the term of existence of any corporation shall in no case be construed as extending the term of existence of any franchise held, owned or controlled by such corporation prior to the time of such extension.

And be it further resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of this State hereby submits said proposed amendment to the people of this State for adoption at the next ensuing general election, in the manner and after the

publication provided for in the sections of the Political Code of the State of California then in force and effect relating to general elections and the submission and adoption of proposed constitutional amendments.

Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 24 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Deuel—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 1197 of the Political Code, relating to election ballots, the manner of voting and conduct of elections.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 95 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Senate Bill No 166—An act to amend section 653*p*, of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative agricultural, viticultural and horticultural associations.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 166 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder,

Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. Z. S. LEYMEL IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty-five minutes p m., Hon. Z. S. Leymel, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-first Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Political Code, relating to a Department of Agriculture.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 98 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Burns, Lyons, Murphy, and Wemple—6.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 258—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 63½, to the Public Utilities Act, approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to increase in rates.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Walters moved that Senate Bill No. 258 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.
The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 258 to Committee on Public Utilities.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Heisinger and Crittenden, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 258 to Committee on Public Utilities.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Byrne moved a call of the House.
Motion for call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Byrne, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Leymel, Reindollar, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—22.
NOES—Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant,

Hedges, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Williams—44.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No 258 to Committee on Public Utilities.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 258 was re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, and Williams—40.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Cloter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—32

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to investigate traffic conditions in the State of California and the question of safety and prevention of accidents in relation thereto; to prepare and make recommendations concerning changes in existing laws, and the enactment and/or enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways, and to prepare and submit with supporting facts, ascertained, a report as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this State and making appropriation to meet the expenses of said committee necessarily incurred in said work—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "ten thousand", and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven thousand five hundred".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 19 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 559?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand", strike out the word "eight", and in lieu thereof insert the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 30 to 50, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

In Marysville township the justice of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and the constable of Marysville township shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred dollars per month.

The above salary shall be in full compensation of said justice of the peace and said constable in criminal cases; *provided*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed, said constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county, his actual traveling expenses when engaged in the service of a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 13, inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 559 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16*x*4 consecutively to 16*x*58 to an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crittenden moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 24, 1927, after the word "measures", insert the following: "in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 24, 1927, strike out the first word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the word "this".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crittenden as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 96, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRITTENDEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 462—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the vocation of dealing in fish and in wild game and animals by wholesale for profit and to provide therefrom revenue for the propagation and restoration of fish and game in the State of California," approved April 14, 1911, as amended; and adding a new section thereto to be known as section 11½.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 2 to 9, inclusive, of the title of the amended printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to authorize and regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of trout or other fish, by persons engaged in the business of propagating and rearing such fish, and by persons who transport such fish, and by persons who purchase fish so reared," approved March 17, 1911, as amended, relating to domestically raised fish.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 5 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of trout or other fish, by persons engaged in the business of propagating and rearing such fish, and by persons who transport such fish, and by persons who purchase fish so reared," approved March 17, 1911, as amended, is hereby".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 462, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 86—An act to amend sections 1160 and 1164 of the Political Code, relating to the opening and closing of the polls,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent certain special assessments for public improvements, and providing for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved April 27, 1911, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 163—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State;

Also. Assembly Bill No 216—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employments, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, as amended, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to make the civil penalty for failing to pay the wages of workers monthly or semimonthly entirely independent of the criminal penalty, to provide for the bringing of the civil actions for the said penalties by the said commissioner in the name of "The people of the State of California," delegating to the said commissioner and his attorneys the authority to so proceed and to provide for the consolidation of several causes of action for the said penalties without separately stating them, also for the payment of such penalties without suit;

Also. Assembly Bill No 236—An act to amend section 1362 of the Political Code, relating to the counting and disposition of absentee ballots,

Also· Assembly Bill No 242—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1266*a*, relating to the establishment of election return centers and the reporting of certain election returns,

Also· Assembly Bill No 257—An act to amend section 1461 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of fines;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 19*a*10 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and deputies in counties of the tenth class;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also Assembly Bill No 385—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal

corporations," approved March 13, 1893, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, so as to give wage claimants the right to levy execution on one-half of the wages due a judgment debtor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle, breeding bulls, goats, breeding bucks and sheep, which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses, affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911"; and repealing an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, dairy cattle and breeding bulls which are affected with communicable diseases, providing for the inspection or certification of such animals before being brought into the State of California, exempting certain animals from such inspection or certification, providing penalties for violating any of the provisions of this act, and repealing an act approved June 4, 1913, entitled 'An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of neat cattle for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules and asses affected with glanders into the State of California," approved March 7, 1911,'" approved April 12, 1915, as amended, relating to health certificate and fee therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 2322*x*52 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner and his assistants in counties of the fifty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*e*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish cafeterias in the schools under their jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish police courts in cities of the second class, to fix their jurisdiction and provide for officers of said courts, and fix the compensation of certain officers thereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of county auditors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salary of probation officer in counties of the forty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 1771 of the Political Code, relating to the suspension or revocation of teachers' certificates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to the disability of children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the prevention and control of fires;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to amend the title and sections 5 and 17 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, and to add thereto three new sections to be numbered 4½, 5½ and 23½, relating to the annexation by county sanitation dis-

tricts of contiguous territory, the compensation of directors of such districts, and the dissolution of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident or on account of fire,

Also Assembly Bill No. 819—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1789, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 832—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act providing for the free use of all public schoolhouses and property and to establish a civic center at each and every public schoolhouse in the State of California, and to provide for the maintenance, conduct and management of the same," approved June 6, 1913, relating to the establishment of a civic center at the public schoolhouses within the State and to the management, direction and control of said civic center,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend "An act to provide that certain graduates of normal schools and teachers colleges shall be required to qualify to give elementary instruction in agricultural subjects," approved June 3, 1921,

Also Assembly Bill No 938—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1274*b*, relating to unclaimed moneys of missing persons;

Also Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to amend section 4048 of the Political Code, relating to bids and prices on county supplies, printing and advertising,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend section 2656 of the Political Code, relating to the division of district funds, upon the incorporation of municipalities, or annexation to municipalities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend section 4197 of the Political Code, relating to annual report of law library,

Also Assembly Bill No. 949—An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California, and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards, and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended, relating to the creation and powers of the county boards of forestry;

Also Assembly Bill No 974—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude territory therefrom," approved March 20, 1889, relative to record of exclusion,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, relative to municipal annexation procedure and the apportionment of road funds in connection therewith,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend an act appropriating money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children, approved March 25, 1880, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation, and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District

Also Assembly Bill No 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor **on the twelfth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.**

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No 3—Relative to the congressional reapportionment of the United States—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and pre**sented to the Governor on the twelfth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.**

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 22—Relative to an investigation and report as to needed revision of the Statutes of California.

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving one certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1927;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twelfth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE Chairman

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Williamson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 13, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 13, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—78

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.
MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Sewell moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Little was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Spalding, Mr. Verne Hall, principal; Mrs. Arthur V. Thulin, teacher; Mr. Arch Wilson, trustee; Mrs. William Cockrell, guest, and the following pupils of the Freemont Union High School, of Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County: Pauline Wilson, Helen Schliecker, Mildred Burtner, Ray Angelo, Marvina Bond, Kenneth Wentz, Grace Kay, Harry Hughes, Alice McClintock, Etta Jean Gomez, James Cornell, Naomi Peer, Berdella Holmes, Alva Shanks, Clyde Cockrell, Lorie Fitzpatrick, Ione Lothrop, Arthur Lothrop, Sam Miguelgarry, Grace Miguelgarry, Johanna Jemin, George Wightman, Harry Stearnes, Mercedes Wolford, Juanita Wolford, William Theller and Ernest Ray were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. W. G. Fredrickson, principal of the Arroyo Grande High School, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Hudson Nagle of Berkeley was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Whitaker and Miss Marion Whitaker of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr. Folger and Mr. Lee Athearn of Berkeley were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, Mr. H. R. Gaines, principal; Miss Ada Beveridge, teacher; Mrs. Myrtle Smith, guest, and the following pupils of the Fresno High School: Jean Fink, Margaret Smith, Don Shelburne, Don Huffman, Erwin Foreman, Esther Kaufman, Chester Tawney, Gordon Giffen and Katherine Haller were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jespersen, Mrs. V. McDowell White and Mr. John McDowell White of Atascadero, San Luis Obispo County, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, teacher and former member of the Assembly, and the following pupils of the Durham Union High School of Butte County: Waldo Howard, Anna Olive Nielsen, Annalee Grennan, Adeline A. Olmstead, Catherine Daly, Donald Arney, Miles Sanders and Louis Fritter were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Miss Nell O'Brien and Miss Bessie I. Cole of San Jose were extended the privilege of the floor of

the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Peter J. McCormick and Peter J. McCormick, Jr., of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mrs Robert Waters of Waterbury, Connecticut, Mrs. Lura Waters of San Francisco and Anna Sarver of Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, James A., Hon. Henry D. Byrne, former member of the Assembly, of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 262—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 36a, relating to the disaffirmance of life insurance contracts by minors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV, thereof, relating to water rights—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1927;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 28 and 32 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*e*17 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation and expenses of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California, declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended by adding two new sections thereto, to be numbered $2\frac{1}{2}$ and $50\frac{1}{2}$, relating to certification of warehousemen—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 659—An act providing for the exchange of certain lands of the State, situate in a national park, and for the management and control of the lands acquired in exchange—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WITTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Selecting and designating two illustrious deceased persons whose statues in marble or bronze shall hereafter be provided and furnished by the State of California to be placed in National Statuary Hall—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 17 ordered on file for adoption.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737, relating to the salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "four thousand", and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars", strike out the words "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "other half", and insert in lieu thereof the word "remainder".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the acquisition and construction of that certain part of the State highway system between Big Sur, in the county of Monterey, State of California, and the southerly boundary of said county of Monterey, as provided by section 2 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California (being a part of that highway described in said section as Carmel to San Simeon), and authorizing the use of convict labor for such construction

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

An act to appropriate moneys for the construction of parts of the state highway system by the use of convict labor.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The sum of six hundred thousand dollars ($600,000) is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the compensation provided by law for convicts employed in the construction of portions of the state highway system in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on state highways or state roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the period following the number "2", insert the word "Extreme".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "have", strike out the words "resided continuously".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "within the State of California", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "being duly committed to and confined in a state hospital or hospitals for the insane of this state".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, as amended, relating to executions in civil actions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "execution", strike out the comma and insert the following: "*provided, however*, an alias execution may be issued on said judgment and levied on any property not exempt from execution".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, with respect to issuance of licenses to marry.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "male applicant", and insert in lieu thereof the word "applicants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "him", and insert in lieu thereof the word "them".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all the words from line 3 up to and including line 22, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Application for a marriage license must be made by the parties to the marriage at least three days and not more than thirty days, before the license shall be issued. Immediately upon receipt of an application for a license the county clerk shall have the parties record in a book kept for the purpose notice of intention to marry, and after the expiration of three days and not more than thirty days after application and signing of notice of intention to marry the clerk may issue such license to marry. Such notice of intention shall be substantially in the following form:

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 17, inclusive, consisting of sections 5 and 6 of said printed bill.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1110—An act to create a new section of the Political Code, to be numbered 4218*a*, relating to recording of maps.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act defining miscellaneous maps, plats or plans and providing for the recording thereof

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. For the purposes of this act, miscellaneous maps, plats, or plans are hereby declared to be all maps, plats or plans other than the maps, plats or plans specified in the following two acts "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded" approved March 15, 1907, as amended, and "An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891," approved March 16, 1907," or any other maps, plats or plans which are now required or which may hereafter be required by law to be filed with the county recorder of the county in which the lands or property affected or delineated thereon are situated.

Any person, firm or corporation may file with the recorder of the county in which the lands or property affected or delineated are situated, any miscellaneous map, plat or plan thereof as hereinabove defined upon payment to said county recorder of a filing fee of one dollar per sheet

The miscellaneous map, plat or plan to be filed may be of one or more sheets and shall be drawn on tracing cloth with black india ink of a size twenty-one inches by thirty inches, each sheet, with a border line one inch from each edge, or a copy thereof on tracing cloth suitable for reproducing therefrom copies or prints by the blueprinting process.

The county recorder receiving such map, plat or plan for filing shall give to each such map, plat or plan a number and cause the same to be firmly bound in one of a number of books kept for the purpose and shall further keep an index of the same

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensations of real estate and personal loan brokers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

At the end of line 3 of the title of the printed bill, add the words "and providing penalties for violations thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, insert after the word "rebates", and before the word "any", the following: "to the lender or creditor who makes or advances any loan or forebearance of money, goods or things in action,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "action", add the following new sentences: "Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent any broker, as defined in this act, from dividing, sharing or rebating any portion of his or its fee, commission, compensation or charge with any other broker as defined herein, who aids or assists him or it in the procuring, negotiation, obtaining or consummation of the loan or forebearance, or the renewal or extension of the same; but there shall be but one fee, commission, compensation or charge for the procuring, negotiation, obtaining or consummation of any loan or forebearance, or the renewal or extension of the same. Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to the underwriting,

purchase or sale of notes or bonds issued under and in compliance with the provisions of the corporate securities act of this state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "seven of the Civil", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten of the Political".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "7 of the Civil", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "10 of the Political".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "day", insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "and the eleventh day of November of each year, known as "Armistice day" ".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1, 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to amend the title and sections two, three, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-six, and to repeal sections twelve and twenty-nine of an act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 10 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "industries", and insert the word "industry"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "industries", and insert in lieu thereof the word "industry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "empower", strike out the second "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "industries", and insert in lieu thereof the word "industry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 1 line 17 of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "3", and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 18, insert the following

SEC 2 It is hereby declared that it is the purpose of the act to bring about an increased consumption of fresh fish by the people of California, to enable them to obtain the same at reasonable prices, and to empower the director of agriculture to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish, to regulate the destruction of food fish, to create a state fish exchange, to license those engaged in marketing fresh fish, to create a state fish exchange fund, to provide penalties for violations of this act, to investigate and report on the fish industry, and to promote the sale of fish

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2 of the printed bill, above line 1, insert the following.

"Section 3 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows ".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "3" following the word "Sec " and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "4", after the word "Sec.", and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numeral "5" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3 line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numeral "6", and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4 line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numeral "7" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "8"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec ", strike out the numeral "8" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 11, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SEC 10 Section 12 of said act is hereby repealed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 6, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numerals "10", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following.

SEC. 12 Section 17 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 17. The director of agriculture shall establish and enforce rules and regulations necessary for the proper carrying out of the provisions of this act, and shall print and distribute the same to all persons applying therefor without charge

SEC. 13. Section 18 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 18. There is hereby created a fund to be known as the "state fish exchange fund." On or before the tenth day of each month, the state fish exchange shall remit to the state treasury all moneys collected by said exchange under this act, during the

preceding month. All such remittances shall be placed to the credit of the state fish exchange fund and said fund shall be kept separate and apart from other state moneys. All expenses of whatsoever nature incurred by said exchange pursuant to the provisions of this act, including the actual and necessary traveling and other expenses of its employees incurred while on business of the exchange and including the premium and charge for bonds given by surety companies for employees of the exchange when required by the director of agriculture or by the provisions hereof, shall be paid from the said fund, after approval by the director of agriculture, upon claims provided in section 19 of this act

SEC. 14. Section 19 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 19. A revolving fund of five hundred dollars shall be established by the state board of control out of the state fish exchange fund for expenses of the state fish exchange, other than salaries, rent and other regular expenses, and the director of agriculture may expend such revolving fund without first procuring the authority of the board of control, but shall file vouchers therefor monthly with the board of control.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "11", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 30 to 33, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "exchange fund, monthly, to the director of agriculture and credited to the general fund, for services rendered the state fish exchange by the director of agriculture."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 6, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "12", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numerals "13", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 7, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numerals "14", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the numerals "15", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 49 to 52, inclusive, and on page 8, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC 20. Section 29 of said act is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out that part of line 6 following the word "any", and strike out all of lines 7 and 8 and that part of line 9 preceding the word "is", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "California sea lion (Zalophus californianas) in fish and game districts nineteen, twenty or twenty "A".".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the semicolon, insert the following: "*provided, further*, that in fish and game districts eleven, twelve, twelve "B" and thirteen the length of the meshes of any gill net must be either two and one-half inches or less, or five and one-half inches or more;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the semicolon, insert the following: "*provided, further*, that in fish and game districts eleven, twelve and thirteen no drift gill net shall be used for taking fish where any part of the net is nearer than three hundred feet to where the surface of the water joins the land;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 11 and that part of line 12 preceding the word "is", and insert in lieu thereof the following. "or any beach seine or roundhaul net".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following. "or between the sixteenth day of May and the thirty-first day of July, both dates inclusive, to have any barracuda in possession on any purse or roundhaul net boat or to have in possession any barracuda which have been caught with a purse seine or with a roundhaul net"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "district twelve "A" " and the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "districts three, twelve "A" and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twelve "A" " and the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three, twelve "A" and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sixteen", and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 460—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 607—An act to authorize and empower the Fish and Game Commission to close fishing streams and lakes, and in emergency to restrict the open season for hunting in any fish and game district or portion thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 606—An act to permit the Fish and Game Commission to control predatory fish and animals.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, following the word "roads", insert a comma and the following: "other than those dedicated to the public by deed of the owner or to which title has been acquired through eminent domain proceedings,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 2620 of the Political Code, relating to the width of highways.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Also: Senate Bill No. 860—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 723 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 860 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April, 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 88—An act to amend sections 1044, 1083*b*, 1096, 1096*a*, 1125, 1151, 1192, 1195*b*, 1204, 1205, 1210, 1261, 1262, 1264, 1265, of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors and conduct of elections;

Also: Senate Bill No. 562—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation; granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District;

Also. Senate Bill No. 12—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny,

Also Senate Bill No. 637—An act declaring that certain lands situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, are not tidelands and releasing any claim that the State of California may have in and to said lands;

Also. Senate Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into congressional districts and defining and establishing such districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 88 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections

Senate Bill No. 562 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No 12 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 637 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 839 read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relating to investigation by the Attorney General into the legality of Assembly Bill No. 1206, chapter 65, of the 1925 session of the Legislature, and the contract entered into pursuant to said bill for the sale of the Folsom Reservoir site;

Also. Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the creation of a committee for the purpose of making a comprehensive study into the subject of grade crossing accidents and delays and reporting thereon to the Legislature of the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend sections 20 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds, to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, and adding two sections, to be numbered section 6½ and section 2¾.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr. Jones:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crater, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 32.

Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That leave of absence from the State of California for a longer period than sixty days, during their term of office, is hereby granted His Excellency C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California; to Buron R. Fitts, Lieutenant Governor of the State of California; and to the following members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California:

Senators James M. Allen, Newton M. Allen, C. C. Baker, Frank S. Boggs, Arthur H. Breed, Victor J. Canepa, Harry A. Chamberlin, E. H. Christian, Charles H. Cobb, John Joseph Crowley, Herbert J. Evans, Roy Fellom, J. C. Garrison, P. J. Gray, Fred C. Handy, J. James Hollister, Edgar S. Hurley, Thomas Ingram, J. M. Inman, M. B. Johnson, Herbert C. Jones, Ray Jones, Chester M. Kline, Charles W. Lyon, Thomas A. Maloney, J. W. McKinley, Edwin A. Mueller, Daniel C. Murphy, H. C. Nelson, J. L. Pedrotti, Benjamin F. Rush, Will R. Sharkey, Herbert W. Slater, Ralph E. Swing, Cadet Taylor, Tallant Tubbs, J. I. Wagy, Frank C. Weller, T. C. West, and Sanborn Young.

Assemblymen Elbert G. Adams, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J. Anderson, Willard E. Badham, C. D. Ball, Willis M. Baum, Van Bernard, Roy Bishop, Archibald E. Brock, Joseph F. Burns, William M. Byrne, Henry E. Carter, Harold C. Cloudman, F. C. Clowdsley, Frank L. Coombs, James C. Crawford, Bradford S. Crittenden, J. Croter, Howard W. Davis, Charles H. Deuel, H. E. Dillinger, Walter H. Duval, Robert P. Easley, Crowell D. Eddy, B. J. Feigenbaum, T. R. Finley, Robert F. Fisher, James C. Flynn, Charles A. Foster, Robert B. Fry, Vernon F. Gant, Frederick C. Hawes, E. Walton Hedges, Jr., S. L. Heisinger, William B. Hornblower, Leland R. Jacobson, Chris N. Jespersen, Augustus F. Jewett, Jr., Isaac Jones, William P. Jost, Morgan Keaton, H. C. Kelsey, Thomas J. Lenehan, Edgar C. Levey, Z. S. Leymel, Walter J. Little, Harry Lyons, M. J. McDonough, Robert B. McPherson, Charles B. Melville, Miss Eleanor Miller, James A. Miller, Frank W. Mixter, Harry F. Morrison, J. J. Murphy, Roy J. Nielsen, Fred B. Noyes, Charles A. Oliva, Harry L. Parkman, Robert Lincoln Patterson, Charles F. Reindollar, Frederick M. Roberts, George W. Rochester, Eugene W. Roland, Jerome V. Scofield, Hubert B. Scudder, Harry F. Sewell, Edward J. Smith, Bert B. Snyder, C. C. Spalding, Byron J. Walters, N. V. Wemple, Percy G. West, John E. Wherrell, Dan E. Williams, Ray Williamson, Myron D. Witter, Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge, Clare Woolwine, and T. M. Wright.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of the fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Heisinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 15, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four thousand eight hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the words "three thousand six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 15, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 15, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out all matter after the period, and all of line 38.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Heisinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 293, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEISINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments refused adoption.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 293 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly

In explaining my vote against this Fresno County Government Bill, I will say that the salaries paid to the officers of Fresno County are among the most extravagant in the State. As an instance, each member of our board of supervisors receives a salary of $400 per month, which is one hundred per cent greater than the supervisors of San Francisco, and while our supervisors have a four-year term and only have to campaign in a district, those in San Francisco have a two-year term and must make a county-wide campaign for election.

A report from the Department of Finance shows that general taxation has increased in the last two years from $1.60 to about $1.80 on the hundred dollars. If any county encourages high salaries, it is reflected upon all taxes and the time soon comes when like officials from other counties will also demand higher salaries. These extravagances must be checked or taxation will soon become unbearable.

S. L. HEISINGER.

HON. HARRY LYONS IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty-four minutes a.m., Hon. Harry Lyons, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a Board of Examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said Board of Examiners; fixing the

fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. West moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1927, strike out all of line 29 after the comma after the word "water"; strike out all of line 30, and the first three words and comma in line 31

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. West as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 626, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WEST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to amend section 79 of "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any of such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 670 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Carter, Davis, Feigenbaum, Jacobson, Lyons, and Rochester—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 631 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to who shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 701 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 to article XIV thereof, relating to water rights.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION.

Mr. Coombs moved that the resolution previously adopted by the Assembly limiting debate to five minutes be suspended during consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27

Motion carried.

HON. CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Charles F. Reindollar, member of the Assembly from the Seventeenth Assembly District, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 to article XIV thereof, relating to water rights.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION.

Mr. Jones asked for unanimous consent to defer debate on Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 for the purpose of concurring in Senate amendments to Assembly Bills Nos. 1264, 1265 and 1266.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, and 409, relating to foreign corporations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1264?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, strike out the word "five"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1264 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—66.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on April 12 passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3627, 3627*a*, 3628, 3650 of the Political Code, and to add thereto

a new section to be numbered 3627*b*, all relating to revenue and taxation—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1265?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended strike out lines 6 to 9 both inclusive, and the following words in line 10: "less than the full cash value thereof"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 11, 1927, immediately preceding the word "all", insert the following: "and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 3627*b*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 11, 1927, following line 49, insert the following

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code, to be numbered 3627*b*, and to read as follows:

3627*b* The term "solvent credit" as used in section 3627*a* of this code shall not include contracts for the sale of personal property subject to taxation under the laws of this state while the title to said personal property is vested in the vendor.

SEC 6 In the event that it shall be hereafter finally determined by the courts that it is not legal to tax solvent credits in the manner provided in section 3627*a* of the Political Code while excluding from such tax the contracts described in section 3627*b* of said code, then and in that event such contracts shall be taxed as solvent credits in the manner provided in said section 3627*a*.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 11, 1927, strike out the numeral "5", and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "7".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1265 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, as a case of urgency, Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1266?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

In the event that it shall be hereafter finally determined by the courts that said franchises can not be taxed at the rate of one and eight-tenths per centum in the levying of the tax thereon which becomes a lien as of the first Monday in March, 1927, then the rate for the purpose of levying upon said franchises the tax, which becomes a lien as of the first Monday in March, 1927, shall be and is hereby fixed at one and six-tenths per centum.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1266 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO DEFER ACTION.

Mr. Crittenden moved that further consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 be deferred until after recess.
Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and seven minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Robinson reading

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27, under consideration at time of recess, was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:
By Mr. Rochester:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL,
April 12, 1927.

Honorable George W. Rochester,
Chairman, Assembly Committee on County Government,
Assembly Chamber, Building

DEAR MR. ROCHESTER: A number of inquiries have been made in respect to the recent decision of Arnold vs. Sullenger, 73 C. C. 359, in relation to compensation of county surveyors.

This decision held invalid and inoperative the provisions of section 4044 of the Political Code, purporting to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to fix the compensation of the county surveyor.

The result is that in each county in and for which the compensation of the surveyor is not prescribed by the provisions of the county government act, the surveyor must serve without pay until new legislation on the subject shall have been enacted. The surveyors in twenty counties are thus affected. In the remaining counties his compensation is prescribed either by the provisions of the county government act or by charter.

The counties thus affected are the following: Amador, Calaveras, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Inyo, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Plumas, San Benito, Sierra, Trinity, and Tuolumne. For these counties the county government acts should be amended or supplemental acts adopted, prescribing the compensation.

It seems appropriate also to call attention to the fact that in a number of county government bills now pending, provisions have been incorporated for the purpose of prescribing the compensation of the official reporter of the superior court. This can not be done under the constitution. The reporter is not a county officer. His com-

pensation is a subject which is not germane to a county government bill nor may the counties of the State be classified for the purpose of fixing his compensation (Pratt vs. Browne, 135 Cal. 649.)

Very truly yours,

FRED B. WOOD, Legislative Counsel.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 12, 1927, respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof—and appointed Senators Cobb, Garrison and Boggs as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Sewell, Jones and Davis as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 486.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 303 Senators Crowley, Sharkey and Mueller, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and providing the method therefor, and making appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FINLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 31, 36, 41, 42, 46, 47, 55, 57, 58, 60, 63, 69, 77, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 142, 147, 148, 151 and 159, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 19½, and 45½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of the act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways—has had the same under con-

sideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 167*a*, relating to the publication of annual reports and courses of study by city boards of education;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 11, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to the observance of American Forest Week, April 24 to April 30, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

NOYES, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

NOYES, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 ordered on file for adoption.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of

indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Cobb, Garrison and Boggs, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SEWELL,
JONES,
DAVIS,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

Report of committee adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Duval, Finley and Walters as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 486.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, to add a new section 1174*a* to the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, and to repeal section 1229 of the Political Code—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Crowley, Sharkey and Mueller, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "repeal", and insert in lieu thereof the word "amend".

WILLIAMSON,
WHERRELL,
NIELSEN,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

CROWLEY,
SHARKEY,
MUELLER,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report and amendment adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint, and enrollment.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

HON. VERNON F. GANT IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., Hon. Vernon F. Gant, member of the Assembly from the Forty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

HON. ROBERT B. M'PHERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and five minutes p.m., Hon. Robert B. McPherson, member of the Assembly from the Tenth Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68

NOES—Baum, Duval, Fisher, McPherson, Reindollar, Sewell, Williams, and Williamson—8.

Title read and approved

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 27

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding two new sections thereto to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that two new sections to be known as and numbered sections 3 and 4, be added to article XIV of the constitution of this State and to read as follows:

First—There is hereby added to article XIV a new section, to be numbered 3, and to read as follows:

Sec. 3. It is hereby declared that because of the conditions prevailing in this State the general welfare requires that the water resources of the State be put to beneficial use to the fullest extent of which they are capable, and that the waste or wasteful use or wasteful method of use of water be prevented, and that the conservation of such waters is to be exercised with a view to the reasonable and beneficial use thereof in the interest of the people and for the public welfare. The right to water or to the use or flow of water in or from any natural stream or water course in this State is and shall be limited to such water as shall be reasonably required for the beneficial use to be served, and such right does not and shall not extend to the waste or wasteful use or wasteful method of use or wasteful method

of diversion of water. Riparian rights in a stream or watercourse attach to, but to no more than so much of the flow thereof as may be required or used consistently with this section, for the purposes for which such lands are, or may be made adaptable, in view of such reasonable and beneficial uses; *provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as depriving any riparian owner of the reasonable use of water of the stream to which his land is riparian under reasonable methods of diversion and use, or of depriving any appropriator of water to which he is lawfully entitled. This section shall be self-executing, and the Legislature may also enact laws in the furtherance of the policy in this section contained

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

April 13, 1927.

To the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1197 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

In my opinion, the appropriation necessary for such expenditures during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34 of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1197 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield.

Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 13, 1927

To the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1204 makes an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

In my opinion, the appropriation necessary for such expenditures during the remainder of the seventy-eighth fiscal year constitutes an emergency within the meaning of article IV, section 34 of the constitution, and I therefore recommend the passage of this bill as an emergency bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1204 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of clerks of city justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 925 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' court in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths, and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 267 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 886 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the management of community real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 519 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—55
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 887 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds theretofore collected under the provisions of said act.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1219 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that the consideration of the motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given on a previous day, Mr. Crittenden moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 826 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Crittenden moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 402 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the words "three thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "other one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the word "balance".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 729, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hedges moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand five hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one half", and insert the words "the remainder".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Hedges as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 778, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEDGES, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Parkman moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the words "three thousand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "other" and the word "half" in line 6, and insert in lieu thereof the word "balance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "code", insert the following words: "relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in the county of San Mateo".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Parkman as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 881, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

PARKMAN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jespersen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 21, 1927, after the word "shall", insert the word "wilfully".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jespersen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 255, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JESPERSEN, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the county board of horticulture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Witter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 12 to 25, both inclusive, and strike out all of page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(*b*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed six annual inspectors, three of whom shall be known as "senior inspectors," and

three of whom shall be known as "junior inspectors," said senior inspectors shall be paid a salary at the rate of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month each during the time actually employed, and said junior inspectors shall be paid a salary at the rate of one hundred fifty dollars per month during the time actually employed;

(*c*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint one clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month;

(*d*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed twenty-four additional inspectors who shall be paid a compensation of ten dollars per diem during the time actually employed for the inspection of cantaloupes and watermelons; and seven dollars per diem during the time actually employed for the inspection of lettuce; *provided, further*, that the aggregate amount which may be expended for salaries in any one year, for such additional inspectors shall not exceed the sum of seventeen thousand five hundred fifty dollars.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Witter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 874, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WITTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water masters and the payment thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 806?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "budget", and insert in lieu thereof the word "statement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "tenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four-fifths", and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine-tenths".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one-fifth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one-tenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four-fifths", and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine-tenths".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 8, of the printed bill, insert after the word "and" the following words: "the original of each such statement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, insert after the word "March" the words "of each year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, insert after the word "March," the following words: "of each year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 33, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "made", insert the following words: "such payment shall become delinquent and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 5, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "district", and insert in lieu thereof the word "service".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "water master district fund", and insert the following words in lieu thereof: "state water master service fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, line 34 as printed, but line 35 by actual count, insert after the word "and", and ahead of the words "the state board of control", the following words: "on receipt thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, line 37 as printed, but line 38 by actual count, strike out the words "water master district fund", and in lieu thereof insert the following words: "state water master service fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, line 41 as printed, but line 42 by actual count, strike out the words "water master district fund", and in lieu thereof insert the following words: "state water master service fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, line 45 as printed, but line 46 by actual count, strike out the words "water master district fund", and in lieu thereof insert the following words: "state water master service fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, line 47 as printed, but line 48 by actual count, strike out the words "they are".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 806 were concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days prima facie proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 15?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "representatives", and insert in lieu thereof the word "representative".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 15 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, prohibiting persons from permitting the propagation within weed free area of weeds of which said area has been declared to be practically free, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds" approved June 3, 1921—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 436?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "jack bur", and insert in lieu thereof the words "spiny dock".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "Alhagi", insert the word "camelorum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "Gaura".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, begin the word "Heliotropium" with a capital H.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "cardoon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "which", and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 436 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 836?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "must", strike out the words "at least fifteen days before the first day of the month in which the supervisors of such county or city and county are required by law to levy the amount of taxes required for county or city and county purposes", and insert in lieu thereof the words "on or before the twentieth day of July".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "before", strike out the word "August", and insert in lieu thereof the word "July".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the first word "of", strike out the word "August", and insert in lieu thereof the word "July".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "than", strike out the word "August", and insert in lieu thereof the word "July".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 836 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—44.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764c of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 837?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, following the word "that", strike out the remainder of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "permission for the employment of such lecturer shall be previously obtained from the commission of credentials of the state department of education; *and provided, further*, that such lecturer can not be employed in any school for more than four lectures each term."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, following the word "employ", insert a comma and add the following: "when so directed by the governing board of the school district."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 837 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson,

Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended April 11, 1927, strike out the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 85, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1916, as amended, relating to fish and game districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crittenden moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 7 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the double quotation mark following the word "herewith", and in lieu thereof insert a single quotation mark.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 8 of the title of the amended printed bill, following the comma after the figures "1915", insert a double quotation mark and the following: "approved May 28, 1917".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out line 7 of the amended printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "acts inconsistent herewith', approved May 19, 1915", approved May 28, 1917, as".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crittenden as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 635, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRITTENDEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalities to pay all or any part of the expenses of such maintenance and operation; providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts; and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Eddy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words "said city clerk", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the superintendent of streets".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Eddy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 522, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EDDY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

April 13, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 175 is herewith returned without my approval.

The bill begins by stating that no school superintendent shall engage in any vocation that prevents him from performing his official duties, and then goes on to say

that any superintendent who receives an annual salary of $2,400 or less may teach full time in the public schools.

The present provision permits a superintendent to engage in full-time teaching, providing his salary as superintendent is less than $1,500. This is probably necessary in some of our very smallest counties, which can afford only extremely low superintendent's salaries, since except for this provision no superintendent at all would be possible. It is an unfortunate condition, however, in any county, for it is obvious that a superintendent who gives full time to another position in the schoolroom can not adequately keep in touch with the schools of his county.

It is now proposed to raise this limit and to permit a superintendent receiving a salary of $2,400 to occupy also a full-time teaching position. There are six such counties in the State, having elementary schools ranging in number from 24 to 105. I can not help believing that these counties need the full time of their county superintendent. This is especially so at the present time, when there is a growing demand for closer supervision of rural schools.

I have conferred with State Superintendent Cooper regarding this bill and find that he entirely coincides with this opinion. We both agree, however, that it might be well to make such a change in the law as would permit a county superintendent of schools to teach in summer schools of colleges, universities, and the like, during the vacation period of the public schools. The present code section is unfortunate in its wording, in that it seemingly prevents this, and it is therefore suggested that in some other bill amendments might be offered to make this vacation teaching possible.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 13, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 683 is herewith returned without my approval.

This is a special validating act relating only to Reclamation District No. 2047. It seeks according to the title to approve, confirm, and declare valid the creation of that particular district and all acts and proceedings of the district and of the trustees and officers thereof, and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and further attempts to declare and define the exterior boundaries of said district.

From the legal standpoint and as a matter of policy, I believe that special validating acts should be avoided. If necessary at all, such legislation should be accomplished by acts which are general in their application. I am advised that this is required by article IV, section 25, subdivision 33 of our constitution. From the policy standpoint, I further believe it unwise to encumber our statute books with special acts purporting to validate each particular district which has been, or may be hereafter, formed under our laws.

I am this day signing Assembly Bill No. 863 and Assembly Bill No 865, which respectively validate reclamation and irrigation districts. These acts are general in their application and accomplish to a large degree the object sought by special validating acts.

The present bill seeks to go further than merely validating the creation and organization of the district. It attempts to validate all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof. I doubt the power of the Legislature to do this; but assuming that such power exists, I deem it unwise to approve legislation purporting to validate all such acts and proceedings without having made a most careful study of each of them.

This proposed legislation further attempts to validate the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district and sets forth a very lengthy description defining and declaring the boundaries of the district. I am advised that no independent investigation was made by the Legislature of the benefits to be derived by the lands included in this description, but that the bill merely purports to embody a description of the land which the board of supervisors found to be benefited. This land is presumed to have been included in said district by proceedings under the general laws relating to the formation of reclamation districts.

I am not inclined to favor that portion of this legislation purporting to establish the boundaries of this district. If these boundaries have already been fixed, as I am advised they have, through proceedings taken under the general law relating to this subject, then this legislative act is unnecessary for this purpose. If, however, this description includes land not regularly included in the district by appropriate proceedings, or on the other hand, excludes land already taken into the district by such proceedings, the result would be confusion and probable injustice.

In withholding approval of this bill, I desire to call the attention of the Legislature to the case of Miller and Lux vs. Board of Supervisors, 189 Cal. 254, in which decision the special validating act of the Madera Irrigation District (Statutes 1921, page 76) was declared invalid.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, March 31, 1927, Friday, April 1, 1927; Monday, April 4, 1927; Tuesday, April 5, 1927, and Wednesday, April 6, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 14, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 14, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Sewell moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Rochester, Mr. Woolwine was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hawes of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Mrs. George Moyse of Glendale, Mrs. G. Hardy Smith of Pomona and Miss Florence Flord of Los Angeles, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs J F. Cummins of Burbank were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr McPherson, Mrs. Ernest Wichels of Vallejo, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Zemansky of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Messrs. Marcus Samuels and John Nellon of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Albertson of Whittier were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Messrs. J. H. Bedford and B. M. Estes of Escalon High School were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Badham, Professor E. W. Oliver of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Mary Louise Pratt of Sacramento, daughter of State Forester Pratt, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jewett, Mr. M C. Harris, principal of McCloud High School of McCloud, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Feigenbaum, Miss Esther H. Ehrmen and Mrs L. W. Dinkelspiel of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williams, Robert C. Cross, Jr., of Auburn and Miss Doris Leak of Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing who may bring actions for partition.

Also Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 690—An act to amend sections 290*b*, 290*c*, 290*d*, 290*e* and 290*f* of the Civil Code, relating to corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915;

Also: Senate Bill No. 868—An act to amend section 309½ of the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, or any of them, and the procedure therefor;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and/or other timber products by persons who by their own labor, and/or by using their live stock, machinery and/or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, and/or transporting logs and/or in manufacturing lumber and/or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and/or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the landowner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the landowner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be, to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens, to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class—has had the same

under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*r*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 851—An act to validate the organization and existence of county water districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 229—An act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act for the registration of deaths, the issuance and registration and burial and disinterment permits and the establishment of registration districts in county, cities and counties, cities and incorporated towns under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics and prescribing the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved March 18, 1905, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of coroners;

Also: Senate Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 294 of the Penal Code, relating to custody of dead bodies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 ordered on file for adoption

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 35—An act to regulate employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 44—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke, suspend or refuse to grant licenses, providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the Commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question, prohibiting the conducting of agencies in connection with pool halls and soft drink parlors and more specifically defining what are employment agencies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 12, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred **Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add** a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution, and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the Spanish-American War Veterans and the American Legion of the Department of California, respectively—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

PATTERSON, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b* to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to irrigation districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4257*a*, relating to the compensation of the surveyor, his deputy and surveying crews in counties of the twenty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said map unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the following named person be stricken from the roll to date from and including the fourteenth day of April, 1927:

Thomas W. Myles, Jr., Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.....$5 00

Resolved, That, whereas, through inadvertence the name of John Pettis appears on the list of attaches of the Assembly as Jack Pettis; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said list of attaches be corrected to read John Pettis instead of Jack Pettis.

Respectfully submitted.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The above report and resolution adopted.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 303, recommending the adoption of the following amendment:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the act by striking out the word "repeal" appearing on line 5 of the said title, and substituting in lieu thereof the word "amend".

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 98—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to reconstruct and repave the uncompleted section of the existing State highway, which extends from the town of Rio Vista, Solano County, to the town of Fairfield, Solano County, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 24—An act appropriating money for the resurvey and an estimate of the construction of the State highway known as the King's River Canyon Road;

Also: Senate Bill No. 110—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4*a* and to amend the title and sections 1, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1925, relating to licenses and reports;

Also: Senate Bill No. 360—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses.

Also: Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also: Senate Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relating to adjournment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "Saturday, April 23", and insert in lieu thereof the words "Friday, April 29".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Levmel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Minter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Clewdsley, Coombs, and Snyder—3.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31 ordered to enrollment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 31.

Relating to adjournment

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the forty-seventh session of the California Legislature do adjourn sine die, at twelve o'clock noon, Friday, April 29, 1927.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Lyons:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4256b, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Snyder:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appointment of receivers.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Scofield:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department, or either of them.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and

improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products on commission and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products on commission; to provide under certain contingencies for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 12, inclusive, of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the state director of agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 16, inclusive; also strike out pages 2 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of this act the term "produce dealer" shall include every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall receive produce for sale on commission or contract with the producer thereof for farm products to be sold by him on commission or accept in trust from the producer thereof for the purpose of resale, or who shall sell or offer for sale on commission or shall solicit consignments within the state of any kind of farm products, or who shall in any way handle for the account of or as an agent of the producer thereof any kind of farm products. The term "farm products" for the purposes of this act, shall include all agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and vegetable products of the soil, poultry and poultry products, live stock and live stock products, honey and cut flowers, but shall not include timber and timber products, milk and milk products, hay, field grains and dried beans. The term "consignor," for the purpose of this act, shall include every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall ship or deliver to any produce dealer any farm products.

SEC. 2. This act shall not be construed to apply to or include any cooperative organization, operating under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California or of any other state or the District of Columbia or under federal statute, or the agents, individual or corporate, or such organizations in the performance of their duties as *such agents; except as to that portion of the activities of such organization, or agent,* as involves the handling or dealing in the farm products of nonmembers of such organization (*b*) any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation buying vegetable and/or horticultural farm products for the purpose of reselling the same in dried, canned or other preserved form.

SEC. 3. On and after the effective date of this act, no person, firm, exchange, association or corporation shall act as a produce dealer without having obtained a license as provided in this act. Every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation acting as a produce dealer as herein defined shall file an application with the state director of agriculture for a license to transact the business of produce dealer and such application shall be accompanied by the license fee herein provided for. Such application shall state the class or classes of farm products applicant proposes to handle, the full name of the person, firm, exchange, association or corporation applying for such license, and if the applicant be a firm, exchange, association or corporation, the full name of each member of the firm, or the names of the officers of

the exchange, association or corporation shall be given in the application. Such application shall further state the principal business address of the applicant in the State of California and elsewhere and the name or names of the person or persons authorized to receive and accept service of summons and legal notices of all kinds for the applicant. Such applicant shall further satisfy the state director of agriculture of his or its character, responsibility and good faith in seeking to carry on the business of produce dealer. The state director of agriculture shall thereupon issue to such applicant, upon the execution and delivery of a bond as hereinafter provided, a license entitling the applicant to conduct the business of produce dealer at the place named in the application until the first day of January next following or until the same shall have been revoked for cause.

SEC. 4. The director of agriculture shall publish in pamphlet form as often as he thinks necessary, a list of all licensed produce dealers together with all necessary rules. Each licensed produce dealer shall post his license or a copy and regulations concerning the enforcement of this act thereof in his office or salesroom in plain view of the public; *provided*, that any agent of a licensed produce dealer shall show in writing his authority from his principal or employer to act as such agent. The fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars ($25) for each year or part thereof. All license fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the state treasury monthly and shall be credited to the "produce dealers' license fund," which fund is hereby created, and all moneys so deposited shall be held subject to the uses of the state director of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 5. Before any license shall be issued, the applicant shall execute and deliver to the state director of agriculture a good and sufficient surety bond in the sum of five thousand ($5,000) dollars executed by the applicant as principal and by a surety company qualified and authorized to do business in this state as surety. Said bond shall be conditioned upon compliance with the provisions of the act and upon the faithful and honest handling of farm products in accordance with the terms of this act. Said bond shall be to the State of California in favor of every consignor of farm products. Any consignor of farm products claiming to be injured by the fraud, deceit or wilful negligence of any produce dealer may bring action upon said bond against both principal and surety in any court of competent jurisdiction to recover the damages caused by such fraud, deceit and wilful negligence, or the failure to comply with the provisions of this act. In case of failure by a produce dealer to pay consignor creditors for farm produce received from said consignors to be sold, the state director of agriculture shall proceed forthwith to ascertain the names and addresses of all consignor creditors of such produce dealer, together with the amounts due and owing to them and each of them by such produce dealer, and shall request all such consignor creditors to file a verified statement of their respective claims with the state director of agriculture. Thereupon the state director of agriculture is hereby authorized to and shall proceed forthwith to bring an action on the bond in behalf of said consignor creditors which has been filed in the department by said produce dealer. Upon any action being commenced on said bond the director of agriculture may in his discretion require the filing of a new bond and immediately upon the recovery in any action on such bond such produce dealer shall file a new bond and upon failure to file the same within ten days in either case, such failure shall constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of his license.

SEC. 6. The applicant shall file with the director of agriculture at the time of furnishing said bond a schedule of his maximum and minimum commissions and charges for services in connection with produce handled on account of or as an agent for other parties and such designated commissions and charges shall not be changed or varied for one year thereafter, except by and through a written contract and agreement between the produce dealer or dealers and consignor or consignors of farm products.

SEC. 7. For the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this act, the state director of agriculture is authorized to receive verified complaints against any produce dealer or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation assuming or attempting to act as such, and upon receipt of such verified complaint shall have full authority to make any and all necessary investigations relative to the said complaint, and he shall have at all times free and unimpeded access to all buildings, yards, warehouses, storage and transportation facilities in which any produce is kept, stored, handled or transported. He shall have full authority to administer oaths and take testimony thereunder, to issue subpœnas requiring the attendance of witnesses before him, together with all books, memoranda, papers, and other documents, articles or instruments; to compel the disclosure by such witnesses of all facts known to them relative to the matters under investigation, and all parties disobeying the orders or subpœnas of said state director of agriculture shall be guilty of contempt and shall be certified to the superior court of the state for punishment for such contempt. Copies of records, inspection certificates, certified reports and all papers on file in the office of the state director of agriculture shall be prima facie evidence of the matters therein contained.

SEC. 8. Upon the verified complaint of any interested party the state director of agriculture must or on his own motion may investigate any transaction involving

solicitation, receipt, sale or attempted sale of farm products by any person or persons acting or assuming to act as a produce dealer; failure to make proper and true account of sales and settlement thereof as in this act required; the intentional making of false statements as to condition, and quantity of any farm products received or in storage; the intentional making of false statements as to market conditions; the failure to make payment for farm products within the time required by this act; or any other injurious transactions, and in furtherance of such investigation or inspection, the state director of agriculture, or any authorized representative, may examine that portion of the ledger, books, accounts, memoranda and other documents, farm products, scales, measures, and other articles and things used in connection with the business of such produce dealer relating to the transactions involved. When a consignor of farm products fails to obtain settlement satisfactory to him in any transaction after having notified the consignee, a verified complaint may be filed with the state director of agriculture, who shall undertake to effect a settlement, and in the event that he shall fail to effect such settlement, he shall cause a copy of such complaint, together with a notice of time and place of hearing of such complaint, to be served personally or by mail upon such produce dealer. Such service shall be made at least ten days before the hearing, which shall be held in the city or town in which is situated the business location of the licensee, or in which the transaction complained of is said to have occurred. At the time and place appointed for such hearing the state director of agriculture, or his agents, shall hear the parties to such complaint, and shall enter in the office of the state director of agriculture at Sacramento a decision either dismissing such complaint or specifying the facts established on such hearing. A copy of such decision shall be furnished to each, every and all the respective parties thereto.

SEC. 9. The state director of agriculture may refuse to grant a license, and may revoke any license, as the case may require, when he shall be satisfied of the existence of any of the following facts: (a) that fraudulent charges or returns have been made by the applicant, or licensee, for the handling, sale or storage of, or for rendering of any service in connection with the handling, sale or storage of any farm products; (b) that the applicant, or licensee, has failed or refused to render a true account of sales, or to make a settlement thereon, within the time and in the manner by this act required; (c) that the applicant, or licensee, has made any false statement as to the condition, quality or quantity of farm products received, handled, sold or stored by him, as a produce dealer; (d) that the applicant, or licensee, directly or indirectly, has purchased for his, or its own account farm products received by him, or it, upon consignment without prior authority from consignor together with price fixed by consignor or without promptly notifying the consignor of such purchase; *provided*, that this shall not prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscellaneous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales; (e) that the applicant, or licensee, has intentionally made any false or misleading statement as to the conditions of the market for any farm products; (f) that the applicant, or licensee, has made fictitious sales or has been guilty of collusion to defraud the producer; (g) that the produce dealer to whom any consignment is made has reconsigned such consignment to another produce dealer for the purpose of receiving, collecting or charging by such means more than one commission for making the sale therefor for the consignor, unless by consent of such consignor, (h) that the licensee was intentionally guilty of fraud or deception in the procurement of such license; (i) that the licensee or applicant has failed or refused to file with the director of agriculture a schedule of his maximum and minimum commission and other charges for services in connection with produce handled on account of or as an agent of another as prescribed in section 6 of this act on or prior to February first of each year.

SEC. 10. Any action of the state director of agriculture with reference to the granting of, or the refusal to grant, or to renew any license, or with reference to the revocation of any license granted under the provision of this act, may be reviewed by any court of competent jurisdiction, but pending final determination of any such review, in the case of the revocation of or refusal to renew the license of any produce dealer, such license shall be deemed in full force and effect until the final determination of such proceedings: *provided* that no license shall be refused during the time of or on account of the pendency of any review proceedings.

SEC 11 It shall be the duty of every produce dealer, having received any farm products for sale as such dealer, to promptly make and keep a correct record showing in detail the following with reference to the handling, sale, or storage of such farm products; (a) The name and address of the consignor; (b) the date received; (c) the condition and quantity upon arrival; (d) date of such sale for account of consignor; (e) the price for which sold; (f) an itemized statement of the charges to be paid by consignor in connection with the sale; (g) each consignment of product shall be given a lot number or other identifying mark, which number or mark shall appear on all sales tags and/or on any other essential records needed to show what the produce actually sold for; (h) a detailed statement shall be kept on file of the filing of any claim or claims which have been or may be filed by the produce dealer against any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation for overcharges

or for damages resulting from the injury or deterioration of such farm products by the act or acts or neglect or failure of such person, firm, exchange, association or corporation, and such records shall be open to the inspection of the state director of agriculture and the consignor or consignors of farm products for whom such claim or claims are made; *provided*, that the money returns, if any, collections, or damages received by said produce dealer from said persons, firms, exchanges, associations or corporations for and on behalf of consignor or consignors of farm products by reason of said overcharges, damages, or deterioration shall forthwith be paid to the aforesaid consignor or consignors of farm products, less charges for collection thereof in accordance with the schedule of charges filed under section 6 of this act. A copy of record and account of sales of farm products together with remittances in full of the amount realized by such sales, less the agreed commission and other charges, shall be delivered to the consignor upon the consummation of the sale together with all moneys received by him in payment for any consignment of farm products, less the agreed commission and other charges, within ten days after receipt of said moneys by said dealers, unless otherwise agreed in writing; *and provided, however*, that the names and addresses of the purchasers need not be given

It shall also be the duty of every produce dealer to retain a copy of all records including sales tags, account sales, and other records, covering each transaction, for a period of one year from the date thereof, which copy shall at all times be available for, and open to, the confidential inspection of the state director of agriculture and the interested consignor, or any authorized representative of either In the event of any dispute or disagreement between a consignor and a produce dealer arising at the time of delivery as to condition, quality, grade, pack, quantity or weight of any lot, shipment or consignment of farm products, it shall be the duty of the state department of agriculture to furnish upon the payment of a reasonable fee therefor to be paid by requesting party a certificate establishing the condition quality, grade, pack, quantity or weight of such lot, shipment or consignment, such certificate shall be prima facie evidence in all courts of this state as to the recitals thereof at the time such inspection was made The burden of proof shall be upon the produce dealer to prove the correctness of his accounting as to any transaction which may be questioned.

SEC. 12 Any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall assume or attempt to act as a produce dealer of farm products as defined by this act without a license, or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who, being a produce dealer of farm products, shall (a) impose false charges for handling or services in connection with farm products, or (b) fails to account promptly, correctly, fully and properly and to make settlement therefor as herein provided, or (c) shall intentionally make false or misleading statement or statements as to market conditions, or (d) shall make fictitious sales or shall be guilty of collusion to defraud the producer, or (e) shall directly or indirectly purchase for his or its own account, goods received by him, or it, upon consignment without prior authority from the interested consignor, or shall fail promptly to notify the consignor of such purchases, if any, on his, or its own account; *provided*, that this clause shall not be so construed as to prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscellaneous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales, or (f) shall intentionally make false statement or statements as to the grade, condition, markings, quality or quantity of goods shipped or packed in any manner or (g) shall fail to comply in every respect herewith, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed one thousand dollars or by confinement in the county jail for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment. It is hereby made the duty of the several district attorneys of this state to prosecute all violations of this act subject to prosecution in their respective counties. Civil suits and criminal prosecutions arising by virtue of any of the provisions of this act may be commenced and tried in either the county where the products were received by the produce dealer, or within the county in which the principal place of business of such produce dealer is located within the State of California, or within the county in which the violations of this act occurred

SEC. 13. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 14. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and providing the method therefor, and making appropriation

therefor and prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act declaring the policy of the state in respect to old age pensions, providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. It is the policy of the State of California to provide a system of pensions for aged persons who are residents of this state.

SEC. 2. In furtherance of such policy, the Legislature hereby declares that such system of pensions, if and when adopted, shall be upon the following plan:.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word and figure "Sec. 2.", and insert in lieu thereof "(1)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word and figure "Sec. 3.", and insert in lieu thereof "(2)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out "(1)", and insert in lieu thereof "(i)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out "(2)", and insert in lieu thereof "(ii)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 5", and insert in lieu thereof "(3)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 6", and insert in lieu thereof "(4)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 29 to 52, inclusive, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 13, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 9", and insert in lieu thereof "(5)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 20 to 33, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 11", and insert in lieu thereof "(6)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 12", and insert in lieu thereof "(7)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 13", and insert in lieu thereof "(8)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 46 to 52, inclusive, and on page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 24, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 17", and insert in lieu thereof "(9)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 30 to 52, inclusive, and on page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 3. The state department of public welfare is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to make a thorough and exhaustive investigation of old age pension laws of other states and countries and of the administration thereof and of each thereof, also of conditions in California and the system of old age pensions best adapted to such conditions, and to render its report thereon, with such recommendations as it may have to make in respect thereto, to the Legislature of the State of California at the commencement of the forty-eighth session thereof.

SEC. 4. Out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, to be expended in accordance with law in carrying out the provisions of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 6, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "24", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 6, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "25", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "one thousand six hundred sixty-two.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, following the word "twenty", insert a comma, and strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the Political Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 3 and 4, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "repealing section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, starting with line 3, strike out all the remaining material on page 1, all the material on page 2, and lines 1 and 2 on page 3.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "1".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the word "where", and insert in lieu thereof the word "when".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "in", and insert in lieu thereof the word "at".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "repealed", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*amended to read as follows:*

1617. The board of education of any city, or of any city and county, or the board of school trustees of any school district situated within a high school district maintaining a junior high school shall permit pupils who have completed the sixth year of the elementary school to attend a junior high school established as provided by section 1750*a*, of the Political Code, and shall pay to such high school district for the education of such pupils, a tuition charge which shall be agreed upon by said board of education, or board of school trustees, and the high school board maintaining such junior high school; *provided*, that if such agreement be not reached before the time fixed for the county superintendent of schools to submit the budgets of such districts to the board of supervisors, the county superintendent shall compute the amount of said tuition and shall incorporate said amount in the budgets of the districts concerned; *and provided, further*, that should the trustees of any school district fail to draw warrants for such tuition due to a high school district the county superintendent of schools shall draw his warrant therefor; *and provided, further*, that such board of education or board of school trustees shall not pay to any such high school board for educating a pupil residing in such elementary school district and attending such junior high school, a tuition charge greater than the average net cost per pupil for educating pupils in the first six years of the elementary school in said elementary school district; *and provided, further*, that such tuition charge shall cease to be paid after the pupil has completed two years of work in such junior high school."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 167*a*, relating to the publication of annual reports and courses of study by city boards of education.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, following the period, strike out the words "Such report", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except where city boards of education print and distribute in pamphlet form, an annual financial statement of receipts and expenditures of such district, such budget".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 262—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 36*a*, relating to the disaffirmance of life insurance contracts by minors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend sections 2 and 50 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "than", and before the word "thousand", strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 36, 41, 55, 58, 60, 63, 69, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 142, 147, 148, 151, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 19½ and 45½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators and chauffeurs, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of this act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended March 18, 1927, strike out that portion of the title beginning with the word "nineteen", in line 3, to and including the word "highways", in the last line of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "seven, twelve, nineteen, twenty-eight, thirty-one, thirty-six, forty-two, forty-six, forty-seven, fifty-five, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, sixty, sixty-three, sixty-nine, seventy-three, seventy-eight, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-six, one hundred, one hundred one, one hundred four, one hundred eight, one hundred twelve, one hundred thirteen, one hundred fourteen, one hundred fifteen, one hundred sixteen, one hundred seventeen, one hundred eighteen, one hundred forty-two, one hundred forty-seven, one hundred forty-eight, one hundred fifty-one, one hundred fifty-four, and one hundred fifty-nine, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered seven and one-half, nineteen and one-half, forty-five and one-half, seventy-seven and one-half, and one hundred fifty-nine and one-half, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of the act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles, the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways, and to the enforcement of said act and the disposition of fees collected under said act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of the printed bill as amended March 18, 1927, from and including line 1, on page 1, to and including line 15, on page 18, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 7 of the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 7. (1) "Semitrailer." Every vehicle of the trailer type having not more than one axle and two wheels so designed and used in conjunction with a motor vehicle that some part of its own weight and that of its own load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle.

(2) Any motor unit composed of a tractor so constructed as not to carry any independent load and a semitrailer permanently joined to the tractor shall be deemed to be one vehicle.

SEC. 2. Said California vehicle act is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 7½ to read as follows:

Sec. 7½. "Special mobile equipment." Any vehicle or unit of special construction equipment not designed or intended for use as a transportation unit, which is used in connection with construction work, or for agricultural purposes, and which is occasionally or incidentally moved over the public highways from place to place or from job to job, shall be classed as "special mobile equipment." The term "special mobile

equipment" shall also include dollies, well-boring apparatus, woodsaws and fumigating and spraying apparatus, provided that all such apparatus and special mobile equipment are not selfpropelled.

SEC. 3. Section 12 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 12 "Pneumatic tires." All tires inflated or capable of inflation with compressed air.

SEC. 4. Section 19 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19. "Chauffeur." Every person who is employed for the principle purpose of driving a motor vehicle on the public highways and every person who drives a motor vehicle for the transportation of persons or property for compensation on any public highway.

SEC. 5. Said act is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 19½ to read as follows:

Sec. 19½. "Dealer." Every person engaged in the business of buying, selling or exchanging motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers in this state, and having an established place of business in this state.

SEC. 6. Section 28 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 28. "Public garage." Every building or other place where motor vehicles are kept and stored by the public and where a charge is made for such storage and keeping of motor vehicles.

SEC. 7. Section 31 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 31. Chief of division to adopt rules and regulations and prescribe forms. The chief of the division of motor vehicles is hereby authorized to adopt and enforce such administrative rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act. The chief shall also prescribe and provide suitable forms of applications, certificates of registration and ownership, operator's and chauffeur's licenses and all other forms requisite for the purposes of this act and shall prepay all transportation charges thereon. Whenever the term "certificate of registration" or "registration certificate" is used in the California vehicle act it shall be deemed to mean a registration card and the division is hereby authorized to change the designation "certificate of registration" or "registration certificate" to read "registration card".

SEC. 8. Section 36 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 36. Application for registration.

(*a*) Every owner of a motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer which shall be operated upon the public highways of this state shall for each such vehicle owned, except as herein otherwise provided, apply to the division for the registration thereof.

(*b*) *Application for the registration of a vehicle herein required to be registered* shall be made upon the appropriate form furnished by the division and shall contain the name and address of the owner and legal owner, also a description of the vehicle, including the name of the maker, the motor number, the date first sold by the manufacturer or dealer to the consumer and such further description of the vehicle as shall be called for in the form, and such other information as may be required by the division.

(*c*) In the event that the vehicle to be registered should be a specially constructed, reconstructed or an imported vehicle, such fact shall be stated in the application, and upon the registration of every imported motor vehicle which has been registered theretofore in any other state or country, the owner shall surrender to the division all number plates, seals, certificates of registration or other evidences of such former registration as may be in the applicant's possession or control.

(*d*) The provisions of this act requiring the registration of certain vehicles shall *not apply to special mobile equipment nor to implements of husbandry temporarily* drawn, moved or otherwise propelled upon the public highways.

SEC. 9. Section 42 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 42. Plates to be furnished by division.

(*a*) The division shall also furnish to every owner whose vehicle shall be registered one number plate for a motorcycle, trailer or semitrailer, and two number plates for any motor vehicle other than a motorcycle.

(*b*) Every number plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued, together with the word "California" or the abbreviation "Cal" and the year number for which it is issued.

(*c*) Number plates furnished for trailers, semitrailers and such vehicles as are exempt from the payment of fees under this act shall display suitable distinguishing marks or symbols, and the numbers assigned in such cases shall run in different numerical series from the number assigned to other vehicles registered under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 10. Said act is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 45½ to read as follows

Sec. 45½. Delivery of certificate and report of sales.

(*a*) Any person who refuses or neglects to deliver a certificate of ownership to a transferee entitled thereto under the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be punished as provided in section 153 of this act.

(*b*) Give notice of sale or transfer. Every dealer, upon transferring a motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer, whether by sale, lease or otherwise, to any person

other than a dealer, shall immediately give written notice of such transfer to the department upon the official form provided by the department. Every such notice shall contain the date of such transfer, the names and addresses of the transferor and transferee and such description of the vehicle as may be called for in such official form

SEC. 11. Section 46 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 46.

Sec 46. Registration by manufacturers and dealers.

(*a*) A manufacturer of or dealer in motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers having an established place of business in this state, owning any such new vehicles and operating them upon the public highways exclusively for the purpose of testing, demonstrating or selling the same, in lieu of registering each such vehicle, may make application upon an official blank provided for that purpose to the division for a general distinguishing number or symbol; provided, that vehicles ordinarily used by the dealer or manufacturer in the conduct of his business as work or service vehicles must be registered the same as any other like vehicle as provided in section 36 of the California vehicle act.

(*b*) The application shall be upon a blank to be furnished by the division and the applicant shall furnish such proof as the division may deem necessary that the applicant is a manufacturer or dealer and entitled to register vehicles under the provisions of this section. The division, upon receipt of such application and when satisfied that the applicant is entitled thereto, shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration containing the latter's name and business address and the general distinguishing number or symbol assigned to him in such form and containing such further information as the division may determine, and every vehicle owner or controlled by such manufacturer or dealer, and permitted to be registered under a general distinguishing number, while being operated for the purpose of testing, demonstrating or selling the same, shall be regarded as registered hereunder.

(*c*) The division shall also, upon receipt of such application, or thereafter, furnish to the manufacturer or dealer one or more pair of automobile plates or single plates for other vehicles required by the applicant, and every such plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number which is assigned to the applicant, with a different letter or symbol on each pair of automobile number plates and on each single plate for other vehicles.

(*d*) No such manufacturer or dealer shall operate any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer owned or controlled by him upon any public highway or permit it to be so operated, unless number plates assigned to him are attached thereto, in the manner hereinbefore specified in this act, excepting only that it shall be permissible for such manufacturer or dealer to operate any such vehicle without number plates attached thereto from any vessel, railroad depot or warehouse over the public highways, to the salesrooms or other place of business of such manufacturer or dealer, or to a warehouse or other place of storage under a written permit authorizing such operation first obtained from the police authorities or marshal of the city or town in which said vessel, railroad depot or warehouse is situated, and there is hereby conferred upon police authorities, including town marshals within the State of California, authority to issue such permits in proper cases as hereinbefore provided

(*e*) The division of motor vehicles may, at its discretion, grant a temporary permit to operate a vehicle for which registration has been applied.

SEC. 12. Section 47 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 47.

Sec. 47. Registration by nonresidents.

(*a*) A nonresident owner of a motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer which has been duly registered for the current year in the state or country of which the owner is a resident and in accordance with the laws thereof, may, in lieu of registering such vehicle as otherwise required by this act, apply to the division for the registration thereof as provided in this section, except that the privileges granted in this section shall not apply to any motor vehicle operated within this state for the transportation of persons or property for compensation.

(*b*) The nonresident owner shall within ten days after commencing to operate such vehicle or causing or permitting it to be operated within this state apply to the division for the registration thereof upon the appropriate official form stating therein the name and home address of the owner and the temporary address, if any, of the owner while within this state, the registration number of said vehicle assigned thereto in the state or country in which the owner is a resident, together with such description of the motor vehicle as may be called for in the form and such other statements of facts as may be required by the division.

(*c*) The division shall file each application received and register the vehicle therein described and the owner thereof in suitable books or on index cards, and shall without charge, issue to the owner a registration certificate of a distinctive form containing the date it is issued, a brief description of the vehicle and a statement that the owner has procured registration of such vehicle as a nonresident

(*d*) No nonresident owner of a motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer shall operate any such vehicle or cause or permit it to be operated upon the public highways of

this state, either before or while it is registered under this section, unless there shall at all times be displayed thereon the registration number plates assigned to said vehicle for the current calendar year by the country or state of which such owner is a resident, nor unless the certificate of registration, when issued thereto as in this section provided shall be placed on the windshield of said motor vehicle in the manner to be specified by the division and on any other vehicle in plain sight and in the manner to be specified by the division.

(e) Every certificate of registration issued pursuant to this section shall be valid not to exceed six months from the date of its issuance.

SEC. 13. Section 55 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 55.

Sec. 55. Report of stolen and embezzled motor vehicles.

(a) The owner or legal owner of any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer which is stolen or embezzled, may notify the division of such theft or embezzlement, *provided*, in the case of an embezzlement the owner or legal owner shall have first procured a warrant for the arrest of the person charged with such embezzlement. Every owner or legal owner who has given such notice must notify the division of the recovery of such vehicle Upon receipt of a notice of theft or embezzlement of a vehicle the division shall immediately suspend the registration of such vehicle and shall not transfer the registration of such vehicle until such time as it shall be notified that the owner has recovered such vehicle. Notices given under this section shall be effective only during the current registration year in which given.

(b) Upon the report to any county sheriff or chief of police or peace officer that a motor vehicle has been stolen, and in the event such vehicle has not been recovered within one week from the time of such theft, the officer to whom such report was made shall then make immediate report of such theft upon the appropriate official form to the division of motor vehicles and any officer upon receiving information that any motor vehicle which has previously been reported as stolen has been recovered, shall immediately report the fact of such recovery to the division.

(c) The division shall file all such reports of stolen and recovered motor vehicles and properly index the same and shall not transfer the registration of any motor vehicle without first checking the engine number shown in the application therefor against the stolen motor vehicle index and satisfying the division that the motor vehicle sought to be transferred is not a stolen motor vehicle

SEC. 14. Section 57 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 57.

Sec 57. Public garages, records to be kept. Every person engaged in the business of conducting a public garage shall keep a written record of every motor vehicle stored therein for compensation for a period longer than twelve hours, which record shall include the name and address of the person storing such vehicle together with a brief description of such vehicle including the name or make, the motor number and the license number thereof as shown by the number plates and registration certificate upon such vehicle. Every such record shall be open to inspection by any peace officer. Whenever any motor vehicle has been stored in a public garage for thirty days and the owner or his address is unknown to the garage proprietor, the latter shall immediately report the presence of such motor vehicle in the garage to the police or sheriff's office in the city or county wherein such garage is located.

SEC. 15. Section 58 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 58.

Sec. 58. Operators and chauffeurs must be licensed.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a motor vehicle upon any public highway in this state, whether as an operator or a chauffeur, unless such person has been licensed as an operator or chauffeur; except such persons as are expressly exempted under this act

(b) Every person before driving a motor vehicle as an operator shall apply to the division for an operator's license, and every person before driving a motor vehicle as a chauffeur shall apply to the division for a chauffeur's license, except as herein otherwise provided.

SEC. 16. Section 60 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 60. What persons need not apply for a license.

(a) A nonresident operator or chauffeur, who has complied with the laws of the country or state of his residence relative to persons operating motor vehicles, and who while operating a motor vehicle in this state shall wear such badge conspicuously upon an outer garment and carry such license certificate as may have been assigned to him in the country or state of his residence, shall be exempt from license hereunder for a period not to exceed six months in any one calendar year.

(b) Every person enlisted in the military service of the United States and acting as chauffeur in such service shall while acting in such service be exempt from the provisions hereof requiring that a chauffeur's license be procured.

(c) No person shall be required to obtain an operator's or chauffeur's license for the purpose of operating or driving implements of husbandry temporarily drawn, propelled or moved on the public highways.

SEC. 17. Section 63 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 63.

Sec. 63. Division shall examine applicants.

(a) The division shall require every applicant upon first applying for an operator's or chauffeur's license, and before issuing any such license, to submit to an examination by the division or its authorized representatives as to the qualifications of such applicant for a license, and the division shall make provision for examination in the county wherein the applicant may reside within not more than five days from the date such application is presented to the division; *provided*, that a licensed operator may drive a vehicle as a chauffeur after applying for a chauffeur's license and pending an examination and action by the division upon such application for a chauffeur's license. The examination shall include a test of the applicant's hearing and eyesight and of his ability to understand highway warning and direction signs and he shall be required to give an actual demonstration of his ability to exercise ordinary and reasonable control in the operation of a motor vehicle by driving the same under the supervision of an examining officer

The examination shall include a test of the applicant's knowledge and understanding of the provisions of the California vehicle act governing the operation of motor vehicles on the public highways and may include such other matters as may be necessary to enable the division to determine that the applicant is entitled to a license under the provisions of this act but any physical defect of the applicant which in the opinion of the division does not affect the applicant's ability to exercise reasonable and ordinary control in the operation of a motor vehicle shall not prevent the issuance of a license to the applicant.

(b) The division may in its discretion waive the examination of any person applying for the renewal of an operator's or chauffeur's license heretofore or hereafter issued under the California vehicle act.

SEC. 18. Section 69 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 69. Expiration of license. An operator's license issued hereunder, or previously issued and valid at the time this amendment takes effect, shall be valid until revoked, suspended or canceled, as hereinafter provided; every chauffeur's license shall expire at midnight on December thirty-first of each year and shall be renewed annually in the same manner and upon payment of the same fee as provided for an original license; *provided*, that the division of motor vehicles is hereby authorized at any time to cancel all operator's licenses which have been outstanding three years or more, and to require the renewal thereof upon application and subject to examination in the discretion of the division.

SEC. 19. Section 73 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 73. Revocation or suspension of licenses by the division

(a) The division shall forthwith revoke the license of any person for a period of twelve months upon receiving satisfactory evidence of the conviction of such person of any of the following crimes

(1) Manslaughter, resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle

(2) Any crime constituting a felony under the California vehicle act or of any other felony in the commission of which a motor vehicle is used.

(3) Convictions upon three charges of reckless driving all within a period of twelve months from the time of the first conviction.

(b) The division may conduct an investigation and hearing to determine whether the license of an operator or chauffeur shall be suspended or revoked in any of the following events:

(1) Upon receiving a verified complaint that any person is afflicted with such mental or physical infirmities or disabilities as would constitute ground for refusal of a license under this act.

(2) Upon receiving a verified complaint that any person has driven a motor vehicle in a reckless or negligent manner and has thereby caused death or injury to any person or serious damage to property and upon investigation following such complaint, inquiry shall be made, and the division shall have jurisdiction to determine whether the license of any operator or chauffeur involved in or contributing to such accident shall be suspended or revoked, and no testimony or record of suspension or revocation of a license by the division following such complaint shall be admissible as evidence in any court in any action at law for negligence arising out of or involving such accident, nor shall any testimony or record of a conviction of any person of a misdemeanor under the California vehicle act be admissible as evidence in a civil action brought against the person so convicted.

(3) Upon receiving a verified complaint that an operator or chauffeur is an habitual reckless, negligent or incompetent driver of any motor vehicle.

(c) The chief of the division shall determine the sufficiency of any complaint filed hereunder, and in his discretion shall have power to set a time for hearing in the county wherein the person complained of shall reside, and such person shall be entitled to at least ten days' previous notice of such hearing from the division and such hearing shall be held by the chief of the division or by any person or persons not exceeding three, officers or employees of the division whom he may designate.

(d) The chief of the division or the person or persons designated by him and holding such hearing may summon witnesses in behalf of the state and such witnesses as may be designated by the person under investigation, and may administer oaths and take testimony or cause depositions to be taken, and the supreme court, any

district court of appeal or any superior court shall have jurisdiction upon the application of the division to enforce all lawful orders of the division under this section. The failure of the respondent to appear at the time and place of hearing after notice, as provided in this section, shall not prevent the hearing, the taking of testimony and determination of the matter as herein provided. The fees for the attendance and travel of witnesses shall be the same as for witnesses before the superior court and shall be paid by the state upon demand by the division filed with the controller.

(e) Upon the conclusion of such hearing, the chief of the division or the person or persons holding such hearing on his behalf shall prepare findings based upon the evidence received and considered. If the findings are to the effect that the person referred to therein is incompetent or is unfit to operate a motor vehicle upon any of the grounds upon which license might be refused, as stated in this act, the chief of the division upon a review of such findings shall have authority to forthwith revoke the license of such person, or if the findings are to the effect that the person therein referred to has by reason of negligent or reckless driving endangered life, limb or property or has thereby caused loss of life or injury to person or property, the chief of the division upon a review of such findings shall have power to suspend the license of such person for a period not exceeding six months, or may revoke such license, and in either event shall require that such license certificate and any chauffeur's badge issued to such person be surrendered to the division.

(f) Upon the expiration of the period of the suspension of any license as hereinbefore in this section provided for, the division shall return to the licensee his license certificate, or in its discretion may issue to him a new certificate; and in like manner the division shall return to any chauffeur, whose license badge may have been forwarded to the division upon suspension of his license, such license badge or issue to such licensee a new badge.

SEC. 20. Said act is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 77½.

Sec. 77½. Refund of fees erroneously collected. Whenever the division through error shall collect any fee or duplicate fee not required to be paid under this act, the same shall be refunded to the person paying the same upon application therefor.

SEC. 21. Section 78 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 78. Exempt from registration fees. The registration fees specified in this act, except fees for duplicate number plates or certificates, need not be paid for any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer owned by any foreign government or by a consul, or other official representative thereof, or by the United States, or by any state or political subdivision thereof, or owned by a voluntary fire department organized under the laws of this state when such vehicles are used exclusively for fire-fighting purposes, nor for any like vehicle owned by or used exclusively in the operative work of such corporations as are taxed solely for state purposes under the constitution of this state, nor for any like vehicle used exclusively by a company in the operative work of its business of transportation of persons or property as a common carrier for compensation over any public highway of this state between fixed termini, or over a regular route, and subject to taxation under the provisions of section 15 of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California. All such vehicles shall be registered as herein required by the person having custody thereof and such custodian shall display official registration plates bearing distinguishing marks thereon which shall be furnished by the division free of charge.

SEC. 22. Section 85 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 85.

Sec. 85. Gross weight of vehicles and loads.

(a) No vehicle shall be operated or moved upon any public highway which has a total weight, including vehicle and load, in excess of twenty-two thousand pounds when such vehicle is equipped with four wheels running on the highway, or having a total weight, including the vehicle and load, of thirty-four thousand pounds when said vehicle is equipped with six wheels, or with eight or more wheels; *provided*, that no vehicle shall be operated upon the public highways of this state when the weight thereof exceeds eighteen thousand pounds on any one axle or the weight thereof on any one wheel resting upon the roadway exceeds nine thousand pounds.

(b) Any vehicle equipped with four wheels, all of which are cushion wheels running on the highway, may be operated upon the public highway when the gross weight of such vehicle and load does not exceed twenty-three thousand pounds.

SEC. 23. Section 90 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 90. Trailers.

(a) No motor vehicle or motor unit composed of a tractor and semitrailer shall be driven upon any public highway drawing or having attached thereto more than one trailer or other vehicle, nor shall the total combined length of any such motor vehicle or motor unit and trailer or other vehicle nor any special mobile equipment or combination thereof exceed sixty feet, except that this limitation shall not apply to implements of husbandry temporarily moved upon the public highways.

(b) The drawbar or other connection between any two vehicles one of which is towing or drawing the other shall not exceed fifteen feet in length from one vehicle to the other and whenever such connection shall consist of a chain, rope or

cable there shall be displayed upon such connection a red flag or cloth not less than twelve inches in length nor less than twelve inches in width.

SEC. 24. Section 96 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 96.

Sec. 96. Prevention of noise, smoke, etc.

(*a*) Every motor vehicle shall have devices in good working order which shall be at all times in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise, annoying smoke and the escape of gas, steam or oil, as well as the falling out of residue from fuel. All exhaust pipes carrying exhaust gases from the engine shall be directed parallel to the ground or slightly upward. It shall be unlawful to use a "muffler cutout" on any motor vehicle when within a business or residence district.

(*b*) From and after January 1, 1929, no person shall drive a motor vehicle upon a public highway when such motor vehicle is equipped with a "muffler cutout" capable of being operated by the driver or occupant thereof and from and after said date it shall be unlawful to use a "muffler cutout" on any motor vehicle upon any public highway. The provisions of this section prohibiting the use of muffler cutouts shall not apply to police or fire department vehicles.

(*c*) No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any highway unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent its contents from dropping, sifting, leaking or otherwise escaping therefrom

SEC. 25 Section 100 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 100. Headlamps on motor vehicles.

(*a*) Every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle or farm tractor and except as otherwise provided herein, when upon any public highway during the times and under the conditions mentioned in section 99 hereof shall be equipped with two headlights, no more, and no less, of approximately equal candle power at the front of and on opposite sides of such vehicle. Such headlights shall be so attached to such motor vehicle that the centers thereof shall be not more than fifty-four inches above the level surface upon which the vehicle stands.

(*b*) The term "headlight" as used herein shall denote a light located upon the front or other portion of a vehicle, the rays of which are projected forward, other than a side light, a spot light or an auxiliary light.

(*c*) Motor vehicles may also be equipped with two sidelights but no more or less. The term "sidelights" shall include any lights upon a motor vehicle other than headlights, spotlights or auxiliary lights, the rays of which project forward. No electric lamps or bulbs shall be used in any sidelight which exceeds four candle power.

(*d*) The term "auxiliary light" shall denote any combination of reflector or lens and lamp bulb designed to illuminate the roadway close to the motor vehicle and used in connection with two approved headlights.

Motor vehicles may be equipped with one fixed or movable auxiliary light, and no more, mounted below the level of the centers of the headlamps and between or attached to the spring horns.

Auxiliary lights shall be submitted to the division of motor vehicles for test subject to the provisions of section 102*c* of this act. The division of motor vehicles shall issue an approval provided it is established by the testing agency that the device will not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of such auxiliary light or fail to produce ample road light in front of and close to the motor vehicle with the beam depressed not less than six degrees below the level otherwise required in this section when the latter is used in connection with approved headlights.

(*e*) Every motor vehicle other than any roadroller, road machinery or farm tractor, having a body or load width in excess of eighty inches shall carry at the times and under the conditions mentioned in section 99 two clearance lamps on the left side of such vehicle, one located at the front and displaying a white light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred feet to the front of the vehicle, and the other located at the rear of the vehicle and displaying a green or red light visible under like conditions from a distance of five hundred feet to the rear of the vehicle but such lamps shall not display any excessive, glaring or dazzling light and when a motor vehicle is drawing a trailer or semitrailer the clearance lamps specified in this subsection shall be placed on the left side at the front and rear respectively of such train of vehicles.

SEC. 26. Section 101 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 101.

Sec. 101. Construction, arrangement and adjustment of headlights. The headlights of motor vehicles shall be so constructed, arranged and adjusted that they will, at all times mentioned in section 99 and under normal atmospheric conditions, produce ample driving light for the use of the operator of such vehicle but will not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons approaching such lights or to persons whom such headlights may approach.

Headlights shall be presumed to comply with this section if they comply with the following requirements and limitations when the vehicle upon which they are affixed is fully loaded; such compliance shall be presumed if such headlights are affixed to such vehicle in the manner required by this act and are of a type, or are equipped with lenses, reflectors or control devices which have been found to meet

such requirements and limitations by the laboratory test provided in section 102 and when used in accordance with the instructions of the testing agency.

The light projected by such headlights shall be as follows:

1. In the median vertical plane parallel to the lamps on a level with the centers of the lamps, not less than one thousand eight hundred apparent candle power.

2. In the median vertical plane, one degree of arc below the level of the center of the lamps, not less than seven thousand two hundred apparent candle power and there shall not be less than seven thousand two hundred apparent candle power anywhere on the horizontal line through this point one degree to the left or to the right of this point.

3. In the median vertical plane, one degree of arc above the level of the center of the lamps not more than fifteen hundred, nor less than five hundred, apparent candle power.

4. Four degrees of arc to the left of the median vertical plane and one degree of arc above the level of the center of the lamps, not more than eight hundred apparent candle power.

5. One and one-half degrees of arc below the level of the center of the lamps and three degrees of arc to the left and to the right, respectively, of the median vertical plane, not less than five thousand apparent candle power nor less than this amount anywhere on the line connecting these two points.

6. Three degrees of arc below the level of the center of the lamps and six degrees of arc to the left and to the right, respectively, of the median vertical plane, not less than two thousand apparent candle power nor less than this amount anywhere on the line connecting these two points.

7. The maximum beam shall not exceed fifty thousand candle power nor shall the maximum intensity exist lower than two degrees of arc below the level of the lamps.

Provided, it shall be lawful, when the above requirements and limitations are otherwise complied with, to so construct or equip the headlights of motor vehicles as to permit that the beams of light projected therefrom be depressed downward not more than three degrees of arc below the level otherwise required under this section but without diminishing the amount of light projected from the lamp bulb when so depressed. When the division of motor vehicles shall determine that any such device when so operated during the times and under the conditions mentioned in section 99 will project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of such headlights or that such headlights when equipped or constructed with such device fail to produce ample driving light for the use of the driver of such vehicle, then the division shall refuse approval for the use thereof.

The chief of the division may refuse approval to any device which will be in actual use unsafe or impractical as to mechanical construction, or mounting on car; *provided*, that upon such refusal the chief of the division must furnish the applicant a detailed statement setting forth the reasons for such refusal.

SEC. 27. Section 104 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 104. Acetylene headlights. Any motor vehicle equipped with acetylene headlights shall be deemed to have complied with the provisions of this act, concerning headlights, anything to the contrary notwithstanding, when such vehicle has two acetylene lamps at the front portion thereof, of approximately equal candle power which shall be lighted at the times and under the conditions specified in section 99, and are fitted with clear plane glass fronts, bright six-inch spherical mirrors and standard acetylene five-eighths or three-quarters foot burners, not more and not less, and which must throw sufficient light ahead to make clearly visible all vehicles, persons or substantial objects upon the roadway within a distance of two hundred (200) feet but must not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons approaching such lights or to persons whom such headlights may approach

Any motorcycle equipped with an acetylene headlight shall be deemed to have complied with the provisions of this act, anything to the contrary notwithstanding, when such motorcycle has one acetylene lamp at the front thereof, which shall be lighted at the times and under the conditions specified in section 99, and is fitted with a clear plane glass front, bright, six-inch spherical mirror and a standard acetylene one-half or five-eighths foot burner, and which must throw sufficient light ahead to make clearly visible all vehicles, persons or substantial objects upon the roadway within a distance of one hundred fifteen feet (115), but must not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons approaching such light or to persons whom such headlight may approach.

If the inclusion of this section is ever held to render any other provision of this act unconstitutional, then this section shall be regarded as stricken from this act so that the other provision may remain in force.

SEC. 28. Section 108 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 108. Spotlights.

(*a*) The term "spotlight" as used herein shall denote any lamp on a motor vehicle, the rays of which are projected forward, except head lamps, side lamps and auxiliary lamps. Motor vehicles may be equipped with not to exceed two spotlights in addition to head lamps as required in this act. Spotlights shall not be used in substitution of head lamps.

(b) All spotlights used on motor vehicles shall be affixed to such vehicle in such a manner that the centers thereof shall be not less than thirty nor more than seventy-two inches above the level surface upon which the vehicle stands and shall be so constructed and arranged that no portion of the main substantially parallel beam of light when measured one hundred feet or more ahead of said lights shall rise or shall be capable of being raised from the front seat to more than thirty inches above the level surface of the highway upon which the vehicle stands directly ahead of such vehicle. It shall be unlawful to use any bulb exceeding thirty-two standard candle power in a spotlight. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to police or fire department vehicles.

SEC. 29. Section 112 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 112. Persons under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drugs. It shall be unlawful for any person who is an habitual user of narcotic drugs or who is under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drugs to drive a vehicle on any public highway within this state.

Any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ninety days nor more than one year or by imprisonment in the state prison for not less than one nor more than three years, or by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars ($200), nor more than five thousand dollars ($5,000), and upon every verdict of "guilty" under this section, the jury shall recommend the punishment and the court in imposing sentence shall have no authority to impose a sentence greater than that recommended by the jury.

SEC. 30. Section 113 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 113. Restrictions as to speed.

(a) Any person driving a vehicle on the public highways of this state shall drive the same at a careful and prudent speed not greater than is reasonable and proper, having due regard to the traffic, surface and width of the highway, and no person shall drive any vehicle upon a public highway at such a speed as to endanger the life, limb or property of any person.

(b) Subject to the provisions of subdivision (a) of this section and except in those instances where a lower speed is specified in this act, it shall be lawful for the driver of a vehicle to drive the same at a speed not exceeding the following

1. Fifteen miles an hour in traversing a grade crossing of any steam, electric or street railway when the driver's view is obstructed. A driver's view shall be deemed to be obstructed when at any time during the last one hundred feet of his approach to such crossing he does not have a clear and uninterrupted view of such railway crossing and of any traffic on such railway for a distance of four hundred feet in both directions from such crossing;

2. Fifteen miles an hour in traversing an intersection of highways when the driver's view is obstructed. A driver's view shall be deemed to be obstructed when at any time during the last one hundred feet of his approach to such intersection he does not have a clear and uninterrupted view of such intersection and of the traffic upon all of the highways entering such intersection for a distance of two hundred feet from such intersection;

3. Fifteen miles an hour in traversing or going around curves or corners of a highway when the driver's view is obstructed within a distance of two hundred feet along such highway in the direction in which he is proceeding;

4. Fifteen miles an hour when passing a school while persons are entering or leaving the grounds of such school;

5. Fifteen miles an hour in a business district as defined herein;

6. Twenty miles an hour in a residence district, as defined herein;

7. Forty miles an hour under all other conditions.

(c) In all charges for a violation of this section, speeds in excess of those set forth in subdivision (b) of this section shall be taken as prima facie but not as conclusive evidence of a violation of this section, and every notice to appear and every complaint charging a violation of this section shall specify approximately the speed at which the defendant is alleged to have driven and exactly the lawful speed at the time and place of the alleged offense.

SEC. 31. Section 114 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 114. Business and residence districts defined.

(a) A "business district" for the purpose of this act shall mean the territory contiguous to a public highway when fifty per cent or more of the frontage thereon for a distance of three hundred feet or more is occupied by buildings in use for business. All roads and highways within the grounds of a state university or state, county or municipal institution shall be deemed to be within a business district for the purposes of this act.

(b) A "residence district" for the purpose of this act shall mean the territory contiguous to a public highway not comprising a business district, as defined herein, when the property fronting on said highway for a distance of not less than one-quarter of a mile is occupied by dwelling houses or business structures which are not more than an average distance of one hundred feet apart.

(c) Every public highway shall be conclusively presumed to be outside of a business or residential district unless its existence within a business or residential district shall be established by clear and competent evidence as to the nature of the district, and unless sign-posted when and as required by this act.

SEC. 32. Section 115 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 115.

Sec. 115. Business districts to be sign-posted.

The board of supervisors of any county and the legislative body of any city or town wherein any public highway lies within a business district, are hereby authorized and as to main through highways are hereby required to cause metal signs to be conspicuously placed on every such highway at the boundary lines of such business district, which signs shall be placed on the right hand side of such highway looking toward such district and at right angles to the highway and at a height of not less than four and not more than ten feet from the ground and which shall be triangular in shape, having the apex thereof upward, the sides thereof being of equal length and not less than twenty-four inches in length, which signs shall be colored dark green on both the front and back thereof, and shall have inscribed on the front thereof in white letters of a size to be easily read by a person using the highway the words and figures "15 miles speed limit."

SEC. 33. Section 116 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 116.

Sec. 116. Residence districts to be sign-posted.

The board of supervisors of any county and the legislative body of any city or town wherein any public highway lies within a residence district, are hereby authorized and as to main through highways entering a residence district from other than a business district are hereby required to cause metal signs to be conspicuously placed on every such highway at the boundary lines of such residence district located thereat in the same manner and of the same size and shape as specified herein for signs at the boundaries of a business district, which signs for a residence district shall be colored red on both the front and back thereof and shall have inscribed on the front thereof in white letters of a size to be easily read by a person using the highway the words "twenty miles speed limit."

SEC. 34. Section 117 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 117.

Sec. 117. Signs at railroad crossings.

The board of supervisors of any county and the city council, board of trustees or other legislative body of a city or town wherein any public highway crosses at grade any steam or interurban electric railway tracks shall cause to be placed and thereafter maintained warning signs on every such highway at a reasonable distance from such crossing and on both sides thereof upon the right hand side of the highway looking toward the crossing. Every such sign shall consist of a metal disc twenty-four inches in diameter, the face enameled white, with an enameled black border line one inch wide and with an enameled black vertical and horizontal cross line two and one-half inches wide. In each of the upper quarters shall appear in black enamel the letter "R" five inches high, three and three-quarters inches wide, lines one inch stroke

SEC. 35 Section 118 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 118.

Sec 118. Speed limit for vehicles regulated according to weight and tire equipment.

(a) In addition to any other regulations imposed by this act it shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle or combination of vehicles, the gross weight of which, including any load thereon is eighteen thousand pounds or more, to drive the same upon a public highway at a speed in excess of twenty miles per hour.

(b) It shall be unlawful for the driver of a vehicle equipped with other than pneumatic tires to drive the same upon a public highway at speeds in excess of those provided in the following table:

When gross weight of vehicle and load is—	Maximum speed in miles per hour
Nine thousand pounds or more but not more than twelve thousand pounds	25
Over twelve thousand pounds but not over twenty-two thousand pounds	15
Over twenty-two thousand pounds	12
When a truck or trailer is equipped with tires made wholly or partly of metal	6

Subject to the foregoing limitations when applicable, any truck or trailer equipped with other than pneumatic tires which has a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of four tons or more shall not at any time be driven or moved on any public highway at a speed in excess of fifteen miles per hour

SEC. 36. Section 142 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 142.

Sec. 142. Accident reports.

(a) The driver of any vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injuries or death to any person, shall within twenty-four hours forward a report of such accident to the division, except that when such accident occurs within an incorporated city or town such report shall be made within twenty-four hours to the police head-

quarters in such city or town Every police department shall forward every such report, or a copy thereof, so filed with it to the division.

The division may require drivers involved in accidents to file supplemental reports and may require witnesses of accidents to render reports to it upon forms furnished by it whenever the original report is insufficient in the opinion of the division. Such report shall be without prejudice, shall be for the information of the division and the fact that such reports have been so made shall be admissible in evidence solely to prove a compliance with this section, but no such report or any part thereof shall be admissible in evidence for any other purpose in any trial, civil or criminal, arising out of such accident.

(*b*) The division shall prepare and may supply to police and sheriff offices and other suitable agencies, forms for accident reports calling for sufficiently detailed information to disclose with reference to a highway accident the cause, conditions then existing and the persons and vehicles involved.

The division shall receive accident reports required to be made by this act and shall tabulate and analyze such reports and publish annually, or at more frequent intervals, statistical information based thereon as to the number, cause and location of highway accidents

SEC. 37. Section 147 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 147.

Sec. 147. Injuring vehicle. Any person who shall individually or in association with one or more others, wilfully break, injure, tamper with or remove any part or parts of any vehicle for the purpose of injuring, defacing or destroying such vehicle, or temporarily or permanently preventing its useful operation, or for any purpose against the will or without the consent of the owner of such vehicle or who shall in any other manner wilfully or maliciously interfere with or prevent the running or operation of such vehicle, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Any person arrested upon a charge of violating this section may be taken immediately by the arresting officer before the nearest or most accessible magistrate.

SEC. 38. Section 148 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 148.

Sec. 148. Tampering with vehicle. Any person who shall without the consent of the owner or person in charge of a vehicle, climb, with the intent to commit any malicious mischief or injury thereto or with intent to commit any crime, upon or into such vehicle, whether the same be in motion or at rest, or who, while such vehicle is at rest and unattended, shall attempt to manipulate any of the levers, the starting crank or other device, brakes or mechanism thereof, or to set said vehicle in motion shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Any person arrested upon a charge of violating this section may be taken immediately by the arresting officer before the nearest or most accessible magistrate.

SEC. 39. Section 151 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 151.

Sec. 151. Live stock not to stray on highway. No person owning, or controlling the possession of, any live stock, shall voluntarily or negligently permit any such live stock to stray upon or remain unaccompanied by a person in charge or control thereof upon a public highway, either side of which is adjoined by property which is separated from such highway by a fence, wall, hedge, sidewalk, curb, lawn or building, nor permit the tether or any portion thereof to which such animal may be attached, to lie across or upon any public highway. No person shall feed, pasture, camp or drive any such live stock upon, over or across any public highway between the hours of sunset and sunrise without keeping a sufficient number of herders on continual duty to open the road so as to permit the passage of vehicles.

SEC. 40. Section 154 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 154. Appearance upon an arrest for misdemeanor. Whenever any person is arrested for any violation of the provisions of this act, unless such violation is herein declared to be a felony, or unless such person demands the right to an immediate appearance before a magistrate, the arresting officer shall, upon production but without surrender of the operator's or chauffeur's license of the person arrested, or other satisfactory evidence of the latter's identity, take the name and address of such person and the number of his motor vehicle and notify him in writing to appear at a time and place to be specified in such notice, such time to be at least five days after such arrest and such place to be before a magistrate of the township in which the offense with which the arrested person is charged is alleged to have been committed, or upon the demand of the person arrested, before a magistrate of the township in which is located the county seat of the county in which such offense is alleged to have been committed, whereupon such officer shall, upon the giving by such person of his written promise to appear at such time and place, forthwith release him from custody; *provided*, that in any county in which there is established a municipal court at the county seat thereof, the notice referred to herein may specify the appearance of the person arrested before any magistrate in the county.

Whenever any such person refuses to give his written promise to appear as herein provided for or demands an immediate appearance before a magistrate, he shall be taken forthwith before a magistrate of the township in which the offense with which he is charged is alleged to have been committed. He shall then be entitled to at least five days continuance of his case in which to prepare to plead or to prepare for trial and he shall not be required to plead or be tried within five days unless he

waives such time in writing or in open court; *provided*, that he gives his written promise to appear at such time and place as the court may fix for his further appearance or, upon his refusal to give such promise, upon such bail as the court may fix and he shall thereupon be released from custody.

Any person who wilfully violates his promise given in accordance with this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor regardless of the disposition of the charge upon which he was originally arrested. A promise to appear may be complied with by an appearance by counsel.

SEC. 41. Section 159 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 159. Motor vehicle fund.

(*a*) There is hereby created in the state treasury a fund which shall be known as the "motor vehicle fund." The state treasurer shall deposit all money received by him from the division or otherwise under the provisions of this act into the motor vehicle fund.

(*b*) There is hereby appropriated out of such fund all moneys received as operators' and chauffeurs' license fees and duplicate operators' and chauffeurs' license fees and in addition thereto such portion of the remainder of such motor vehicle fund not exceeding in any registration year twenty-five per cent thereof as may be necessary for the maintenance of the division of motor vehicles to be expended by the division in carrying out the provisions of this act. There shall be deducted from the sums which the division is allowed to expend hereunder such amount as may be allowed to said division in each calendar year under budget appropriation by the state Legislature. The division may draw, without at the time furnishing vouchers and itemized statements, sums not to exceed in the aggregate fifty thousand dollars, said sums so drawn to be used as a revolving fund where cash advances are necessary. At the close of each fiscal year the moneys so drawn must be accounted for and substantiated by vouchers and itemized statements submitted to and audited by the board of control and by the controller. The balance of said fund, after the expenditure of so much as may be permitted by this act for the support of the division of motor vehicles, shall be known as the "net receipts" and shall be devoted to the purposes and in the manner herein specified.

(*c*) One-half of such "net receipts" is hereby appropriated and shall be paid from the motor vehicle fund to the counties of this state in proportion to the number of vehicles registered in such counties as determined by the places of residence of the owners to whom the registration certificates are issued; *provided*, that there shall be deducted from the amount to be paid hereunder to any county all amounts that may have been expended under the provisions of this act during the preceding six months, or that may be reasonably necessary during the succeeding six months, to pay the compensation of state inspectors and traffic officers appointed to serve in such county. All amounts paid under this section to the counties shall be deposited in the road funds of the several counties receiving the same and shall be expended by such counties exclusively in the construction and maintenance of public roads, bridges and culverts in said counties respectively; *provided*, that the board of supervisors of any county may in its discretion expend any portion of such sums so received by such county in the construction, maintenance and repair of streets, bridges and culverts within those incorporated cities therein the legislative bodies of which by ordinance authorize such work of construction, maintenance and repair. The board of supervisors of any county, or city and county, which is empowered by law to expend money for the construction of public highways outside of its corporate limits, may expend any portion of the amounts paid to the said county, or city and county, and deposited in the special road improvement fund or other road fund thereof, as herein in this section directed, in and for the construction of public highways outside of its corporate limits; *provided, however*, that the construction thereof is authorized by ordinance of the board of supervisors of the county, or city and county, in which said highway is to be constructed. Where such authorization is given by ordinance, as herein provided, the board of supervisors of the county, or city and county desiring the said construction, may, through its own boards, officers or commissions expend the amounts herein authorized to be expended, or may, by ordinance of its board of supervisors, transfer said amounts to the account of the highway commission of the State of California and may by said ordinance specify and determine the route and type of construction of said highway, and the said amount thus transferred shall, if accepted by the said highway commission, be expended by said commission for the purpose specified and determined in said ordinance, and not otherwise.

(*d*) The board of supervisors of each county in the state shall establish a road fund in the county treasury for the receipt of such funds received, as hereinbefore provided, and shall also make an annual report to the state department of public works not later than three months after the close of the counties' fiscal year, upon forms to be provided by the state department of public works, showing the amount of moneys received from the motor vehicle fund during the preceding fiscal year and the disposition of said moneys, specifying in such detail as may be required by said department the roads, bridges and culverts constructed or maintained out of said moneys and the sums applied to the several items of such construction or maintenance.

(e) The state controller shall in the months of February and August of each year draw his warrants upon the motor vehicle fund in favor of the county treasurer of each county for the amount to which such county is entitled hereunder, except that the state controller shall not draw his warrant upon the motor vehicle fund in favor of the county treasurer of any county which has not established a road fund, as required hereunder, or which has failed, neglected or refused to file the report showing the amount of money heretofore received by such county from the motor vehicle fund and the disposition thereof, as hereinbefore required, until such county has established a road fund and shall make the reports herein required; *provided, however, that in cases where the actual domicile, residence or place of abode of an owner,* or part owner, of any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer is in a different county than the place which such owner has designated as his place of residence in his registration certificate, the county auditor of the county receiving such funds from the state as hereinabove provided shall draw his warrant in favor of the county containing the actual domicile, residence or place of abode of such owner, or part owner, in such sums as may properly be attributed to the latter county.

(f) All moneys remaining in the motor vehicle fund after the expenditures hereinbefore in this section authorized, together with all sums that have been heretofore or that may be hereafter appropriated by the Legislature for the same purpose, shall be paid into the state highway maintenance fund and shall be expended under the direction of the state department of public works for the maintenance, repair, widening, resurfacing and reconstruction of state roads and highways under the jurisdiction of said department and for the maintenance, repair, widening, resurfacing and reconstruction of roads and highways in state parks, subject to the approval of the official or officials charged by law with the management and control of such parks, such money to be so drawn from the motor vehicle fund for the purpose of such maintenance, repair, widening, resurfacing and reconstruction upon warrants executed by the state controller upon demands made by the state department of public works and allowed and audited by the state board of control.

SEC. 42. Said act is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 159½ to read as follows:

Sec. 159½. The chief of the division of motor vehicles is authorized and empowered, in his discretion, to employ such counsel whenever matters affecting the enforcement of this act or the administration of this act by the division may be deemed necessary. The compensation for such counsel shall be made upon verified claims therefor, audited by the chief of the division and approved by the department of finance. Such claims, when approved, shall be paid from the funds of the division of motor vehicles.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 10, line 52, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "net".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 11, line 9, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "net".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 11, line 26, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "net".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "lens, reflector".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "lens, reflector".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "lens, reflector".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the comma, insert in lieu thereof a period, and strike out beginning with the word "or", in line 18, down to and including line 27; also strike out lines 1 to 8, inclusive, page 2, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "candlepower", insert a comma and add the following: "to be certified and approved by the testing agency for use in such headlight,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "lens or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "both with and without the device".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in each case".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 659—An act providing for the exchange of certain lands of the State, situate in a national park, and for the management and control of the lands acquired in exchange.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO.

Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 1553 of the Political Code, relating to superintendent of schools.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act to prohibit the diversion of underground waters applied to a public use within a given area to the use of the inhabitants of another area where the same would prejudice the rights, welfare or prosperity of the consumers or owners of lands overlying the underground basin.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1199 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Feigenbaum, Smith, and Williamson—3.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Wright gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1199 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 751 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 181 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 173 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Little moved that Assembly Bill No. 578 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 578 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 79 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—Lenehan—1.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 79 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved

May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from preexisting injury, disability or condition.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 774 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—50.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—17.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Crittenden gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 774 was this day passed.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Kelsey, the consideration of Assembly Bills Nos. 1051, 1015, 1047, 772 and 1048 were made a special order for Tuesday, April 19, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

Assembly Bill No. 603—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to vital statistics and the duties of local registrars in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 603 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. H. E. DILLINGER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Hon. H. E. Dillinger, member of the Assembly from the Sixteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 5½, to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Davis moved that Assembly Bill No. 1221 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1221 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps or arms of bays that may be outside the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1041 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 141 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 716 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1025 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union, or of any organization of employers, or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Williamson and Burns, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, and Wherrell—31.

Time, eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4264*b*, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1024 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1254 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Clowdsley, Deuel, Dillinger, Rochester, and Roland—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b*, to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One, to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, strike out all of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to validate all proceedings taken under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Bernard as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 932, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BERNARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain a police department, to provide for the formation, government and operation of said police districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes, for such purpose, and to create a board of police commissioners—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 544?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 39, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "published" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the second of said publications must be made".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 42, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "police" and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 42, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "fixed by them" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of said police district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 44, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "police".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 45, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 21, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "limits" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 24, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "limits" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 40, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "limits" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 41, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "limits" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 47, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "unincorporated town (or village) of" and insert in lieu thereof the words "police protection district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 7, line 48, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 50, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 2, of the amended printed bill, after the word "therein" insert the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 8, line 29 of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "police".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 8, line 29, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "unincorporated town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the words "said police protection district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 8, line 36, of the amended printed bill, strike out the period following the word "value" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "but if a fraction of a cent occur it shall be taken as a full cent on a valuation of one hundred dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 8, line 37, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "of" following the word "roll" and insert in lieu thereof the word "by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 8, line 44, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 8, lines 44 and 45, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "subject only to the order of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and shall be paid out upon warrants of the county auditor, which shall be drawn upon orders".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 8, lines 45 and 46, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 8, line 50, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "they", and insert in lieu thereof the words "the board of police commissioners".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 9, line 4, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "department", and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 9, line 6, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "treasurer", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "treasurer in the manner provided in section 11 hereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 9, line 8, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "officer or officers", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "member of any police commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 9, line 9, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "or their".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 9, line 33, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "police".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 9, line 33, of the amended printed bill, after the word "limits", insert the following words: "of said police district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 9, line 43, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "count", and insert in lieu thereof the word "canvass."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 10, line 10, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "said town or village," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the county in which said police district is situated."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 10, line 11, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "thereof", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in said district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 10, line 13, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "town or village", and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 10 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 31 and 32 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 25. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "situated", insert the following: "and shall be paid out on warrants of the county auditor which shall be drawn upon orders of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the word "votes", and insert in lieu thereof the word "returns".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

On page 6, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the words "town or village", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "police district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 30, 1927, strike out the word "publication", and insert in lieu thereof the word "publications".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 30, 1927, strike out the words "town or village", and insert in lieu thereof the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 30, 1927, strike out the word "said", following the word "within".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 5, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 30, 1927, strike out the word "auditors", and insert in lieu thereof the word "auditor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the word "bill", and insert in lieu thereof the word "will."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 544 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1006?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That in line 4, page 8, of said printed bill, following the word "burying", there be inserted the words "or cremation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 34, of said printed bill, strike out the period following the word "person" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "except that the board shall be authorized and empowered to secure by agreement for the needy sick and dependent and partially dependent citizens in cases of emergency, hospital care including medical, surgical, x-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service at cost from persons, firms and corporations then and there maintaining and operating hospitals in the county or city and county. Such hospitals shall be only those whose organization and management show that they are qualified to render and are actually rendering services to the sick, economically and efficiently and the books for the operation and conduct of which reflect accurately in monthly statements the per diem cost of medical, surgical, x-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service to patients."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "parks," insert the words "botanical gardens,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, before the word "To", insert the figure "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, strike out lines 2 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provided in section 4048 of the Political Code, with the exception of advertising."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, strike out the word "therin", and insert in lieu thereof the word "therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 10, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, insert the following:

40½. To appropriate and expend money from the general fund of the county for the following purposes:

(a) The construction of works, improvements, levees or check dams to prevent the overflow and flooding of streams and rivers in the county;

(b) The protection and reforestation of the watersheds of such streams and rivers;

(c) The conservation of the flood waters of such streams and rivers;

(d) The making of all surveys, maps and plats necessary to carry out any work, construction or improvement authorized by this subdivision;

(e) The carrying out of any work, construction or improvement authorized by this subdivision outside the county where such rivers or streams flow in or through more than one county.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1006 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1135?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "fix", and add the following words: "with the approval of the department of finance,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1135 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 114?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "upon" strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof "all the taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 6, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "the real property within said district and all the real" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "all the taxable property within said district and all the taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "the taxable real" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "all the taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "on" and insert in lieu thereof the word "upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the following "on said real property".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "the taxable real" and insert in lieu thereof "all taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "credit" insert the following: "of the maintenance fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "real" and insert in lieu thereof the word "taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, lines 47 and 48, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "exclusive of the assessed valuation of the real property in said district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 8, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "right", insert the following: "to require such bonds as it may deem best from the successful bidder for the security of materialmen and laborers, who furnish materials or perform labor in the performance of the contract, and shall also have the right".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 8, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "that in the event bids are rejected or no bids are received pursuant to the advertising therefor, then".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 8, lines 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and when ordered by the said board of supervisors thereof, it shall have the power

to make the proposed improvement or carry out any work or portion thereof without a contract therefor and to purchase the materials and supplies and employ the labor necessary for such purpose", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "from doing any of the proposed work under the provisions of this act by force account when deemed advisable, and the said district shall have power to purchase in the open market, without advertising for bids therefor, materials and supplies for use in any work being done by it, either under contract or by force account, whenever the costs of such materials or supplies do not exceed the sum of one thousand five hundred ($1500 00) dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "new", and insert in lieu thereof, the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 9, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "levy districts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 10, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "uses", insert the following: "*but provided, further,* no right to take by condemnation any of the properties in this proviso enumerated shall exist on behalf of said district at a greater distance than fifteen miles outside the exterior boundaries thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 10, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "real", and insert in lieu thereof the word "taxable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 10, lines 49 and 50, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "for the purpose of carrying out the work of controlling the", and insert in lieu thereof the following "or with any public or private corporation, in the construction of any work for the controlling of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 10, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "district", insert the following: "or for the purpose of conserving said waters for beneficial use".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 11, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "change", insert the following "affecting their interest".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 11, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the first word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE

On page 11, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "government", insert the following: "or public or private corporation".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 114 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Leynel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At twelve o'clock and fourteen minutes p.m., Mr. Fisher moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Adams, Hornblower and Reindollar, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, and Wemple—34.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—40.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 769?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "neecssary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "necessary".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 769 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 263?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, insert after the word "establishment", the words "or industry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, insert after the word "establishment", the words "or industry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "spoiling", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", *provided, however,* that no female shall be employed or suffered or permitted to work in packing or processing eggs for more than forty-eight hours in one week."

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk; to provide for milk scoring contests, to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service; to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for the examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculous cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 306?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 28, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "dissimate", and insert in lieu thereof the word "disseminate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, lines 18 and 19, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "unlawful", and insert in lieu thereof the word "lawful".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 306 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At twelve o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Hornblower.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 177 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, and Wemple—35.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Sewell gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was this day passed.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e* 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to amend section 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, amending section 1 of said act so as to make said act applicable to all jails and to all prisoners in prison for misdemeanors, whether in county jails or in city prisons, by amending said act so as to provide that in cities where a municipal court has been established the board of parole commissioners for such municipal

court shall consist of the presiding judge of said court, the chief of police and the prosecuting attorney of such city—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 48—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add a new section to be numbered 3*a* to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory highway and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 185—An act creating a commission to prepare and submit a report on juvenile delinquency, embodying a plan for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and for the care and training of delinquent, psychopathic and maladjusted children, and providing for the payment of the expenses of the commission;

Also: Senate Bill No. 499—An act to authorize the repayment of money paid or collected by error or mistake or under an unconstitutional law;

Also: Senate Bill No. 652—An act creating in the Division of Libraries a commission on California representation at the National Statuary Hall at Washington, District of Columbia, and defining the powers and duties thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section to be numbered 383*a* to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and

providing penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 598?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the following words, to wit: "where such laws are applicable" and insert in lieu thereof "in connection wherewith Jewish laws and customs obtain".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following words "foods and food stuffs".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 598 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—37.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1246 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROBERT B. FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1212 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1257 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 534 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyon, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
April 14, 1927

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 202 is herewith returned without my approval.

This is a county government bill, but there is no reference in the body of the bill to the class of county to which the bill refers. This omission has been pointed out to the author who has requested that approval be withheld.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 14, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 500 is approved by me except for two items specifically set forth which are reduced or eliminated in accordance with the powers conferred on me by the provisions of sections 16 and 34 of article IV of the constitution, and which are objected to for the following respective reasons

1. I object to the item on page 5 under the heading "Administrative" reading as follows "For support of Secretary of State two hundred thirty-seven thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($237,650)" and reduce the amount to two hundred twenty-two thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($222,650), for the reason that the measure recently passed by the Legislature repealing the Corporation License Tax Act makes possible this reduction in the expenses of the office of the Secretary of State, according to the opinion of that office.

2. I object to the item on page 10 reading "For support of California Highway Commission and State Highway Engineer, forty-one thousand six hundred dollars ($41,600), payable from highway maintenance fund" for the reason that in my opinion ample provision for such expenditures is included in the language of the item of appropriation on page 10 reading "For general administration of California Highway Commission, and maintenance and reconstruction of highways, twenty-seven million one hundred thousand dollars ($27,100,000), payable from highway maintenance fund." It was the intention at the time of my recent message to you suggesting amendments to the budget that this item be eliminated and a corresponding reduction in the budget was reported to you in that message.

It is evident that savings will be made as the result of consolidations to be effected under the bills for reorganization of various State departments. I am convinced, however, that these savings will be accomplished within the budget itself and reflected in unexpended balances to be restored to the general fund at the close of the biennium. I therefore feel that I should not at this time make further changes in the appropriations passed by the Legislature, in anticipation of legislation not yet finally enacted.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

ITEM NUMBER ONE

I object to the item on page 5 under the heading "Administrative" reading as follows: "For support of Secretary of State two hundred thirty-seven thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($237,650)" and reduce the amount to two hundred twenty-two thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($222,650), for the reason that the measure recently passed by the Legislature repealing the Corporation License Tax Act makes possible this reduction in the expenses of the office of the Secretary of State, according to the opinion of that office

The question being put: Shall item number one become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

ITEM NUMBER TWO.

I object to the item on page 10 reading "For support of California Highway Commission and State Highway Engineer, forty-one thousand six hundred dollars ($41,600), payable from highway maintenance fund" for the reason that in my opinion ample provision for such expenditures is included in the language of the item of appropriation on page 10 reading "For general administration of California Highway Commission, and maintenance and reconstruction of highways, twenty-seven million one hundred thousand dollars ($27,100,000), payable from highway

maintenance fund." It was the intention at the time of my recent message to you suggesting amendments to the budget that this item be eliminated and a corresponding reduction in the budget was reported to you in that message.

The question being put: Shall item number two become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote.

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to the observance of American Forest Week, April 24 to April 30, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Adams, and Anderson, D. P.—2.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 26.

Relative to the observance of American Forest Week, April 24 to April 30, 1927.

WHEREAS, The continued prosperity of the State of California is inseparably linked with the protection and wise use of its forest and watershed resources; and

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has by proclamation designated the period April 24 to April 30, 1927, inclusive, as American Forest Week, for the purpose of calling to the attention of our people the danger that comes from the neglect and abuse of our forest and watershed resources; and

WHEREAS, Our esteemed Governor, C. C. Young, has recognized the prime importance of forest and watershed protection to California by accepting the chairmanship of the American Forest Week Committee of California; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, In recognition of the dependence of the State of California upon the continuance of its forest and watershed resources, that all patriotic citizens be called upon to observe American Forest Week during April 24 to April 30, 1927, by appropriate exercises, to the end that our forests and watershed resources may be better conserved and renewed; and be it further

Resolved, That 5000 copies of this resolution be printed for distribution throughout the State, the cost thereof to be payable from the legislative printing appropriation.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 716 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval,

Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Roland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 6 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Coombs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 6 was this day passed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Jones: An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

By Mr. Snyder: An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appointment of receivers.

By Mr. Scofield: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply station for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department or either of them.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Snyder: Assembly Bill No. 1278—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appointment of receivers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply station for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department or either of them.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED FOURTEEN.

Senate Bill No. 814—An act relating to intoxicating liquors, making it a felony to own, operate or knowingly possess any still used, designed or intended for the manufacture of intoxicating liquor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "still worm, still cap, still condenser of any kind".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "a", commencing with the word "felony", strike out all of the balance of said paragraph down to the word "years", in line 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, and by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six months, nor more than one year and for a second and subsequent offense, shall be guilty of a felony and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one thousand dollars ($1,000) nor more than five thousand dollars ($5,000), and by imprisonment in the state prison for not less than one year nor more than five years."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 814, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE AND AMENDMENTS.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "still worm, still cap, still condenser of any kind".

The question being on the adoption of Amendment No. 1.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Wright, Eddy and Jones, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the adoption of Amendment No. 1.

The roll was called, and Amendment No. 1 was refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Snyder, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—25.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—40

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "a", commencing with the word "felony" all of the balance of said paragraph down to the word "years" on line 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, and by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six months, nor more than one year and for a second and subsequent offense, shall be guilty of a felony and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one thousand dollars ($1,000) nor more than five thousand dollars ($5,000) and by imprisonment in the state prison for not less than one year nor more than five years".

The question being on the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Mixter, Rochester and Anderson, Roscoe J., the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

The roll was called, and Amendment No. 2 was refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Burns, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—19.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—50.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 20 and 21, of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, strike out the following "for not less than one year nor more than five years", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty years".

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 814 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kealoa, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—58.

NOES—Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—16.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE.

The following explanations of vote were received and ordered printed in the Journal.

I am voting against Senate Bill No. 814, although I believe it is legislation sponsored by people endeavoring to reach an evil, but taking the wrong method. The bill is fanatical in its provisions and excessive in its penalties, and I hold the protection and security of the 99 per cent good citizens paramount to the law breaker. With the passage of this bill the 99 per cent of good citizens' civil liberties will be jeopardized.

I hold no brief for the bootlegger; I hate his unlawful trade; I despise his poisonous product, and no man within the hearing of my voice can say he ever saw me drink any of the foul stuff produced by an illicit still. I hope, some day, I will have the opportunity to aid in the absolute abolition of this viperous by-product of the beneficial and healthful prohibition and regulated liquor legislation.

This bill, however, will hurt and hinder the dry crusade, and prevent the enforcement of the Volstead Law, and its penalties prescribed by Congress, and adopted by California in the enactment of the Wright Act.

This Assembly, by voting down the search and seizure laws, voted against section 25 of the Volstead Law; voted against the supplementary Volstead Law passed by Congress and commonly known as the Willis-Campbell Act; voted against the fundamental constitutional inhibition for the protection of the most important civil liberty safeguard we Americans have and have had since the beginning of our country's history, viz, a citizen's right to be secure against illegal and unreasonable search and seizure in his home, as stated in article IV of the United States constitution and article I, section 19 of the California constitution.

The Volstead Law is the national law with the penalties prescribed by Congress and set forth in section 29 thereof. We adopted the penalties as a part of our State law. Now this bill makes a penalty which is more severe than in the Volstead Act.

According to my reasoning, and I am backed by Justice Field, late of the United States Supreme Court, and acknowledged by all to have been the most able jurist California has ever had, this bill is unconstitutional. It is unconstitutional because not due process, according to the definition of due process as set forth in the constitution and the cases and decisions of the United States Supreme Court interpreting that provision.

All the citizens of the United States are entitled to due process of law, as set forth in article V of the United States constitution. Also in article XIV of our nation's fundamental law all states are directed and ordered to see that no citizen of a state shall be denied due process of law.

What due process of law really means is defined in hundreds of cases of the Supreme Court. I will only cite a few leading ones that explain this fundamental right, and not attempt to explain them at this juncture. Twining vs. New Jersey, 211 U. S. 101; Allgeyer vs. Louisiana, 165 U. S. 589; Hallinger vs. Davis, 146 U. S. 320; Walker vs. Sauvinet, 92 U. S. 92; Hibben vs. Smith, 191 U. S. 325.

In Walker vs. Sauvinet, supra, the court said: "The power of the federal court over that law is to determine whether it is in conflict with the supreme law of the land." The "supreme law of the land" is the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Law enforcing said amendment, in this instance. It is obvious that this bill is in conflict therewith. Therefore being in conflict it is not due process under the decisions.

Beside this the due process protection to citizens is given to citizens of California in article I, section 13 of our constitution, thereby doubly safeguarding this right of free born Americans.

The fine and penalty in this bill is excessive according to the reasoning of Justice Field. Article VIII of the United States constitution protects all citizens of the United States from excessive fines and punishments. Congress sets the fines and penalties of its laws, and the Supreme Court determines the reasonableness thereof. Congress has set the fines and penalties in the Volstead Law and the the Supreme Court has pronounced them reasonable. This bill endeavors to change the national law in one particular.

The Fourteenth Amendment of the United States constitution makes the excessive fine and penalty amendment apply to citizens of the states as well as of the United States. California has adopted the penalties of the Volstead Law, and now intends to enlarge them on one offense, which will be excessive to the national law and therefore unconstitutional, because against the Fourteenth Amendment and cases decided interpreting that amendment, as this law arose first from federal legislating power given to Congress.

Added to this the California constitution, in article I, section 6, has provided the **same protection and comity between the State and the United States as the Eighth and Fourteenth amendments of the United States constitution provide between the United States and the State.**

I refer to Justice Field's argument in O'Neil vs. Vermont to support my assertion and conclusion in declaring that Senate Bill No. 814, if carried to the highest court of the land, will be declared unconstitutional. The states that have similar laws have never carried the question to the Supreme Court up to the present time.

For the above reasons I am doing my duty as my conscience and meager knowledge **direct me by voting against this bill, and prophesying that when it becomes a law of our State it will be unenforceable and will injure what we all so desire, viz,** the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment.

GEORGE W. ROCHESTER.

Also:

It is not pleasant to me to vote on Senate Bill No. 814, because to my mind it prescribes cruel and unusual punishment, with a penalty out of harmony with the degree of the crime. On the other hand the present law is not effective. I would like to support a bill that carried a penalty in proportion to the crime. A law should be such as would receive the support of the public. I doubt if Senate Bill No. 814, if it becomes a law, will secure any greater respect for the law than the present legal remedies. But it is not possible to take any middle ground on this question as the amendments offered by myself in committee were voted down.

The choice then seems to be a vote for the bootlegger who unlawfully makes poison and impure liquor, or a vote for unusual punishment. With much dislike I vote for the latter.

ROSCOE J. ANDERSON.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and forty-five minutes p. m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a. m., Friday, April 15, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 15, 1927.

At ten o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster,

Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—72.

Quorum present

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Jones, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Roland, Mr. Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Roland, Mr Smith was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Little, Mr Rochester was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Mr. Jost was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Carter, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Cloudman, Mr. Mixter was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. John W. Johnston, former Assemblyman of Sacramento, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Patterson, Miss Peggy Justus of Taft was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Professor and Mrs. William Ewing of Pasadena were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Miss Agnes M Noonan and Miss Eloise Cushing of San Francisco and Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mr. Edward J. Nagel of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

STATE OF IDAHO

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I, Fred E. Lukens, Secretary of State of the state of Idaho, and custodian of the seal of said state do hereby certify that the attached is a full, true and complete transcript of Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, enacted by the nineteenth session

of the legislature of the state of Idaho and filed in this office the seventh day of March, 1927.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed hereto the seal of the state of Idaho.

Done at Boise, Idaho, the capital of Idaho, this thirty-first day of March, A. D 1927.

[SEAL] FRED E. LUKENS, Secretary of State

Senate Joint Resolution No 2—A joint resolution proposing an application to Congress to call a Constitutional Convention for the purpose of amending the constitution of the United States to make subject to taxation all evidence of indebtedness of the United States, the several states, municipal corporations, counties, and all taxing subdivisions and taxing units thereof, together with the interest on and income from such evidence of indebtedness

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho

Section A. That with the concurrence of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states of the United States, application is hereby made to Congress to call a Constitutional Convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States, said proposed amendment to read as follows

"Amendment No. 20

Section 1. All evidence of indebtedness of the United States, the several states, municipal corporations, counties, and all taxing subdivisions and taxing units thereof, together with interest on and income derived from such evidence of indebtedness, shall be subject to taxation by the United States, the several states, municipal corporations, counties, and all taxing subdivisions and taxing units thereof

Sec. 2 The Congress and the several states shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation"

Sec. B. The Secretary of State is hereby directed to send duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the Clerk of the United States Senate, the Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, and to the presiding officers of each branch of the legislature of the several states of the United States

Also:

AMERICAN CONSERVATION CLUB

WHEREAS, The fruit and vegetable growers of the county of Imperial have requested the American Conservation Club to approve certain changes in the County Government Act covering counties of the seventeenth class relative to the office of horticultural commissioner; and

WHEREAS, The American Conservation Club passed a resolution on March 21, 1927, opposing the changes in the Horticultural Commissioner's Act as amended in former draft; and

WHEREAS, The amended draft of said bill as now drawn is satisfactory to said conservation club, a copy of which is attached; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the board of directors of the American Conservation Club of Imperial County, at a specially called meeting, at which a full quorum was present, for the purpose of considering the proposed amendment of the County Government Act of the counties of the seventeenth class relating to the office of horticultural commissioner, be and the same is hereby approved and recommended, and it is hereby recommended that the State Assemblyman representing Assembly District No. 78, be urged to submit this amendment to the State Legislature and have the same enacted into law at the present session thereof. Be it

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be printed in the minutes of the American Conservation Club of the county of Imperial and that a copy be mailed forthwith to Assemblyman Myron D. Witter, at Sacramento, California, and a copy to Senator Chester M. Kline, and to the Speaker of the House, and to the office of the Governor of the State of California.

Dated this twelfth day of April, 1927.

AMERICAN CONSERVATION CLUB.
JOHN O. GRESHAM, President.

A. V. KLINTBERG, Secretary.

Also:

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, April 13, 1927.

Speaker of the House, Legislature of the State of California, Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: We, the patriotic organizations, feel very keenly over the poor buildings at Yountville for those who are so unfortunate as to need to be there. Those buildings are all old and entirely unsafe, and we are anxious that every dollar than can be put into fireproof buildings for our comrades of that institution should be so used. It is only fair to the members of this Legislature to ask you to do all that is possible along that line, and it is unnecessary to tell you that the men there are very meritorious and should be protected from disaster, in which, if a fire came,

many of them would lose their lives. The responsibility is up to you and your administration, and we feel sure that you will do everything that you can for that work.

Thanking you in advance for anything you can or will do, and we certainly will appreciate it and we know the members of the Home will too.

Yours sincerely,

C. H. HASKINS,
Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief, G. A. R.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536c, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act; and prescribing the penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 685—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executions in civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of and to add two new sections to be designated sections 2 and 3 to an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume, and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1110—An act defining miscellaneous maps, plats or plans and providing for the recording thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon

private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 260—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2768, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of policies of life or endowment insurance.

Also Senate Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Also Senate Bill No 567—An act to amend section 1859 of the Political Code relating to the length of the school term.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 260 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 566 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 567 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 136—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the bag limit on game.

Also, Senate Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 637 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Also: Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to the method of recordation of maps, providing additional conditions on which maps may be recorded, and providing civil and criminal liabilities for the violation thereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 863—An act to provide for the escheat to the State of California of all moneys collected by any public utility in excess of the rate fixed by the Railroad Commission or other rate fixing body which shall have remained unclaimed for more than four years after the final determination of the legality of such rates and to provide procedure for the collection and disposition thereof and the filing of reports in respect thereto and to provide penalties for the violation of the same.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 136 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 608 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No 645 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No 863 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to an investigation and report upon educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 read, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of ten million dollars for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State Highway System of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 18 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 486, the following Senators: Hollister, Crowley and Kline, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last;

Also Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a State park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park," at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and creating a commission for the administration, improvement and control of said Burney Falls State Park, and to provide for the construction, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements and for the conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes,

Also Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims,

Also Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add eighteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b* 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q* 64*r* to the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3,

1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28 ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 490 was made a special order for Monday, April 18, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, providing who may bring actions for partition.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits, and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all after the enacting clause, and strike out all the remaining pages of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 4252 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4252. In counties of the twenty-third class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the county clerk one deputy, who shall be appointed by the county clerk, and who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; and two deputies, who shall be appointed by the county clerk, and who shall each be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. The salaries of said deputies shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that the county clerk be, and he is hereby allowed the sum of ten cents for the registration of each voter, which registration is taken and made outside of the office of the county clerk; *provided, further*, that in any year that a general election, primary election, special state election, or special county election within the county is held, such number of assistants as is necessary to properly prepare for and conduct said election shall be allowed, to be paid out of the general fund of the county on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors, of duly verified claims therefor, approved by the county clerk, said compensation not to exceed five hundred dollars for each election held. The office of the county clerk shall be kept open on each and every day, except Sundays and legal holidays, from nine o'clock a.m. to twelve o'clock m, and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m.

2. The sheriff shall receive a salary of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there hereby is, allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the sheriff and who shall be paid salaries as follows, to wit: one undersheriff at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; five deputy sheriffs at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy sheriff at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy sheriff at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, who shall be the head jailer at the county jail in said county; one deputy sheriff, who shall be assistant to the head jailer and who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and who shall also receive his board and lodging at the county jail at the expense of the county.

Said sheriff and his deputies shall be allowed their actual traveling expenses in the performance of their duties, but no other fees or mileage of any nature or kind shall be allowed in civil or criminal matters; except that the sheriff shall have for his use the per diems allowed by law for the transportation of prisoners and insane persons to state institutions; all fees of every nature and kind collected by the sheriff shall be turned in to the county treasury. The salaries of the deputies hereinbefore provided for shall be paid in monthly installments by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

3. The county recorder shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the recorder one chief deputy recorder of said county who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy recorder, who shall receive a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum; and there is hereby allowed to the recorder not to exceed seven copyists who may be appointed by the recorder of said county and who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid.

4. The county auditor shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and there is hereby allowed to the auditor one chief deputy auditor, who shall be appointed by the auditor and who shall be paid a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and one deputy auditor who shall be appointed by the auditor and who shall be paid a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the

same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that the auditor shall be allowed not to exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per annum for additional clerical assistance when needed in computing the tax roll.

5. The tax collector shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the tax collector a deputy to be appointed by the tax collector and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which salary shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that the tax collector shall be allowed not to exceed one thousand two hundred dollars per annum for necessary clerical assistance when needded.

6. The assessor shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum; and said assessor may appoint one chief deputy, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; and three deputies, who shall each receive a salary of one thousad five hundred dollars per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid; also, the assessor may appoint other field deputies, whose compensation, in the aggregate, shall not exceed six thousand dollars in any one year, payable to them in installments at such time and in such amounts as may be designated by the assessor; *provided*, that the assessor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amounts and the person to whom said compensation is paid. The office of county assessor shall be kept open on each and every day, except Sundays and legal holidays, from nine o'clock a.m to twelve o'clock m, and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m

7. The county treasurer shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the treasurer a deputy, to be appointed by the treasurer, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; which salary shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid.

8. The district attorney shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the district attorney one chief deputy to be appointed by the district attorney, who shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and one deputy, to be appointed by the district attorney, who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; and one law clerk, which office is hereby created, to be appointed by the district attorney, and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one stenographer, which office is hereby created, to be appointed by the district attorney, and who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools shall receive a salary of three thousand three hundred dollars per annum. This office shall be kept open on all business days from nine o'clock a m to twelve o'clock m., and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m. The superintendent of schools shall be allowed actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of this county and such per diem as is now or may hereafter be allowed by law, for services as a member of the county board of education; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the superintendent of schools a deputy to be appointed by the superintendent of schools, who shall receive from the county a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and there is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools one clerk to be appointed by the superintendent of schools, who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments and at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as is the salary of the superintendent of schools.

12. The county surveyor shall receive a salary of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that if the county surveyor shall be appointed superintendent of the permanent highways in the county constructed under bond issue, under any statute of this state providing for the appointment of such superintendent, then and in that event such county surveyor shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the county surveyor the following deputies, who may be appointed by the county surveyor and who shall be paid salaries as follows: One assistant county surveyor and engineer, who shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; one deputy county surveyor, who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy county surveyor, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy county surveyor, who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy county surveyor, who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per

annum; which offices are hereby created, and the salaries of said deputies and each of them shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

13. The county librarian, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum.

14. In counties of this class, each member of the county board of education shall receive five dollars for each day the board of education is in session, not to exceed a total of three hundred fifty dollars per annum. In addition, each member shall receive the same mileage as is allowed the members of the board of supervisors of said county. Compensation of the members of the county board of education shall be payable out of the same fund and in the same manner as is the salary of the county superintendent of schools.

15. The justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of other county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases: In townships where the population is ten thousand or more one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; in townships where the population is four thousand and less than ten thousand, one hundred fifty dollars per month; in townships where the population is two thousand and less than four thousand, eighty dollars per month; in townships where the population is one thousand and less than two thousand, forty dollars per month, in townships where the population is less than one thousand, twenty dollars per month. *Provided*, that the said justices of the peace shall be furnished with offices and the necessary supplies by the board of supervisors of the said county; *provided, further*, that there is hereby allowed one clerk, who may be appointed by the justice of the peace of the township wherein the county seat of the county is located; and said clerk so appointed shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided, further*, that each justice of the peace shall, before receiving his monthly salary, file with the auditor a statement of all funds received, together with the treasurer's receipt for same; *and provided, further*, that no justice of the peace shall hold the office of city recorder.

16. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: In townships where the population is ten thousand or more, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; in townships where the population is four thousand and less than ten thousand, eighty dollars per month; in townships where the population is two thousand and less than four thousand, seventy dollars per month; in townships where the population is one thousand and less than two thousand, fifty dollars per month; in townships where the population is less than one thousand, twenty-five dollars per month. In addition to the monthly salary herein allowed, each constable may retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil actions; each constable shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred by him in arresting, pursuing or conveying prisoners to court or to prison, and actual expenses incurred in serving any process in any criminal case pending in said county, which said expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors out of the county treasury.

17. For the purposes of subdivisions 15 and 16 of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors of said county at their regular meeting in the month of December following the election of justices of the peace and constables in said county, by multiplying by three the number of registered voters in said township as shown by the register prepared by the county clerk of said county for the general election next preceding the date of such determination. It is hereby found as a fact, that the salaries provided for in subdivisions 15 and 16 do not work an increase in the compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

18. Each member of the board of supervisors shall receive one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and his necessary expenses when attending to the business of the county, other than the meetings of the board at the county seat, and twenty cents per mile in traveling from his residence to the county seat; *provided*, that not more than one mileage for any one regular session of the board shall be allowed, and not more than one mileage for any special session of the board shall be allowed.

19. The salaries of all county and township officers and their deputies shall be payable in monthly installments on the first day of each month.

20. For acting as a grand juror in the superior court, each juror shall be paid for each day's attendance per day, three dollars. For every mile actually traveled in attending court as a grand juror in going only, twenty-five cents per mile.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*r*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural

commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two thou-", and in line 13, strike out the words "sand one", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "thousand", strike out the words "two hundred".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11 and 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution, and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word and comma "eight,", strike out the word and comma "eleven,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 22 to 52, both inclusive, and on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 25, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add

a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies and other employees

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, after the comma, strike out the words "four thousand two hundred thirty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "six *k*", and after the second comma strike out the words "four thou-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 10 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "and two hundred thirty-six *m*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In lines 11 and 12 of the title of the printed bill, after the first comma, strike out the "four thousand two hundred thirty-six *o*, four thousand two hundred thirty-six *p*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In lines 13, 14 and 15 of the title of the printed bill, after the first comma, strike out "and to amend section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *q*"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "dollars", insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the word "thirteen", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "thousand", insert the following: "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, lines 27 to 35, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out all of said lines 27 to 35, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "assistants"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the words "deputy or", and after the word "deputies", insert the following: "or assistants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the words "deputy or", and after the word "deputies", insert the following: "or assistants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 41, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the semicolon add the following: "one deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand five hundred and twenty dollars per annum, one deputy who shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 9 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11 to 23, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 10 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 37 to 41, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 11 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 44, inclusive.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut in Trinity County, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill strike out all of lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act authorizing the state department of education, with the approval of the state board of control, to grant to the California highway commission certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Siskiyou county

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. The state department of education, with the approval of the state board of control, is hereby authorized to grant to the California highway commission and the said commission is hereby authorized to accept the following described land or parts thereof:

All that part of the southwest quarter (S.W. ¼) of the northwest quarter (N.W. ¼) of section nine township forty north, range four west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly boundary line of the existing right of way of the Central Pacific railroad one hundred feet westerly, measured normally from engineer's station eight thousand two hundred plus forty-nine and eight-tenths B. C. of said Central Pacific railroad, from which point the southwesterly corner of said southwest quarter (S.W. ¼) of the northwest quarter (N.W ¼) of section nine, bears north eighty-seven degrees fifty minutes west, a distance of five hundred eighty-two and eleven one-hundredths feet; thence from said point of beginning to a point on said westerly right of way line of the Central Pacific railroad, one hundred feet southerly, measured normally, from engineer's station eight thousand two hundred eleven plus twenty-nine and eight-tenths of said Central Pacific railroad from

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(b) Radius – 1046.01 feet, arc distance – 27.38 feet
(c) Radius – 664.08 feet, arc distance – 26.07 feet
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(e) Radius – 664.08 feet, arc distance – 26 07 feet
(f) Radius – 1046 01 feet, arc distance – 27 38 feet
(g) Radius – 2191.88 feet, arc distance – 28.69 feet

to a point on said westerly right of way line of the Central Pacific railroad, one hundred feet southerly, measured normally, from engineer's station eight thousand two hundred eleven plus twenty-nine and eight-tenths of said Central Pacific railroad from which point the southwesterly corner of said southwest quarter (S.W. ¼) of the northwest quarter (N W. ¼) of section nine bears south nine degrees fifty-five minutes west, a distance of six hundred two and seventy-five one-hundredths feet; thence continuing from said point on the westerly right of way line of the Central Pacific railroad south fifty degrees two minutes thirty seconds east three hundred ninety-eight and seventy-six one-hundredths feet; thence south twenty-five degrees thirty-five minutes thirty seconds east three hundred ninety-eight and seventy-six one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning

Containing one and seventy-five one-hundredths acres, more or less, all being lands situated in Siskiyou county, and forming a part of that property of the State of California known as the Mount Shasta summer school.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following "a new section", and insert in lieu thereof the following "two new sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and letter "three *a*", add the following, "and three *b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 11 and 12, add the following

SEC. 3. A new section to be numbered 3*b* is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 690—An act to amend sections 290*b*, 290*c*, 290*d* and 290*e* of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 868—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and/or other timber products by persons who by their own labor and/or by using their live stock, machinery and/or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, and/or transporting logs and/or in manufacturing lumber and/or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and/or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract

price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor, and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the land owner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the land owner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers employed in logging camps upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them" approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same, approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, insert after the comma following the word "appliances", the following: "or both,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 6, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/", in both places where same occurs in this line

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 1, line 8, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, insert before the word "do", the following: "or both.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/", in both places where it occurs in this line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or", in the three places it occurs in this line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "or/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 2 line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, insert immediately preceding the word "whether", the following: "or both,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/", in both places where it occurs in this line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 2, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 3, lines 1, 8, 9, 11 and 12, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "persons", insert the following: ", and their assigns or successors in interest,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 3, lines 21, 23, 24 and 31, of the printed bill, strike out the following "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 3, lines 41 and 44, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "same", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", in which case the lien continues in force until the said lien foreclosure suit is finally determined and closed, and in case such proceeding be not prosecuted to trial within two years after the commencement thereof, the court may in its discretion dismiss the same for want of prosecution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 3, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 4, lines 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/", in each place it occurs in these lines.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 4, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "Whenever", insert the word "upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 4, lines 31, 32 and 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 851—An act to validate the organization and existence of county water districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 229—An act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act for the registration of deaths, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and the establishment of registration districts in county, cities and counties, cities and incorporated towns, under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, and prescribing the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved March 18, 1905, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 294 of the Penal Code, relating to custody of dead bodies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 35—An act to regulate employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this

State, and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 44—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in application therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke, suspend or refuse to grant licenses, providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the Commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question, prohibiting the conducting of agencies in connection with pool halls and soft drink parlors and more specifically defining what are employment agencies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the following "and/"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 185—An act creating a commission to prepare and submit a report on juvenile delinquency, embodying a plan for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and for the care and training of predelinquent, psychopathic and maladjusted children.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 499—An act to authorize the repayment of money paid or collected by error or mistake or under an unconstitutional law.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 652—An act appropriating money for the placing of statues in the Hall of Fame at the city of Washington, District of Columbia.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of board of parole commissioners for each county in this State and for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails

and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, amending section 1 of said act so as to make said act applicable to all jails and to all prisoners in prison for misdemeanors, whether in county jails or in city prisons, by amending said act so as to provide that in cities where a municipal court has been established, the board of parole commissioners for such municipal court shall consist of the presiding judge of said court, the chief of police and the prosecuting attorney of such city.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 18 to 20, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and the probation officer of each said county, is hereby created for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, after the word and period "jail." add the following: "Full power to make, establish and enforce such rules and regulations, and to retake and imprison any prisoner so upon parole, is hereby conferred upon each such board of parole commissioners; and its written order shall be a sufficient warrant for all officers named in such order to authorize them, or any of them, to return to actual custody any conditionally released or paroled prisoner. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of all chiefs of police, marshals of cities and villages, sheriffs of counties, constables, and all other police and peace officers of this state to execute any such order in like manner as ordinary criminal process. If any prisoner so paroled shall leave the county in which he was or is or hereafter may be so imprisoned without permission from the board of parole commissioners granting his parole, he shall be arrested as an escaped prisoner and held as such"

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO.

Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said

district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate consisting of Senators Hollister, Crowley and Kline, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed and recommends that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that Assembly Bill No. 486 be further amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, following the word "the", strike out the words "place and"; and following the word "date", in the same line, strike out the word "at", and insert in lieu thereof the word "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 6, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, following the word "officers", insert the following: "The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the office of the county treasurer of Ventura county out of the special harbor district bond fund hereinafter created".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, following the word "levy", insert a period, and in the same line following the word "levy", strike out the word "and", and in the same line substitute a capital "I" for the small "i" in the word "if".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, immediately following the word "assessment", strike out the words "Said taxes", and insert in lieu thereof the words "All such taxes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 8, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, following the word "determine", strike out the words "the amount of bonds theretofore", and in line 21 strike out the words "issued and then outstanding, and separately".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 8, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, following the word "purposes", strike out the words "If in any year it shall appear", and in line 37 strike out the words "from said resolution that any portion of"; and in line 37 substitute a capital "S" for the small "s" in the word "said"; and in the said line 37 strike out the word "was" at the end of said line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "so".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 8, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the words "such portion" at the end of said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 8 of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out all of lines 46 and 47 and the words "audited by the commission" in line 48; and in line 48, following the word "and", insert the words "shall be"; and in said line 48, following the word "used", insert the words "by the county treasurer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 11 of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out all of section 25.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN

On page 11, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the figures "26", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "25"; in line 25 strike out the figures "27", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "26"; in line 36 strike out the figures "28", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "27"; and in line 49 strike out the figures "29" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "28".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 12, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the figures "30", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "29"; in line 11 strike out the figures "31", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "30"; in line 14 strike out the figures "32", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "31"; and in line 18 strike out the figures "33", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "32".

DUVAL,
FINLEY,
WALTERS,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

HOLLISTER,
CROWLEY,
KLINE,
Senate Committee on Free Conference

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint, and to enrollment.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO.

Assembly Bill No 683—An act approving, confirming and declaring valid the creation, formation and organization of Reclamation District No. 2047, and all acts and proceedings of said district and of the trustees and officers thereof and the proceedings relating to the inclusion of additional lands within the district, and defining and declaring the exterior boundaries of said district.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—54.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Wright moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1199 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Coombs moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 6 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Sewell moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Feigenbaum waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 79 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 79 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 774 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Relative to provision for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 adopted.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 30.

Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith.

WHEREAS, It is necessary that the Legislature of the State of California have available adequate information so as to enable its members to consider proper legislation looking to the adoption of a statewide plan for the conservation and use of the waters of the State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring. That a committee of eight members, consisting of four members of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, and four members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, be appointed to make an investigation of the water problems of the State and to recommend to the Legislature of the State of California at the forty-eighth session thereof some statewide policy for the conservation and use of the waters of the State; and be it further

Resolved. That said committee shall proceed to organize by the election of one of its members as chairman and by the election of a secretary, and shall proceed with said investigation in such manner as may be determined by said committee; and be it further

Resolved. That each department, board, commission or officer of the State of California, whenever requested to do so by said committee, shall furnish to said committee such assistance as it may require; and be it further

Resolved. That said committee is hereby authorized to hold public hearings at any place in the State of California at which hearings the people shall have opportunity to present their views to the committee; and be it further

Resolved. That said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all things necessary to make a full and complete investigation of the matters herein referred to, and is hereby authorized and empowered to require the production of books, agreements, documents and papers of every kind; to issue subpœnas and to compel the attendances of witnesses, and to procure testimony. Each of the members of said committee is hereby authorized to administer oaths, and all the provisions of article VIII of chapter II, title I, part III of the Political Code of the State relative to the attendance and assemblage of witnesses before the Legislature and committees thereof, shall apply to the committee appointed under this resolution. The said committee is hereby given leave to sit during the sessions of the Legislature, during the recess thereof and during the interval between sessions thereof, at any place in the State as said committee shall from time to time determine.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for Federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay, at or near the city of Monterey.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger,

Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey.

WHEREAS, The development of harbor facilities and ports of refuge on the long coast line of California is of vital importance to the welfare of the State and the nation; and

WHEREAS, Such facilities and ports are necessities to water-borne commerce which is rapidly increasing on the Pacific coast; and

WHEREAS, Natural harbors along more than 750 miles of California coast line are limited to a few in number as compared to the Atlantic seaboard, and the development of these harbors is extremely important to the ever increasing productivity of the State; and

WHEREAS, The city of Monterey, California, is now seeking federal assistance in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay for the protection of one of the State's leading and unique industries, representing an investment of millions of dollars in property both on land and sea; and

WHEREAS, The city of Monterey has just completed the construction of a new wharf to assist the development of this industry and shipping of commerce to and from the tributary territory at a cost of approximately $300,000; now, therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California joins with the city of Monterey in respectfully urging and requesting federal assistance in this important project, and the adoption by the Congress of the United States of appropriate legislation for the appropriation of the requisite funds to aid in the construction of said proposed breakwater; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be, and he is hereby directed to transmit copies of these resolutions to the President of the United States, to the Secretary of War of the United States, the Secretary of the Navy of the United States, and to each of the members of the Senate and House of Representatives.

HON. Z. S. LEYMEL IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-eight minutes a m, Hon. Z. S. Leymel, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-first Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 394 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—57

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1249 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—50

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Kelsey moved that Assembly Bill No. 1046 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No 1046 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance brokers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1208 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Hornblower, McDonough, and Williamson—3

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming

the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1260 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jewett moved that Assembly Bill No 1262 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1262 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 395 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland,

Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Jewett—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROBERT LINCOLN PATTERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Robert Lincoln Patterson, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 593 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 402 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. FRED B. NOYES IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Fred B. Noyes, member of the Assembly from the Eighth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, as amended, relating to executions in civil actions.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 515 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1110—An act to create a new section of the Political Code, to be numbered 4218*a*, relating to recording of maps

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1110 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioners

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 66 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 199 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, strike out lines 50, 51 and 52, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"12. The surveyor, the sum of ten dollars per day for all services performed by him by virtue of his office and his necessary traveling expenses when performing official work in the field, such compensation and expenses to be allowed by, and paid on the order of, the board of supervisors,".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 52 with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 735 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding,

Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2524¼, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Assembly Bill No. 103 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.
The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 103 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.
Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1271 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Fisher moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "and", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 42, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "Meissl".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 12, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "soft".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "oral", insert a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 8, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 11, line 34, of the printed bill, after the word "violation", insert a comma, and after the word "thereof", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 12, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "violation", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 14, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "degree", and insert in lieu thereof the word "degrees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 16, line 37, of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "unwholesome".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Fisher as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1272, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FISHER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 337—An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act, approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act, approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to party conventions and nomination papers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 337 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:
By Mr. Jacobson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Fry, the Assembly was declared at recess until three o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Levey in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election, held therein, on the tenth day of March, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered on file for adoption.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 89—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and annexation thereof within, municipal corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 132—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the city of Pomona for the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont Outfall Sewer for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 731—An act to provide for declarations of intention concerning street and highway opening and widening and the establishment of future street lines by any county, city or city and county or by the State of California along any present or proposed street or highway;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways, to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18½ thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles County, approved May 18, 1925, relating to land along King Road, granted to Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HAWES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON OIL INDUSTRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend sections 5 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to records to be kept by distributors and to the disposition of license taxes—

has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers, fixing his compensation, providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells, requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports, providing procedure for arbitration or departmental rulings, creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owner and/or operator of any oil well, to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil-bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No 76—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911 as amended, so as to require the keeping of records of the names and hours worked by female employees in all occupations subject to the provisions of the act, which records shall be accessible at all reasonable hours to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, his deputies and agents, to whom is delegated the duties of enforcing the provisions of the act, and making proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act, at the time any female is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof, prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said female to so work, so as to bring him within the penal provisions of the said act, also making the records required by this act prima facie evidence, sufficient to sustain a conviction, if they show a violation of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 76 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 11, 1927, passed Senate Bill No 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll bridge franchises by boards of supervisors.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 846 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate;

Also: Assembly Bill No 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justices' court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city;

Also. Assembly Bill No 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued" approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose and to levy taxes for such purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313 and 3314 of said code; to amend section 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800 both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code relating to disaffirmance by minor, to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to reassessments

J. A BEEK Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service

of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the double quotation marks following the word "drainage", insert the following: "approved March 18, 1885, as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "statutes of 1885,", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "page 204,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "revised and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Assessment List, Where Filed. Payment of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Charges. Collection of Unpaid Assessments. Sale of Prop-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "erty. Purchase by District. Redemption."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commissions", and insert in lieu thereof the word "commissioners".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Lien of Assessment."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Payment of Charges."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the second word "the", insert the following: "board of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Interest on Unpaid Assessments."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Sale of Property."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Purchase by District. Redemption."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Failure to Redeem. Sale at Public Auction."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Bernard as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 855, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BERNARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Noyes Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—46.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 285 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 732 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 882—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by adding thereto a new section numbered 25½, relating to magistrates as the term is used in said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 882 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 67 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 72 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 152 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 166 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 172 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 269 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson. D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 270 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 271 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 272 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes,

Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 273 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy Company against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 274 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 275 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 277 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. J. and T. D. Borie against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 278 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G. Johnson against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 279 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 280 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 281 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 282 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J. H. Newman against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 283 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 284 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson,

Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft Way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 286 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 434 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 473 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 627 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 777 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1153 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1186 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson,

Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1192 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1202 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1070 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1248 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1250 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 25 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 445 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1203 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 7 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to salaries of superior judges of Colusa County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 49 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 73 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 84 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*e*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 105 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson,

Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 153 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*l* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 188 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 256 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 296 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 655 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 758 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1152 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 62 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 63 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 64 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson,

Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 75 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*h*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 109 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salaries of the superior court judges of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 160 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino and Orange.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 290 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 427 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 428 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 586 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 739 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 948 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of Merced County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1100 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson,

Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737c of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1239 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736a of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 74 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 76 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal

industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 167 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1175 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 613 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 38 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to amend section 3 of the act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 892 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—Gant and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5682.60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1128 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing

of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1234 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 206 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 213 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 577 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1229 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1236 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the eightieth and eighty-first fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1258 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*a*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Snyder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not to exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not to exceed".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Snyder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 651, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SNYDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 958 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Parkman moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stenographers", and insert in lieu thereof the word "copyists".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and one stenographer at a", and strike out all of line 38 and the word "annum;" in line 39.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stenographer", and insert in lieu thereof the word "stenographers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "at a salary not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the words "whose salaries shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Parkman as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 316, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

PARKMAN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 120—An act granting to the city of Los Angeles the tide lands and submerged lands of the State within the boundaries of said city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Scofield moved that Senate Bill No. 120 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 120 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 682—An act to repeal section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale of real property, and granting of easements by religious corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 682 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 4463 of the Political Code, relating to newspapers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 808 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 241 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 835—An act to amend section 652 of the Civil Code, relating to the consolidation of colleges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 835 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 17 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation committees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 111 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules

and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 41 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 43 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, insert at the beginning of said line the following: "4310."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 326, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, following the word "defendant", insert the word "is".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 327, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and fifty-eight minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jones.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 276 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a legislative investigation as to the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to investigate traffic conditions in the State of California and the question of safety and prevention of accidents in relation thereto; to prepare and make recommendations concerning changes in existing laws, and the enactment and/or enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways, and to prepare and submit with supporting facts, ascertained, a report as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this State and making appropriation to meet the expenses of said committee necessarily incurred in said work;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Approving an amendment to the charter of the city of Alameda, after due ratification by a majority of the qualified voters of said city at an election held therein on the eighth day of March, 1927;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31—Relating to adjournment;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the fifteenth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 15—An act to amend section 653c of the Penal Code, relating to the hours of labor on public works, by requiring contractors, or their agents, to file with the officer, board or commission awarding the contract a verified report as to the nature of any extraordinary emergency when their employees are permitted to work over eight hours per day, together with the names of the said employees and the hours worked per day, making failure to file said report within thirty days prima facie proof that no extraordinary emergency existed, also making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor on public work, or agent thereof, to violate any of the provisions of the said section;

Also Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance and support, in certain cases, of indigent, incompetent, and incapacitated persons (other than persons adjudged insane and confined within State hospitals), becoming a public charge upon the counties or cities and counties within the State of California, and for the payment thereof into a fund for the maintenance and support of such persons," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, defining residents and providing for deportation of nonresident indigents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the State, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 439—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered section 2323, relating to noxious weeds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain a police department, to provide for the formation, government and operation of said police districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes, for such purpose, and to create a Board of Police Commissioners,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 2009 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the use of affidavits;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*a*, relating to the joiner of parties to actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 379*b*, relating to the parties to actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section to be numbered 383*a* to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, compelling persons convicted under sections 270, 270*a*, 270*b*, 271 or 271*a* of this code to work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to amend section 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to amend section 1764*c* of the Political Code, relating to special classes in day and evening schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons; and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to county horticultural commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to amend sections 3 and 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 11*a*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 900—An act to amend sections 137 and 140 of the Civil Code, relating to permanent support of wife or husband by the other, as the case may be;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 928—An act authorizing the State Department of Education to grant a right of way over certain State property located at Mount Shasta;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, approved May 26, 1923; as amended, approved April 10, 1925, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article XVIII, embracing section 654 to 685, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Finance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act to amend sections 363, 363*a*, 363*b*, 363*c*, 363*d*, 363*e*, 363*f*, 363*g* and 363*h* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1135—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 33*a*, authorizing a reclamation district that may have sold or transferred any of its levees or property to Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No. 6, or any other unit or project, and received warrants issued by said Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District or Sutter-Butte By-pass Project No. 6, or any other project thereof, in exchange or payment therefor, or may have received or may receive compensation for any property included in any plan now or that may hereafter be adopted for controlling the flood waters of Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, or their tributaries, to exchange said warrants for outstanding warrants issued by such reclamation district and also providing that in any new, additional or supplemental assessment of such reclamation district, there shall be determined the amount that should be assessed upon tracts of land the benefits accrued from the expenditures represented by the warrants of the reclamation district exchanged or paid for by warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and also the amount that should have been apportioned of warrants of Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and providing that if the amount that would have been assessed against each tract of land is greater than the amount to which such tract or owner thereof would have been entitled on distribution of warrants, such excess shall be assessed to each tract of land and if the amount be less, the difference shall be paid to the owner of such tract by such reclamation district.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the State for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of prisoners and insane for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 15, 16, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to add new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 405, 406, 408, and 409, relating to foreign corporations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act to amend sections 3627, 3627*a*, 3628, 3650 of the Political Code, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 3627*b*, all relating to revenue and taxation,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act to amend section 3664*d* of the Political Code, relating to assessment and taxation of franchises;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the fifteenth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Hawes:

During the argument and before the vote was taken on Senate Bill No. 814, I went to the Governor's office to confer with him on legislative business and so missed the roll call on this bill. Had I been present I would have voted against this bill.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Fry, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, April 18, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 18, 1927.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Foster moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Fry, Mr. Williamson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McDonough, Messrs. Croter, Roland and Smith were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fry, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Vollmer of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. Henry Clay McPike of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mrs. Alice A. Carter of Wilmington was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Miss Bessie Woods of Wilmington was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Witter, Mr. T. D. McCall of Imperial, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

DOWN TOWN ASSOCIATION,
SAN FRANCISCO, April 16, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker,
Assembly Chamber, State Capitol,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: The board of directors of the Down Town Association have unanimously passed a resolution opposing Senate Bill No. 562, creating a reclamation district in the South Basin section of the city, south of Hunters Point, on the ground that the property owners concerned were never consulted regarding the organization of this district nor their wishes ascertained.

When the Assembly Committee on Commerce and Navigation sets a date for a hearing on this bill, we will have a representative present to oppose it.

Very truly yours,

JOS. M. CREMMERY, Executive Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 25—An act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled "An act declaring property infested with certain rodents to be a public nuisance; requiring owners, occupants, and persons having possession of or dominion over such property to endeavor to exterminate and destroy such rodents; providing for the inspection of property by boards of health and health officers, authorizing boards of supervisors and other governing bodies to purchase materials and employ inspectors to prosecute such work of extermination; authorizing State and local health authorities to prosecute such work in certain cases; providing for the payment of the expense thereof; making the amount of such expense a lien on the property; providing for the collection of such amount by foreclosure of such lien and declaring any violation of the provisions thereof to be a misdemeanor," approved March 13, 1909, relating to the extermination of certain rodents—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 343—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing who may bring actions for partition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to issuance of licenses to marry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the construction of parts of the State highway system by the use of convict labor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensation of real estate and personal loan brokers and providing penalties for violations thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation and expenses of county horticulture commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in the county of San Mateo;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes, the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925, relating to land along King road granted to Los Angeles County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 7, inclusive, of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act authorizing the state director of institutions, with the approval of the state board of control, to grant to the county of San Bernardino for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in San Bernardino.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. The state director of institutions is hereby authorized to grant to the county of San Bernardino the use of the following described land or so much thereof as may be necessary as a right of way for highway and road purposes: beginning at a point that is north twenty-five feet from an iron pipe that is at the southeast corner of lot nine, block fifty-one, as shown on map of San Bernardino rancho, recorded the tenth day of March, 1857, with county recorder, San Bernardino county, California. Thence west, parallel to and twenty-five feet north of the southernly boundary of lots eight and nine, one thousand seven hundred twenty and five-tenths feet to a point on line between lots seven and eight, thence south twenty-five feet to two-inch iron pipe, thence east to north and south center line of lot five, thence south on said line twenty-five feet, thence east twenty-five feet south and parallel to southernly boundary of lots eight, nine and ten, block fifty-one, to east line of the west ten acres of lot three, thence north twenty-five feet to a point, thence west

along the lot line between three and ten to the place of beginning and containing one and ninety-seven one hundredths acres more or less.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the period following the word "for", add the following: "The sum last aforesaid, shall be available and paid only when and if there shall be contributed and furnished from other sources for the purposes set forth in this act an additional sum of forty thousand dollars."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend sections 5 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to records to be kept by distributors and to the disposition of license taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "sections five and", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "records to be kept by distributors and to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 21, both inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 4, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Sec. 2", and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Section 1".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "fuel", add the following: "fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "paid therefrom to the counties of the state in the following manner:

First—There shall be paid to each and every county from said fund, in the manner hereinafter provided, the sum of five thousand dollars each year, payable semi-annually in equal installments of two thousand five hundred dollars each.

Second—Any money remaining in said fund to be paid to the counties of the state after the payment of all sums herembefore provided is made, shall be paid to the said counties in the proportion which the number of vehicles registered in each of said counties bears to the total number of such vehicles registered in the state as determined by the places of residence of the owners to whom the registration certificates for such vehicles have been issued by the state during the current year, and it is hereby made the duty of the motor vehicle department to furnish to the state controller a record of the number of such registrations by counties. All such".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration or departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owner and/or operator of any oil well, to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil-bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 89—An act to amend section 1618 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the compensation of administrators and executors

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 132—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by

officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the city of Pomona for the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont outfall sewer, for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 731—An act to provide for declarations of intention concerning street and highway opening and widening and the establishment of future street lines by any county, city or city and county or by the State of California along any present or proposed street or highway.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain system of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill, by striking out the period after the word "municipalities" in the last line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered eighteen *d* relating to the withdrawal of territory."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the words "and shall become liable for all outstanding liabilities of said district incurred prior to its inclusion within such incorporated city,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, following the period, insert the following: "Each such incorporated city shall become liable for its proportion, computed as provided in this section, of all the outstanding liabilities of said district incurred prior to its inclusion within such cities."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "said", and insert in lieu thereof the word "same".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, following line 41, of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 2 A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered 18*d* reading as follows:

Sec. 18*d*. Any portion of the territory of a highway lighting district which will not be benefited by remaining within such district may be withdrawn therefrom as in this section provided. Upon receiving a petition signed by fifty or more freeholders within the portion desired to be withdrawn from any such highway lighting district or by a majority of such freeholders if there are less than one hundred freeholders within the portion sought to be withdrawn, requesting the withdrawal of a portion from the district on the ground that such portion will not be benefited by remaining

in said district and describing the exterior boundaries of the territory so sought to be withdrawn, the board of supervisors shall fix a time and place for the hearing of such petition and for hearing protests to the continuance of the remaining territory as a highway lighting district, which time shall not be less than fifteen nor more than thirty days after the receipt of such petition. The said board shall, at least ten days prior to the time so fixed, publish a notice of such hearing by one insertion in the newspaper circulated in said district which the board deems most likely to give notice to the inhabitants thereof the proposed withdrawal, which notice shall also be posted in three of the most public places within such highway lighting district, one of which places shall be within the portion of said district desired to be withdrawn, at least one week prior to the time fixed for such hearing.

Any person interested may appear at said hearing and object to the withdrawal of territory from said district or may object to the continuance of the remaining territory as a highway lighting district and the board of supervisors shall consider all objections and shall pass upon the same, and if it finds that a portion of said district described in such petition and sought to be withdrawn will not be benefited by remaining within said district and that the territory not sought to be withdrawn will be benefited by continuing as a highway lighting district, then said board may grant said petition for withdrawal either in whole or in part and by resolution establish the boundaries of such district as reestablished after such withdrawal of territory. Upon the withdrawal of any territory from a highway lighting district, as in this section provided, the remaining territory embraced in said district and not so withdrawn shall continue as a lighting district within the meaning of this act and so remain until dissolved as in this act provided. No withdrawal of territory under the provisions of this section shall become effective unless and until any outstanding contract for the furnishing of illumination shall have expired or such contract has, with the consent of the person, firm or corporation furnishing such illumination, been modified or canceled so as to relieve the district of further obligation to pay for future lighting service within the territory so withdrawn.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", strike out all of said line and all of lines 2 to 25, inclusive, of page 1, and lines 1 to 52, inclusive, of page 2, and lines 1 to 23, inclusive, of page 3 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The use for public park purposes of any land the fee of which is or shall be vested in any municipal corporation, and which has been or shall be dedicated to park use or placed in use as a public park, may be discontinued and abandoned and thereafter such land disposed of, in the manner hereinafter provided. Nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the discontinuance and abandonment of the use of such park lands, or any change in the use thereof which will cause the reversion of such park lands to private ownership, or cause the forfeiture of the ownership thereof in fee by any municipal corporation, or as authorizing the discontinuance of the use of park lands acquired in any proceeding wherein a local assessment based on benefits was or shall be levied to provide funds for such acquisition.

SEC. 2. Whenever in the opinion of the legislative body of any municipal corporation the public interest or convenience shall require the discontinuance of the use of any such land as a public park, such legislative body may adopt a resolution declaring that public interest or convenience requires such discontinuance, and that such legislative body intends to call a special election to submit to the qualified electors of such municipal corporation the question of the discontinuance of the use of such land as a public park.

Such resolution shall contain an accurate description of the lands proposed to be discontinued in use as a public park which may be all or any portion of such land, and the name by which the park the use of which is so proposed to be abandoned and discontinued in whole or in part is commonly known, and shall fix a time and place not less than thirty (30) nor more than sixty (60) days after the adoption

of such resolution at which the public or persons particularly interested may be heard

SEC. 3. The city clerk shall cause said resolution to be published twice in a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city; *provided*, that if there be no daily newspaper, then the publication shall be made in a newspaper published and circulated therein less than six days a week and said publication shall be made twice therein. If no newspaper be published in said city, then the publication shall be made twice in some newspaper published in the county in which said city is located. Such publication shall be completed at least twenty days before the time set for hearing of protests as hereinafter provided.

The park superintendent, or such other person as may be thereunto authorized by the legislative body of such municipal corporation, shall cause to be conspicuously posted along the exterior boundaries of the area proposed to be discontinued and abandoned as a public park, notices of the adoption of such resolution. Notices so posted shall be headed "Notice of proposed discontinuance of public park land" in letters not less than one (1) inch in height, and shall in legible characters state the fact and date of the adoption of the resolution, and shall contain a description of the land proposed to be discontinued and abandoned as a public park, and the name by which such public park is commonly known. Such notice shall also contain a statement of the date, hour and place when and where any and all persons having any objection to the proposed abandonment and discontinuance may appear before the legislative body and show cause why the use of the land therein described for park purposes should not be discontinued, in accordance with such resolution. Such notices shall be posted along the exterior boundaries of the land proposed to be discontinued as a public park at not more than three hundred feet in distance apart, and there shall not be less than three such notices in all. Such posting shall be completed at least twenty (20) days before the time set in said resolution for hearing thereon; *provided, however*, that the failure to post said notices shall in no wise affect the validity of the proceedings or prevent the legislative body from acquiring jurisdiction to proceed hereunder.

SEC. 4. At any time not later than the hour set for hearing objections to the proposed discontinuance, any person or persons interested may make protest in writing against the proposed abandonment or discontinuance of such park use, or to the extent thereof or both. Such protest must be in writing and be delivered to the clerk of the legislative body. Such legislative body shall hear and pass upon all such objections at said time or at any other time to which the hearing thereof may be postponed.

In the event that no protests are received or in the event that said legislative body overrules all protests by a two-thirds vote of the members thereof, such legislative body shall have jurisdiction to adopt an ordinance to call a special election at a time to be therein fixed to submit to the qualified voters of such municipal corporation the proposition of the discontinuance of the use of such park land. In the event that such legislative body allows protests against the proposed discontinuance and abandonment of a portion of such park land but by a two-thirds vote of the members thereof overrules all protests against the proposed discontinuance and abandonment of all other portions of such park land, such legislative body shall have jurisdiction to adopt an ordinance calling a special election at a time to be therein fixed to submit to the qualified voters of such municipal corporation the proposition of the discontinuance and abandonment of the use of those portions of said park lands against which such legislative body, by a two-thirds vote of the members thereof, has overruled all protests.

SEC. 5. If at the special election called as herein provided, two-thirds of the qualified electors of such municipal corporation voting on the proposition of such discontinuance vote in favor thereof, the legislative body of such municipal corporation shall have jurisdiction to adopt an ordinance declaring that the use for park purposes of the land described in the ordinance calling such election shall be discontinued and abandoned.

In the event that two-thirds of the qualified electors of such municipal corporation voting on the proposition of such discontinuance do not vote in favor thereof, the legislative body of such municipal corporation shall not have jurisdiction to adopt a new resolution of intention to call a special election to submit the question of the discontinuance of the use of the land for park purposes described in said ordinance calling such election, until after the expiration of six (6) months from the date of said election.

SEC. 6. After such ordinance becomes effective, the land therein described shall be deemed to be held by such municipal corporation in fee without limitation or restriction as to use arising out of the dedication of the use of such land for park purposes, and may be sold, leased or otherwise disposed of as other property of such municipal corporation, held in its private capacity may be disposed of; *provided, however*, that in the event that such land shall have been acquired for park purposes by the expenditure of moneys derived from the sale of bonds authorized for park pur-

poses, the proceeds of the sale of such lands shall be placed in the bond fund and shall be used only for the purposes for which such bonds were authorized, and that in the event that land so acquired for park purposes shall be placed in any other municipal use, there shall be transferred to such bond fund from such other municipal fund as shall be determined upon by the legislative body of the city, the reasonable market value of such land at the date of the ordinance discontinuing the use thereof for park purposes, and the money so transferred shall be devoted only to the purposes for which such bonds were authorized. Moneys placed in any bond fund hereunder shall be subject to diversion to other use under the terms and limitations of any act of the Legislature providing for the diversion of money derived from the sale of bonds voted for a particular purpose to some other or different purpose.

SEC. 7. All money derived from the sale of parks shall be used for park purposes and shall not be diverted to any other than such park purposes, except upon a vote of two-thirds of the qualified electors voting at a special election."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "plans", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 5, 6 and 7 of the printed bill, strike out the following: "showing the streets, building setback lines, easements, public rights in land, parks and playgrounds theretofore laid out, adopted and established by law,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 39 of the printed bill, change the word "construed" to "constructed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 47 of the printed bill, add the word "or" before the word "structure", and strike out the words "or utility".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 3 of the printed bill, after the word "act", insert the words "upon such submission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, lines 49 and 51 of the printed bill, change the word "board" to "commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 36 of the printed bill, before the word "planning", insert the word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, lines 36 and 37 of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the county or city and county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, lines 45 and 46 of the printed bill, for the words "in section 14" substitute the word "herein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, lines 31 to 39 of the printed bill, amend to read as follows:

Sec. 17. Before the approval of a plat, the planning commission and legislative body shall take into consideration the prospective character of development of the area included in the plat and of the surrounding territory. (No change in balance of section.)

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 10, line 42 of the printed bill, change the word "thirty" to read "forty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 11, line 11 of the printed bill, after the third word "the", insert the words "area of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 11, line 49 of the printed bill, after the word "file", insert the words "in the office of said legislative body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 12, end of line 6 and line 7 of the printed bill, in place of the word "therefor" insert the words "for the right to construct any building, fence or other structure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 12, line 17 of the printed bill, after the word "therein", insert the words "other than the right to erect or construct thereon any building, fence or other structure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 14, line 18 of the printed bill, in place of the word "commissioners", insert the word "supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, line 6 of the printed bill, strike out the word "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 8, line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the word "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 8, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the word "/or".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINE.

Assembly Bill No. 579—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—52.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Sewell moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Coombs waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 6 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 6 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2979*b*, 2979*c*, 2979*d*, 2979*e*, 2982*a*, 4041*d*, relating

to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of 18 years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the State Board of Health and by and under the direction of county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 185 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Spalding, Walters Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1169 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library fund, and disposing of the balance in said fund

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1079 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. MYRON D. WITTER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-eight minutes a.m., Hon. Myron D. Witter, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-eighth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 881 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1206 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Coombs, Deuel, Fisher, Heisinger, Jewett, Murphy, and Snyder—10.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

A few days ago the Fresno County Government Bill was before you, and it was revealed to you that the supervisors in Fresno County are by far the highest paid supervisors in the State, as compared with their responsibilities. You will recall that when my colleague feared he might lose the bill they attacked me on the ground that I was playing politics; you will also remember how he, in defense of the bill, quoted the stand of the grand jury for the bill.

Now on this judge bill they are asking for a thousand dollars per year increase for each judge, and I am calling to your attention the fact that even though that same grand jury, that was besieged, bombarded and lobbied for high salaries by what is generally known as the county court house ring, yet it refused to go on record for this increase as now asked for. It should now be plain to you, whether I who am trying to protect the unorganized mass of the common people who are without political leadership at home, or these my colleagues are playing politics. Is he not supporting the organized political machine in the onward march for high salaries? When he can quote the report of the grand jury to bolster up a bill he does so, but now I am wondering what course will be taken unless possibly an indorsement of a new grand jury might have been secured by that same political influence that is behind this whole high salary program.

S. L. HEISINGER.

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 729 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites

and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. JAMES C. FLYNN IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., Hon. James C. Flynn, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock and twelve minutes p m , Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION.

Mr. Jones moved that further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 681 be postponed until after the recess

Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and sixteen minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

CONSIDERATION OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By unanimous consent, further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 681, under consideration at time of recess, was deferred until the following business was disposed of:

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department, or either of them—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

PATTERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Eddy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the Bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. McDonough:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and add a new section thereto to be numbered 7½, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "convict's benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fry:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Witter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 5 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897 as amended, relating to the number of directors in irrigation districts of five hundred thousand acres or more.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company, compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended—and appointed Senators Handy, Boggs and Jones, II. C., as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Snyder, Noyes and Deuel as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, vesting in the Director of Agriculture the enforcement of the provisions hereof and the promulgation and enforcement of rules and regulations hereunder, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring this act to be an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 807 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 518—An act to provide for the acquisition of rights of way for and the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways, classifying the highways in the State system and allocating and directing the expenditure of funds for the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways;

Also: Senate Bill No. 569—An act to provide for the separation of crossings of highways and steam and electric railways in the State of California providing that certain funds shall be devoted to said purposes to be expended by the California Highway Commission subject to certain orders of the State Railroad Commission;

Also: Senate Bill No. 610—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to hunt, take, pursue or kill wild birds or mammals, and/or to angle for, take, catch or kill game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration, defining game fishes; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891," approved March 16, 1907, by amending section 9 thereof, relating to the recordation of records of survey platting or subdividing land into lots for the purpose of sale.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 518 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 569 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 610 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 689 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to exemptions, refunds, appropriations for carrying out the provisions of said act, examination of records of distributors thereunder by the State Board of Equalization and correction of assessments of said distributors by said board;

Also: Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for the creation of a commission for the study of the problem of public education beyond the elementary grade in California, and providing an appropriation therefor

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 713 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 822 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon, after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Senate Bill No. 439—An act to provide that the Department of Natural Resources, through the State Park Commission, shall have control of the State park system; to establish and define the State park system; to define certain powers and duties of the State Park Commissioner; to make an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act; and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 440—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey and repealing an act entitled "An act relating to the acquisition by the State of forest land for park purposes; authorizing the State Board of Forestry to make a survey and report on all suitable forest park sites in the State; providing a method for procuring such parks by purchase, gift, devise, donation or condemnation proceedings, or proceedings in eminent domain and for procuring money for the acquisition and maintenance thereof, and prescribing the procedure therefor; reserving certain rights to the owners of land adjacent to the lands so acquired; providing for assistance by the Attorney General; vesting the State Board of Forestry with jurisdiction and control of such parks after their acquisition by the State and of any funds provided for the purchase or maintenance thereof; providing for the expenses of said board in carrying out the purposes of this act; and prescribing the procedure for carrying out the provisions of this act," approved May 29, 1923;

Also: Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for resale to hunters and 'anglers'," approved May 20, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 413 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 439 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 440 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 466 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 3—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, and adopting those provisions, not inconsistent herewith, of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 23, 1925;

Also Senate Bill No. 84—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California.

Also Senate Bill No. 152—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to the public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Also: Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California,

and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No 365—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No 366—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Also, Senate Bill No. 412—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 3 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No 84 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 152 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 315 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 365 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 366 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 412 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 13, 1927, passed Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Handy, Boggs and Jones, H. C., and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SNYDER,
NOYES,
DEUEL,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Scudder, Adams and Fisher as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 263.

HON. D. P. ANDERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At one o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. D. P. Anderson, member of the Assembly from the Thirteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-one minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

HON. AUGUSTUS F. JEWETT, JR., IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-six minutes p.m., Hon. Augustus F. Jewett, Jr., member of the Assembly from the Fifty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-one minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used by the California Debris Commission for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Cloudman moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION.

Mr. Crittenden moved that the special order set for two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 490 be continued until the call of the House be dispensed with

Motion carried

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515 and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 920 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1210 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jones, Melville, Murphy, Snyder, Spalding, West, and Wright—13

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Cloudman.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No 681 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—44

NOES—Adams, Ball, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Foster, Heisinger, Jones, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Nielsen, Reindollar, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Witter, and Wright—27.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Noyes gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 681 was this day passed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED NINETY.

Senate Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 490 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 490 was this day passed.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

To the Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

I have voted for Senate Bill No. 490, relative to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict therewith, for the reason that it is the mandate of the constitution adopted by the people at the last general election, but I voted under protest stated by me to the members at the time of voting that I believe the constitutional provision is unfair in that it gives representation in the Senate without reference to population, or in other words, that the great mass of population in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Alameda and other counties, are deprived of representation in proportion to either population or the amount of taxes paid to the State for its support, and on the further

ground that I believe that the people, in voting for the constitutional provision under which this reapportionment is made, did not understand the effect of their vote.

HENRY E. CARTER,
Assemblyman from Seventy-first Assembly District.

Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1242 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crawford moved that the speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out a period, insert a semicolon and add the following: "and

(f) Who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out a period, insert a semicolon and add the following: "and

(f) Who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "act.", add the following: "and who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "state,", add the following: "and who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate

from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "act", add the following: "and who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 38, of the printed bill, after the word "business", add the following: "and who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "act,", add the following: "and who shall have passed a satisfactory physical examination conducted by any licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and shall have a certificate from said physician showing that such applicant is free from any such disease or diseases.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "registration", add the following: "and present a certificate from a licensed physician approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from any infectious, contagious or communicable disease".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "upon", add the following: "presentation of a certificate of a licensed physician, approved by said board, showing that such applicant is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease and upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "disease", strike out the semicolon and add the following: "or without a certificate of a licensed physician approved by said board, showing that such licentiate is free from infectious, contagious or communicable disease or who holds a certificate procured by fraud, menace, duress, undue influence or any other unlawful means."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crawford as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1251, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRAWFORD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments refused adoption.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1251 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Baum, Brock, Carter, Crawford, Foster, Gant, and Lyons—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products and other commodities, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 809 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Burns, Flynn, Parkman, Reindollar, and Spalding—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the county board of horticulture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 874 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, Jame A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

This bill, No. 874, was introduced by me at the request of the horticultural commissioner, according to custom, at the first session. Knowing that certain approval must be forthcoming and amendments added, I made no effort to bring the measure before the county government committee until a few days ago. Then, to avoid undue delay, I asked that it be passed out to the floor of the Assembly. At that time the committee was told that the bill had never been brought before the grand jury and unless the objections were met in time, I would recommend a veto by the Governor.

Two (2) sets of amendments since have been made and the measure in its present form has general approval. In view of resolutions by the American Conservation Club of El Centro, I ask that this explanation of the procedure be printed in the Journal.

M. D. WITTER.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737, relating to the salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 657 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to appropriate moneys for the acquisition and construction of that certain part of the State highway system between Big Sur, in the county of Monterey, State of California, and the southerly boundary of said county of Monterey, as provided by section 2 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California (being a part of that highway described in said section as Carmel to San Simeon), and authorizing the use of convict labor for such construction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1059 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 161—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 161 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Lyons: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

By Mr Jacobson An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

By Mr. Witter. An act to amend section 5 of the California Irrigation District Act approved March 31, 1897, as amended by increasing the number of directors in irrigation districts of 500,000 acres or more from five to seven.

By Mr. Eddy An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

By Mr McDonough An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor in State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and add a new section thereto to be numbered 7½, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "Convict's Benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder.

By Mr Fry An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108 relating to the causes of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act authorizing the State Department of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the California Highway Commission certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Siskiyou County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*a*, relating to schools

Also: Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund, to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein, to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license, to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor, and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act declaring the policy of the State in respect to old age pensions, providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1720, 1750*a* and 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds, to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24 and 26 and to repeal sections 12 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and providing the method therefor, and making appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Byrne moved that Assembly Bill No. 907 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 907 to Committee on Ways and Means

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Mr. Wright moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1199 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 393 be withdrawn from Committee on Commerce and Navigation and placed on file for purpose of amending same.

The question being on the motion to withdraw the bill from committee.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 393 from committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Just, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—Parkman—1.

Assembly Bill No. 393 ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 167*a*, relating to the publication of annual reports and courses of study by city boards of education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Witter moved that Assembly Bill No. 151 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 151 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Coombs the consideration of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 and Senate Bill No. 652 was made a special order for Thursday, April 21, 1927, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Witter: Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act to amend section 5 of the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by increasing the number of directors in irrigation districts of 500,000 acres or more from five to seven.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Eddy: Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tide lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and add a new section thereto to be numbered 7¼, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "Convict's Benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and twelve minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 19, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 19, 1927.

At ten o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING
MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Williamson was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY

Through the courtesy of Mr. Snyder, Mr. George C Cleveland of Watsonville was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Leymel, the following students of Technical High School of Fresno, California: Norman Dooley, James Wilkens, Steve Mandarich, Melvin Craighead and Adolph Bitter, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

THE SOUTH OF MARKET BOYS.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, April 17, 1927.

Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

Under separate cover we are sending you an invitation to attend our twenty-one year after celebration at the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, on Saturday, April

23d, at 8 o'clock p.m., and urge you to have the Legislature complete its business and adjourn in time for the San Francisco delegation and our many friends in Sacramento to attend.

THE SOUTH OF MARKET BOYS.
THOMAS P. GARRITY, President.
JAMES F. SMITH, Chairman.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, vesting in the Director of Agriculture the enforcement of the provisions hereof and the promulgation and enforcement of rules and regulations hereunder, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring this act to be an urgency measure—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add two new sections to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory highway and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read·

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 875—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 666—An act to reduce the fire insurance hazards of the business of clothes cleaning establishments, providing for the enforcement thereof by the

State Fire Marshal, providing ways and means for enforcement and providing penalties for violations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 875 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 666 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled, 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor', approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 25—An act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled "An act declaring property infested with certain rodents to be a public nuisance; requiring owners, occupants, and persons having possession of or dominion over such property to endeavor to exterminate and destroy such rodents; providing for the inspection of property by boards of health and health officers; authorizing boards of supervisors and other governing bodies to purchase materials and employ inspectors to prosecute such work of extermination; authorizing State and local health authorities to prosecute such work in certain cases; providing for the payment of the expense thereof; making the amount of such expense a lien on the property; providing for the collection of such amount by foreclosure of such lien and declaring any violation of the provisions thereof to be a misdemeanor," approved March 13, 1909, relating to the extermination of certain rodents.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 343—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 316 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville,

Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 41*b*, to the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to notice of delinquent assessments and tolls.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 932 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 225 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to be known as the Loan Brokers' Act, to regulate the fees, charges, commissions or compensations of real estate and personal loan brokers.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1243 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 685 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 308 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 308 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 599 of the Civil Code, relating to what may be provided for in the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation of corporations now organized or that may hereafter be organized for purposes other than profit.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Badham moved that Assembly Bill No. 756 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 756 to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

EXPLANATION OF MOTION TO RE-REFER.

The following explanation was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

The situation that has developed as to Assembly Bill No. 756 would seem not only to justify but to require a statement from me.

The bill was sent to me by parties interested in December, 1926, with request that I introduce it. I studied it for some time, concluding that it was a good measure and introduced it early in the legislative session. The bill was approved in committee but met with opposition on the floor of the Assembly. After careful review of the entire situation I am more strongly convinced than ever that the measure is sound and should be enacted into law.

The opposition to the bill is apparently due to an unjustified and regrettable sectional and factional misunderstanding. In Los Angeles County we have 52.4 per cent of women's club membership of the State. No opposition to this measure was expressed until it was branded as a Los Angeles proposal by reason of its sponsorship by a member of the legislative delegation from that section of the State. All

sections of our great State should be unified for the welfare of the commonwealth as a single entity. But I bow to what apparently is the inevitable and hope for a more auspicious time, when the provincial attitude may be outgrown and proposed legislation may be considered on its merits only, without regard to its source or its sponsorship.

WILLARD E. BADHAM.
Assemblyman Seventy-second District.

Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Miss Miller moved that Assembly Bill No. 924 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 924 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

HON. WILLARD E. BADHAM IN THE CHAIR

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m, Hon. Willard E. Badham, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, providing who may bring actions for partition.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 525 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Feigenbaum—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 526 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James

A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Feigenbaum—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 527 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Feigenbaum—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 228 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and

compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1146 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. WILLIS M. BAUM IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Hon. Willis M. Baum, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1270 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1276 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution, and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 992 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—57.

NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1274 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 48 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Feigenbaum, Little, Sewell, Walters—4

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHARLES A. FOSTER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and eighteen minutes a m., Hon. Charles A. Foster, member of the Assembly from the Fiftieth Assembly District, in the chair

Assembly Bill No 1267—An act to amend section 1613 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners in county jails
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1267 passed by the following vote

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1179—An act to amend the title and section 3 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, relating to the erection of a marker on the Victory highway.
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1179 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-eight minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended, by providing for the filing with the State Oil and Gas Supervisor, or his deputies, of an application showing the names and addresses of all parties interested in the promotion of the well and the financial ability of the owners and/or operator of any oil well to complete the well to production and/or to abandon same by shutting off and excluding all water from entering oil bearing strata encountered in the well, requiring a permit before oil drilling operations may be commenced, giving the said supervisor and his deputies the right to grant or refuse to grant such permits after investigation, subject to review by the district oil and gas commissioners and by the courts and providing penalties for the enforcement of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 309 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Duval, Foster, Fry, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Melville, Mixter, Roberts, Spalding, Wherrell, and Williams—19.

NOES—Adams, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—42.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 18, 1927, adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Approving the charter of the city of Pacific Grove, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Pacific Grove at its special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of April, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Hedges asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Approving the charter of the city of Pacific Grove, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Pacific Grove at its special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of April, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department, or either of them.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO AMEND.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by Mr. Hornblower:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "granting in trust to the city and county of San Fran-", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "creating the port district of San Francisco, and providing for its government; granting in trust to the port district of San Fran-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 9 and 10 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the words "and granting to said district certain tide and submerged lands in San Mateo county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 and 2 and the word "California" in line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. (*a*) The port district of San Francisco is hereby created, which district shall include all the territory within the limits of the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo, which shall possess all the powers now vested in the board of state harbor commissioners, and such additional powers as are herein granted or may be hereafter be conferred by law. The powers granted

shall be exercised and the affairs of said district shall be managed by a board of directors, consisting of five members. The present members of the board of state harbor commissioners shall be members of said board of directors of said port district, and shall serve as such during the term for which they were appointed as members of the board of state harbor commissioners. The governor shall appoint two additional members of such board of directors to serve for the term of four years, one of whom shall be a resident of the city and county of San Francisco and one of whom shall be a resident of the county of San Mateo. Said directors shall receive the same compensation now fixed by law for members of the board of state harbor commissioners. All vacancies in the office of the director shall be filled by the appointment of the governor and their successors shall also be appointed by him.

(*b*) There is hereby granted to the port district of San Francisco as herein created,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

"SEC. 4. The board of directors of the district shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "commission or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the words "commission or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out "San Fran-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "cisco harbor commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district of San Francisco".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 7, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the words "San Francisco harbor commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district of San Francisco".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 7, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 7, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 7, lines 29 and 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "mayor of said city and county and to the municipal harbor commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors of this district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 7, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 7, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 7, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 7, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 8, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 8, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 8, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 8, lines 8 and 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city and county", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 8, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 8, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 8, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 9, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 9, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 9, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 9, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 9, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 9, lines 31 and 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words "three commissioners", and insert in lieu thereof the words "five directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 9, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 9, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 9, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 9, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 9, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the words "mayor of the city and county of San Francisco", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district of San Francisco".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 9 of the printed bill, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following paragraphs:

Seventh—The board of directors whenever necessary to make improvements may borrow money in anticipation of revenues and may contract an indebtedness and issue its certificates thereof payable out of the surplus revenues of the district, but all such certificates shall be made payable not more than five years from their date of issuance.

Eighth—The district may incur an indebtedness and issue bonds therefor for the purpose of constructing such improvement as the public interest may require and the acquisition of lands necessary therefor. After the adoption of a resolution by the board of directors reciting such public interest or necessity, said board may call an election to be held within the district at which the question of the incurring of such indebtedness shall be submitted to the voters. Notice of such election shall be given by the publication thereof in at least one newspaper of general circulation published in each of the counties constituting the district for a period of three weeks and the first publication thereof shall be made at least thirty days prior to the day of such election. The notice shall state the date of the election, the purpose for which it is called, the amount of the indebtedness proposed to be incurred and a description of the proposed improvement to be made or lands proposed to be acquired, the maturity or maturities of the bonds to be issued, and the rate of interest thereon, which rate shall not be exceeded but may be decreased.

Copies of such notice shall be certified to the county clerk of the county of San Mateo and to the registrar of voters of the city and county of San Francisco, who shall designate the officers to conduct the election and the polling places within their respective counties and shall supply all the necessary election supplies necessary to conduct such election, the cost of which shall be a charge against the district. The proposition to be voted upon shall appear upon the ballots or voting machines so that each voter may vote in favor of or against the incurring of such indebtedness. The votes for or against shall be cast, registered, counted, tallied and returned to the said county clerk or registrar of voters, in manner and form as such votes are cast, registered, counted, tallied and returned as provided by law for the submission of propositions to the electors. The county clerk and registrar of voters shall certify the result of such election in their respective counties to the board of directors of the port district. If it appears that two-thirds of the votes cast were in favor of the incurring of the proposed indebtedness, then bonds of the district may be issued to the amount so authorized, and for the purpose stated in the notice of election. Thereafter the board of directors may issue bonds from time to time in such amounts as it may deem proper, and dispose of the same after advertising for ten days in a newspaper published in the district for bids for such purchase. The board of directors shall prescribe the form of the bonds, by whom signed, and specify the time and place of payment of principal and interest.

So far as possible the principal and interest shall be paid from the revenues of the district, but in the event that such revenues are not sufficient therefor a tax may be levied and collected sufficient to pay and in season to pay the interest and principal as the same becomes due. The board of directors shall apportion the amount to be raised by taxation between the two counties constituting the district in proportion to the value of the taxable property therein as the same appears upon the assessment books of said counties. The amount so apportioned shall be certified by the board of directors to the board of supervisors of each of said counties and it shall be the duty of each of said boards to levy a tax upon the taxable property of the county that will produce a sum equal to that apportioned to the county as aforesaid. Such tax shall be levied, computed and collected in the same manner as county or city and county taxes are levied, computed and collected, and the proceeds of such tax shall be subject to the orders of the board of directors of the district, but shall be used solely for the payment of principal and interest of the bonded debt incurred as herein provided.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO

On page 10, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "mayor of the city and county of San Francisco", and insert in lieu thereof the words "board of directors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 10, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "mayor", and insert in lieu thereof the word "board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 10 of the printed bill, strike out lines 17 to 43, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 11. In addition to the grant contained in section 1 hereof, there is hereby granted to the port district of San Francisco, all of the right, title and interest of the State of California, in and to the tide, overflowed and submerged lands in and bordering the bay of San Francisco in the county of San Mateo, with the right and power to construct seawalls, waterways, bulkheads, embankments, wharves, and wharf facilities, railroad tracks, establish foreign trade zone, and exercise the same jurisdiction in respect thereto as may now be exercised by the board of state harbor commissioners within the city and county of San Francisco, and whenever public interest may require may acquire property for its purposes and in such acquisition may exercise the right to eminent domain.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 10, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "mayor", and insert in lieu thereof the word "board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 10 of the printed bill, insert a new section between lines 43 and 44, to read as follows:

SEC. 12. The present employees of the board of state harbor commissioners shall become employees of the port district with the same tenure of office and benefits to which they are now entitled. The board of directors may appoint such additional employees as may be necessary and prescribe their duties and compensation, and may designate a treasurer or custodian of funds not otherwise herein provided for.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 10, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 12", and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 10, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "harbor", and insert in lieu thereof the words "port district".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Cloudman moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, strike out the last word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the word "this".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "claims", insert the following: "to be audited by the state board of control, except as".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Cloudman as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1244, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOUDMAN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of board of parole commissioners for each county in this State and for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, amending section 1 of said act so as to make said act applicable to all jails and to all prisoners in prison for misdemeanors, whether in county jails or in city prisons, by amending said act so as to provide that in cities where a municipal court has been established, the board of parole commissioners for such municipal court shall consist of the presiding judge of said court, the chief of police and the prosecuting attorney of such city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Mixter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the word "amend", add the following: "sections one and two of and to add two new sections to be numbered three and four to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out lines 6 to 14 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "25, 1909, as amended, relating to the board of parole commissioners".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the word and figure "Section 1.", strike out the word "An", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section one of an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out lines 6 to 13, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "25, 1909, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, between lines 20 and 21, add the following:

SEC. 2. Section 2 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, between lines 46 and 47, add the following.

SEC. 3. A new section to be numbered section 3 is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, before line 1, add the following

SEC. 4. A new section to be numbered section 4 is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Mixter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 542, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MIXTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the Spanish-American War Veterans and the American Legion of the Department of California, respectively.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed resolution, after the first word "the", add the following: "United".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 3 and 4 of the title of the printed resolution, strike out the words "American Legion", and insert in lieu thereof "Disabled American Veterans of the World War".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed resolution, strike out the words "American Legion", and insert in lieu thereof "Disabled American Veterans of the World War".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury.

Constitutional amendment read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 12 of the printed bill, after the word "court", insert the following: "by the defendant and his counsel".

Amendment adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Sewell moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Noyes moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 681 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Wright waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1199 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1199 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Hornblower waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 490 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 490 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1663 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the partial distribution of estates of deceased persons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204e of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court;

Also Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 1691 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the assignment for distribution of estate to nonresident persons,

Also Senate Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 742—An act to amend section 548 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property under attachments—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 372 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of property by a lien holder, notice of sale and disposition of the proceeds;

Also Senate Bill No. 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226, and 227 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 224*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption;

Also, Senate Bill No. 685—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states,

Also: Senate Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 2220 of the Civil Code, relating to the purposes for which trusts may be created,

Also Senate Bill No 694—An act to repeal sections 847 and 857 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts on real property;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 254—An act to amend sections 2145, 2153*a*, 2187, 2189, 2090, 2191, and 2192 of the Political Code, relating to the Department

of Institutions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said code to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*j*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 860—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 610—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to hunt, take, pursue or kill wild birds or mammals, and/or to angle for, take, catch or kill game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for resale to hunters and 'anglers'," approved May 20, 1915, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 875—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians, to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 84—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act declaring the policy of the State in respect to old age pensions, providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code to protect claims—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*l*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, inclusive, of the Political Code, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr Feigenbaum:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr Easley (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 778 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 761 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Ball, Deuel, Fisher, Heisinger, Jewett, Murphy, and West—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies and other employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Nielsen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the first comma, strike out the words "four thousand two hundred thirty-six *o*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the word "require", strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the following: "at a salary of six dollars per diem each"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the word "services", strike out the following: "a sum not to exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, lines 16 and 17, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, after the word "exceeding" in line 16, strike out the words "one hundred twenty-five dollars per month", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five dollars per day for his actual and necessary traveling".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6 of the printed bill, beginning in line 27 after the word "year", strike out "and whose compensation for such", and strike out all of lines 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, and in line 37 strike out "assessment rolls of the county and special assessments.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "at a salary of eight dollars per day each and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of twenty-one thousand eight hundred forty dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed; as many deputies as are necessary in the discretion of the country assessor during each year at a salary of four dollars per day each and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 8, lines 32 and 33, of the printed bill, as amended, April 15, 1927, after the word "office", strike out the words "not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per month".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Nielsen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 320, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NIELSEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to approval of a certain amendment to the charter of the city of Santa Rosa, a municipal corporation in the county of Sonoma, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the special municipal election held therein on the tenth day of March, 1927.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. H. C. KELSEY IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twelve minutes p.m., Hon. H. C. Kelsey, member of the Assembly from the Forty-first Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 398 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Clowdsley—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 364—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 364 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-nine minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 1049 of the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 384 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 415 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—Hornblower—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictments and informations.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 390 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The hour of two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. having arrived, the special orders heretofore set for this hour were taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND FIFTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act to amend section 3 of "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to definition of the term "injury" as used in such workmen's compensation act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1051 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster,

Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—41.

NOES—Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Spalding, West, and Mr. Speaker—16.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND FIFTEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1015 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Hedges, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, and Woolwine—37.

NOES—Burns, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, James A, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—18.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Gant gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1015 was this day refused passage.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND FORTY-SEVEN.

Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 14 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, relating to proceedings before the Industrial Accident Commission in certain death benefit cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1047 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, and Woodbridge—42.

NOES—Burns, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivn, Reindollar, Spalding, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—18.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to procedure before the Industrial Accident Commission following death of compensation claimants.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 772 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Burns, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, and Reindollar—10.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Miller, James A., gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 772 was this day passed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND FORTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 20 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Kelsey moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and fifty minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leuehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—62.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 677 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Carter moved that Assembly Bill No. 232 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.
The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 232 to Committee on Fish and Game.
Motion carried.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and two minutes p m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Kelsey.
The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1048 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, and Wright—50.
NOES—Ball, Burns, Byrne, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Spalding, West, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—23.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a Board of Examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said Board of Examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. JAMES C. CRAWFORD IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and eight minutes p.m., Hon. James C. Crawford, member of the Assembly from the Sixty-first Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the practice or occupation of steam and operating engineering in the State of California; providing for the registration of persons to carry on such practice or occupation; providing for a Board of Examiners and a clerk thereof, to be under the supervision and management of the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics; fixing the term, compensation, powers and duties of the clerk and the members of said Board of Examiners; fixing the fees to be paid by persons authorized to practice under the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 626 refused passage by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Ball, Bernard, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Jost, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Nielsen, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Spalding, West, Wherrell, and Wright—18.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 54—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under a freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation in the State of California to acquire land and construct and complete improvements thereon necessary and convenient to the maintenance of airports, the flying and landing of aircraft and the maintenance of hangars for storing aircraft; permitting use for said purposes of property owned for park purposes; providing for the incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds; validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purposes and of the procedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of any such purpose and to levy taxes for such purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act to create a flood control district to be called "Orange County Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to establish a State park to be known as "Burney Falls State Park," at Burney Falls, near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, and providing for the control of said park and for the construc-

tion, maintenance and operation of buildings and improvements thereon and for the conduct and management thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act reserving certain State lands in Del Norte County for park and recreational purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent misrepresentations of conditions of employment, making it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the same, and providing penalties therefor," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, by reducing the criminal penalty and adding a civil penalty for violation thereof and by making its provisions apply to misrepresentations regarding the existence of work and the length of time such work will last;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 1174 of the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, to add a new section, 1174*a*, to the Political Code, relating to roster and tally lists, and to amend section 1229 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to be known as the "Pure Milk Law of California," to prevent the sale of impure and unwholesome milk; to provide for milk scoring contests; to classify and grade milk; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to empower cities, counties and groups of cities and counties to establish milk inspection service; to authorize the Department of Agriculture of the State of California to approve milk inspection service; to provide for the payment of a fee to defray the expenses of such approved milk inspection service; to provide for the examination, testing, branding and exclusion of tuberculous cattle; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; to repeal an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to reassessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 408—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to provide for the establishment of weed free areas, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners and defining their powers and duties in relation hereto, prohibiting persons from permitting the propagation within weed free area of weeds of which said area has been declared to be practically free, providing penalties for violation hereof and repealing "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the filing of a petition for executor or administrator to make conveyance or transfer and notice of hearing thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 37*f*, relating to the compensation and travel expenses of water masters and the payment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add eighteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*,

64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, to the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to amend section 1373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to setting day for hearing petition for letters of administration and for notice of application therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to amend section 1465*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of hearing petition and to whom sent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to amend section 1552 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of proceedings and notice of hearing of return of proceedings after sale of real estate,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act to provide that in case the people of the city of Alameda should vote to exclude any of their salt marsh, tide or submerged lands, and thereafter the people of the city of Oakland should vote to annex the same, then the city of Alameda through its proper officials may grant said lands to the city of Oakland;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures heretofore collected, in any police court, city justice's court or recorder's court in cities or towns of the fifth and sixth class, but not yet transmitted to the county treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to amend section 1928 of the Political Code, relating to the Adjutant General;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the nineteenth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Easley (by request): An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*x*21, 2322*x*2 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class, and second class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 133?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "twenty-one", add the following: "two thousand three hundred twenty-two *x* two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "and second class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 13, add the following:

2322*r*2. In counties of the second class, the commissioner shall receive a salary of four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner the following deputy inspectors and clerks to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows, to wit:

(*a*) One deputy horticultural commissioner at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum.

(*b*) Two inspectors at a monthly salary of two hundred dollars per month each during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such inspectors shall not exceed four thousand eight hundred dollars.

(*c*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed one clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars during the time actually employed and not to exceed one clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerks shall not exceed three thousand nine hundred dollars.

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 133 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add two new sections to be numbered 2½ and 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the street improvements—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 157?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "add two new sections to be numbered 2½ and 38, to an act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 14, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, following the word "frequently.", strike out the following: "At the time fixed for said hearing, or at such time less frequently."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On line 21, of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, and March 11, 1927, and April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "the making of reassessments." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "street improvements."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 39, of the printed bill, as amended March 4, 1927, and March 11, 1927, and April 1, 1927, strike out line 39, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "daily newspaper, by one insertion in a newspaper issued less than six times a week, such being a".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 157 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Minter, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 811?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, before the word "clerk", insert the word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, before the word "shall", insert the words "or registrar of voters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "surnames", omit the comma and insert the following: "in each precinct".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "books", insert the following: "with an alphabetical index".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, before the word "clerk", insert the word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, before the word "shall", insert the words "or registrar of voters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, before the word "said", insert the following: "for county or city and county elections,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "books", change the period to a comma and insert the following: "and also a ruled space, in front of the name of the elector, within which to write the word "Voted" for each elector who votes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, before the word "clerk", insert the word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, before the word "shall", insert the words "or registrar of voters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "shall", insert the words "at the same time also".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "clerk", insert the words "or registrar of voters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, before the word "clerk", insert the word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, before the word "shall", insert the words "or registrar of voters".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 811 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article IIb of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f*, and 361*g*, creating in the Department of Agriculture a Division of Land Settlement, defining the powers and duties and providing for the administration thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1194?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 30, 1927, strike out all of lines 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "director of agriculture and receive such annual salary as may be fixed by the director with the approval of the governor."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1194 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 828?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 828 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 186?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof "and which shall be audited, allowed and paid as other county claims are audited, allowed and paid."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 186 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 521?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "homestead", insert the following: "and that no former declaration has been made, or, if made, that it has been abandoned".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 521 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 743?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 8 of the printed bill, strike out lines 9 to 15, inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 743 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 656?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out lines 47 to 51, inclusive, and the word "he" in line 52, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"12. The county surveyor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the word "juror", and insert in lieu thereof the word "witness".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 656 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2322*x*16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 398?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "2322x26", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2322x16".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 398 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 422?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "administrations", and insert in lieu thereof the word "administration".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 422 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvements in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1245?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and comma "thirty-six,", add the following: "two hundred forty,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1245 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 263 the following Senators: Weller, Chamberlin and Allen, N. M., to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 847—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the bridge across the Sacramento River at Rio Vista, and making same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 847 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443, and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 630 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 741—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf;

Also: Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 47 of the Civil Code, relating to privileged publications;

Also: Senate Bill No. 803—An act to amend chapter IV of title I of part III of the Political Code by amending section 726 thereof and adding thereto a new section to be known as 727, to relate to the Judicial Council and the duty of county clerks and clerks of the various courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 737*w* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara;

Also: Senate Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner;

Also: Senate Bill No. 884—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to

653*ag*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 741 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 761 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 803 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 809 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 869 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 884 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 459—An act to authorize the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 759 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of reporters of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 577—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, Statutes 1897, page 254, as amended, by amending the title of said act and adding thereto six new sections to be numbered 108*a*, 108*b*, 108*c*, 108*d*, 108*e*, 108*f*, to provide for the construction, reconstruction, betterment or improvement of an irrigation system, or systems or the purchase or acquisition of an irrigation system or systems already constructed, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 578—An act granting to the La Jolla Beach and Yacht Club, a corporation, a perpetual easement for a channel across certain tidelands in the city of San Diego;

Also: Senate Bill No. 590—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of George W. Root against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 725—An act to regulate and license the maintenance and operation of commercial hunting clubs and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game protection and restoration.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 459 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 571 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 577 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 578 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 590 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 725 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office;

Also: Senate Bill No. 312—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 412 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 319—An act to add a new section to article II of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 362*g*, relating to the establishment of a Division of School Planning in the State Department of Education and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside;

Also: Senate Bill No. 441—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of state bonds to be known as "California State park bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes; authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 626*m* of the Penal Code, relating to fishing and hunting at night

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 293 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 312 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 318 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 319 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 236 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 441 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 455 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend section 738*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey;

Also: Senate Bill No. 46—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Diego; to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and the manner of payment of his compensation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 107—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 188—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing their salaries;

Also: Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State commissioner thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 2 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 46 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 107 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 186 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 188 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 239 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the county of Alameda, and for the appointment of such additional judge;

Also: Senate Bill No. 508—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 621—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Edward J. Kelly against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 649—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Richard Kittrelle against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 737b of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Imperial;

Also: Senate Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to erroneously collected taxes, penalties and costs, and the refund of taxes collected on tax exempt property;

Also: Senate Bill No. 888—An act to provide for a survey of and works on the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 58 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 508 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 621 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 649 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 804 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 886 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 888 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fiftieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19*a*16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 2322*x*29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors, and clerk of the counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 752*c*, relating to powers of boards of trustees;

Also Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court,

Also Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 4300*b* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property,

Also: Assembly Bill No 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments;

Also, Assembly Bill No 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain;

Also Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments,

Also: Assembly Bill No 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Also Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Also Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 2322*r*41 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the forty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*r*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries;

Also Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*r*12 of the Political Code relating to expenses fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 2322*r*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers

and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act" approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 16½2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1197c, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof." approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Cloudman moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 14, 1927, in line 12, after the word "act", insert the following: "when used separately or in connection with approved headlamps or headlight control devices."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Cloudman as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 492, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLOUDMAN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 959—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of San Bernardino for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in San Bernardino;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department or either of them;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll bridge franchises by boards of supervisors;

Also Senate Bill No. 870—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-first

class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 2322½40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 126—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessment for the cost, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts,

Also: Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended relating to the method of recordation of maps, providing additional conditions on which maps may be recorded, and providing civil and criminal liabilities for the violation thereof,

Also: Senate Bill No. 767—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to the method of recordation of maps, providing additional conditions on which maps may be recorded, and providing civil and criminal liabilities for the violation thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Approving two certain amendments to the charter of the city of San Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said

city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33 ordered to engrossment and on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

RECONSIDERATION LAPSED.

Motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 774 was passed lapsed on failure of motion being made to continue same.

Assembly Bill No. 774 ordered to Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Easley (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Brock, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 20, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 20, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter,

Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Wemple moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Thomas Dougherty of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mr. Leo Gordon of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Miss Katherine Haller, teacher of the Davis Joint Union High School, and the following students of the citizenship class: Katherine Fiske, Catherine Roadhouse, Dorothy Hoag, Helen Watson, Helen Bullock, Paul Day, Raymond Doney, James Darrock and Ben Moses were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mrs. L. A. Divoll and Miss L. C. Reese of Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Roberts of Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. L. C. Partington of Johannesburg, Union of South Africa, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. C. W. Partington of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act declaring the policy of the State in respect to old age pensions, providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "Debtor", strike out all of line 3 to and including the word "when.", in line 4.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code to protect claims.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take Pismo clams for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of Pismo clams, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, following the period, insert the following: "Every person in the State of California, over the age of twelve years, who takes any Pismo clams other than for sale or profit without first procuring a license therefor as provided by this act is guilty of a misdemeanor."

SEC. 2. Licenses granting the privileges to take shell fish, mollusks or crustaceans other than for sale or profit shall be issued by agents appointed by the state board of fish and game commissioners or by the state board of fish and game commissioners, which board shall prepare suitable licenses of convenient size and form and have printed thereon the words, "Pismo clams License No._____, State of California Expires June 30, 192___." with registration number and appropriate year printed or stamped thereon, and said board shall account for same to the controller of the state every three months beginning with the first day of July of each year.

SEC. 3. Licenses herein provided for shall be issued as follows: (1) To any citizen of the United States upon payment of one dollar; (2) to any person, not a citizen of the United States, upon payment of five dollars.

SEC. 4. Every person applying for and procuring a license as herein provided shall furnish to the state board of fish and game commissioners his name and resident address. Such applicant shall also furnish to the board of fish and game commissioners a written description of himself by age, height, nationality, color of eyes and hair.

SEC. 5. All licenses issued as herein provided shall be valid and shall authorize the person to whom issued to take Pismo clams other than for sale or profit in accordance with the law from the first day of July of the year in which said license is

issued until the date of expiration written or stamped thereon, but no license shall continue in force for a longer period than one year, nor shall such license be issued to any person unless he shall agree to exhibit any Pismo clams in his possession to any deputy fish and game commissioner or peace officer, upon demand, said agreement to be contained in such license.

SEC. 6. All moneys collected from licenses as provided herein and all fines collected for violations of the provisions hereof shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the game preservation fund.

SEC. 7. Not more than one license shall be issued to any one person for the same license year, except upon an affidavit by the applicant that the one issued has been lost or destroyed, and then only upon the payment of the original fee. No license issued as herein provided shall be transferable or used by any other person than the one to whom it was issued.

SEC. 8. Every person having a license as provided herein who refuses to exhibit such license or any Pismo clams that may be in his possession or control upon the demand of any officer authorized to enforce the game and fish laws of this state or any peace officer of the state shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and every person lawfully having such license who transfers or disposes of same to another person or who violates any of the laws for the protection of shell fish shall forfeit the same.

SEC. 9. Every person who makes any false statement as to any of the facts required by this act, for the purpose of obtaining a license, and every person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term of not less than ten nor more than one hundred days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to the forty-eight", and also strike out all of lines 10, 11 and 12 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "some method of proceedure therewith,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill strike out the words "Salary of the other judge", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Salaries of the other judges".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-first class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "seventy", and insert in lieu thereof the words "sixty-nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "forty-first", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fortieth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "70", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "sixty-nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

4269. In counties of the fortieth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit

1. The county clerk, three thousand dollars per annum, and the said county clerk may appoint one deputy county clerk, which said office of deputy county clerk is hereby created The salary of such deputy county clerk is hereby fixed at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid; *provided*, that in each year in which a new and complete or supplemental registration of voters is required by law, the county clerk shall appoint as many deputy registration clerks as may be necessary for the convenient registration of voters in the county, which deputy registration clerks shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of ten cents per name, for each and every voter registered by them; said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county on presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of the county of a duly verified claim therefor, approved by the county clerk, *provided, further*, that the county clerk shall appoint one additional deputy to compile the great register, and for mailing sample ballots, at a compensation not to exceed the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars for each such registration.

2. The sheriff, four thousand dollars per annum, and his actual traveling expenses in the pursuit of arrest of criminals either in or out of his county, *and, provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and is hereby created the office of undersheriff, to be appointed by the sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; which salary of said undersheriff herein provided for shall be paid out of the same fund and in the same manner and at the same times as the salaries of other county officers are paid Said undersheriff shall receive his actual traveling expenses in the pursuit of arrest of criminals either in or out of his county. In counties of this class the sheriff may appoint one deputy to act as jailer at an annual salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars.

3. The recorder, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and the said recorder may appoint one deputy recorder, which said office of deputy recorder is hereby created. The salary of such deputy recorder is hereby fixed at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, such salary is to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

4. The auditor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

5 The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and the said treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer, which said office of deputy treasurer is hereby created The salary of such deputy treasurer is hereby fixed at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

6 The tax collector, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services as tax collector and as license collector

7. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum In counties of this class the assessor may appoint one deputy assessor, which office is hereby created, and who shall receive an annual salary of one thousand five hundred dollars The said assessor may appoint one office deputy assessor, which said office of deputy office assessor is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during five months of each calendar year. Said office deputy assessor shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable during the period of said services, at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid. The said assessor may also appoint one additional deputy assessor, who shall be designated as a "field deputy assessor," which said office of "field deputy assessor" is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during five months of each calendar year. Said "field deputy assessor" shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month payable during the period of such service, at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid

8 The district attorney, three thousand dollars per annum. Said district attorney may appoint one clerk to the district attorney, which said office of clerk is hereby created. Said clerk to the district attorney shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county. The foregoing salary of the superintendent of schools shall be in full for all services rendered, including the services rendered by such superintendent of schools as a member of the county board of education. Said superintendent of schools may appoint one deputy superintendent of schools, which said office of deputy superintendent of schools is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during ten months of each calendar year. The salary of such deputy superintendent of schools is hereby fixed at seven hundred fifty dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid

12. The surveyor, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and in addition thereto he shall receive his actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred by him while engaged in work for the county.

13. In townships having a population of ten thousand or more, the justice of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and the constable shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred dollars per month.

The above salary shall be in full compensation of said justice of the peace and said constable in criminal cases; *provided*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed, said constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county, his actual traveling expenses when engaged in the service of a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case

14 Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and mileage when acting as road commissioner, twenty-five cents per mile one way; *provided*, the amount of mileage shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars in any one year

15 In counties of this class grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall each receive for each day's attendance the sum of three dollars, and mileage to be computed at the rate of fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residences to the county seat, in going only Such fees and mileage shall be paid by the treasurer of the county out of the general fund of said county upon warrants drawn by the county auditor upon the written order of the judge of the superior court in said county

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof, and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 557—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "section", strike out the remainder of the title, and insert the following: "four thousand two hundred sixty-three of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1", strike out all of the printed bill and insert the following: "Section 4263 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4263. In counties of the thirty-fourth class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and when a new great register of voters is required by law to be made, he shall receive his actual expense in making said register and the index thereto, and ten cents per name for every name registered. In counties of this class the county clerk may appoint one deputy county clerk at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and one typist at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum, which offices are hereby created and said salaries fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this subsection does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent.

2. The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum In addition to the fees and expenses allowed by law as set forth in section 4300*b* of the Political Code, the sheriff shall be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in pursuing criminals and his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the investigation of crimes committed in his jurisdiction In counties of this class the sheriff may appoint one deputy sheriff at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid.

3. The recorder, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum

4. The auditor, two thousand dollars per annum, and in lieu of fees heretofore paid him under the provisions of section 4099*a* of the Political Code he shall receive an additional sum of five hundred dollars per annum as compensation for the extra duties imposed by said section 4099*a*. In counties of this class the auditor may appoint one deputy auditor at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum. In counties of this class the treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer at a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid.

6. The tax collector, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum In counties of this class, the tax collector shall be allowed to employ clerical assistance when needed, at not to exceed six hundred dollars in any one year.

7. The assessor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and his actual and necessary traveling expenses when engaged in assessing the property of his county; *provided*, such traveling expenses shall not in any one year, exceed the sum of three hundred dollars.

8. The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided, however*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney one clerk which office is hereby created. Said clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand dollars per annum which shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the district attorney is paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of this county. In counties of this class the secretary of the county board of education shall receive the sum of five hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools. The compensation of the secretary of the county board of education of this county hereby provided is in lieu of the fees heretofore allowed under the provisions of section 1770 of this code. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this section does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent. In counties of this class the superintendent of schools may appoint one deputy superintendent of schools, at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created and salary fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools.

12 The county surveyor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, he to furnish all necessary instruments, but transportation charges for field work shall be allowed him. He shall not be required to perform county work more than two-thirds of the working days in any month, except on payment of fees now allowed by law.

13. Justices of the peace, the following salaries to be paid each month as county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them as such justices of the peace: In townships having a population of five thousand and more, one hundred dollars; in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, sixty-five dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, forty dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred, twenty-five dollars, in townships having a population of less than one thousand, ten dollars. Each justice must pay into the county treasury, once a month, all fees and all fines collected by him. In all townships having a population of less than five thousand, if there be more than one justice, the compensation or salary allowed herein shall be equally divided between them so that the sum total of their compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single justice in such township.

14 Constables, the following salaries, which shall be paid monthly as salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit: In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more, seventy dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand and less than fifteen hundred, thirty dollars; in townships having a population of less than one thousand, fifteen dollars. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may receive and retain for his own use, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all the services performed by him in civil actions In all townships having a population of less than two thousand five hundred, if there be more than one constable, the compensation herein allowed shall be equally divided between them, so that the sum total of their monthly compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single constable in each township. The board of supervisors shall, during each and every year, ascertain and determine the population of the several townships of the county for the purpose of ascertaining the compensation of township officers regulated by this section, in proportion to their duties.

In addition to the fees and expenses allowed by law as set forth in section 4300d of the Political Code, constables shall be allowed the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by them in the investigation of a felony committed within the township of which they are officers, and the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by them in pursuing criminals charged with the commission of a felony.

15. Each supervisor, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, for all services performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner.

16. Grand jurors, and trial jurors in the superior court in civil and criminal cases, shall receive, as compensation for each day's attendance, per day three dollars and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled in attendance as such, in going only, per mile twenty-five cents.

17. It is hereby found as a fact that the provisions herein made for expenses of the sheriff and constables of counties of the thirty-fourth class do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same apply immediately to the present incumbents.

18. It is hereby found and declared that all deputies, assistants, and other subordinate officers provided for herein are additional deputies and assistants necessary and proper to be allowed to the incumbent principals and shall be effective at once during their present terms of office.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright moved that Senate Bill No 807 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 807 to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1663 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the partial distribution of estates of deceased persons.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the comma following the word "will", insert the following: "or it is for the best interests of the estate, that the estate in this state should be delivered to the executor or administrator in the state or place of the decedent's residence,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the word "estate", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the comma following the word "interest", insert the following: "or the executor or administrator in the state or place of decedent's residence,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the period at the end of said line insert the following: "The delivery, in accordance with the order of the court, is a full discharge of the executor or administrator, in this state, in relation to all property embraced in such order, which, unless reversed on appeal, binds and concludes all parties in interest".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204e of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 14 to 21 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The salaries herein authorized shall be paid out of the same fund that salaries of other county officers are paid".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 1691 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the assignment for distribution of estate to nonresident persons.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereof", and insert in lieu thereof the word "therefor".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the following: ", without notice other than the notice required by sections 1380, 1761 and 1789 of this Code where applicable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the words: "Such sale to take", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Any such sale shall take".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the parentheses.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 2145, 2153*a*, 2187, 2189, 2090, 2191, and 2192 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 8, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 24, 1927, strike out the words "two years", and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 24, 1927, strike out the words "two years," and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 9, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 24, 1927, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "department of institutions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 9, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 24, 1927, strike out the words "board of managers", and insert in lieu thereof the word "superintendent".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 9, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 24, 1927, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the words "department of institutions".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said code to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*j*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 860—To amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, in the last line thereof following the word "with,", and before the quotation marks, insert the words "approved May 19, 1915,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, following the word "herewith,", and before the quotation marks, insert the words "approved May 19, 1915,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, following the word "west;", insert the following: "section thirty-one of township four north, range seven west;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, following the word "west;", insert the following: "southwest quarter of section twenty-seven, the south half of sections twenty-eight and twenty-nine, and sections thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five and thirty-six all in township four north range eight west;".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 610—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to hunt, take, pursue or kill wild birds or mammals, and/or to angle for, take, catch or kill game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for resale to hunters and 'anglers'," approved May 20, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 742—An act to amend section 548 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property under attachments.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 3052 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of property by a lien holder, notice of sale and disposition of the proceeds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226, and 227 of, and to add two new sections to be numbered 224*m*, and 226*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 685—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 2220 of the Civil Code, relating to the purposes for which trusts may be created.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 694—An act to repeal sections 847 and 857 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts on real property.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 84—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll-bridge franchises by boards of supervisors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 11 and 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "an order, entered in its minutes", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ordinance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "order of extension", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ordinance".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 870—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one thousand five hundred dollars", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand dollars".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 126—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, following the word "amend", strike out the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out line 15 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "relating to street improvements."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, following the second word "section" in said line, strike out the numeral "9" and the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the following "one of an act entitled".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 of the printed bill between lines 14 and 15, insert the following

SECTION 1 Whenever the public interest or convenience may require, the legislative body of any city is hereby empowered to establish or change or modify the grade of any public street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or right of way in said city, or any portion thereof, and also the grade of the roadway of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts bridges or independent subterranean ways, in, on, under, over or through any public street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or other land of the city, or in, on, under, over or through any land in which and where the city may then have an easement or right of way therefor, and in any case when or where, in the opinion of said legislative body, any damage to private property would result from the improvement thereof, to order the whole or any part, either in length or width, of such public street, avenue lane, alley, court, place or right of way or other land of the city, in which and where the city may then have an easement or right of way therefor, to be improved to conform to such official grade by grading or regrading, paving or repaving, planking or replanking, macadamizing or remacadamizing, piling or repiling, capping or recapping, graveling or regraveling, oiling or reoiling, sewering or resewering, sidewalking or residewalking, curbing or recurbing, guttering or regut-

tering, or by the construction, reconstruction or repair or manholes, culverts, cesspools, conduits, crosswalks, steps, parking or parkways, or by the construction, reconstruction or repair of poles, posts, wires, conduits, lamps and other appurtenances for the lighting thereof, or by the construction, reconstruction or repair of wells, pumps, dams, reservoirs, storage tanks, channels, tunnels, conduits, hydrants, pipes, meters or other appurtenances for supplying or distributing a domestic water supply; and also in any case where, in the opinion of said legislative body, any damage to private property would result from the construction, reconstruction or repair hereof, to order the construction, reconstruction or repair of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways, together with approaches thereto, and all appurtenances therefor, in, on, under, over or through any public street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or other land of the city, or in, on, under, over or through any land in which and where the city has an easement or right of way therefor, to the grade established for the roadway of such tunnel, subway, viaduct, bridge or independent subterranean way, and order the construction, reconstruction or repair of stormwater ditches or tunnels, or breakwaters, levees or walls of rock, or other materials, culverts, manholes, cesspools, conduits, subways, retaining walls, sewers, ditches, drains, and channels for sanitary and drainage purposes, or either or both thereof, with necessary outlets, catch-basins, flush-tanks, septic tanks, connecting sewers and other appurtenances, to protect the streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places or rights of way, or any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways which may be constructed as hereinabove provided, from overflow or injury by water or otherwise; and to order the doing of any other work which shall be necessary to improve the whole, or any portion of such street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or other land of the city, or any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways, which may have been constructed, or which shall be constructed, under the proceedings provided in this act. This act shall apply equally in cases where the official grade of any public street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or right of way, or of the roadway of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways, in, on, under, over or through any public street, avenue, lane, alley, court, place or other land of the city, or in, on, under, over or through any land in which and where the city may then have an easement or right of way therefor has previously been established or changed, and where such grade is established, modified or changed in whole or in part by the same proceedings by which the improvement is ordered, if in the opinion of the legislative body of the city, damage will result to private property from the making of the improvement contemplated by the proceedings.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 35, of the printed bill, following the word "sureties", strike out the period and the word "The" following, and insert in lieu thereof the words "upon the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions

of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to numbering parcels on map, size of map, and making and filing thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "subdivision", and insert in lieu thereof the words "and public highways other than alleys."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, between lines 48 and 49, insert a new paragraph as follows

Fifth—The lines bounding the exterior of the whole tract or parcel of land with their courses and distances.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, following the word "invalid", insert the words "a contract for sale of or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "surveys", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the words "except that nothing in this act shall be construed as prohibiting the sale of parcels of land more than five acres in area by metes and bounds description referring to a map filed in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891, as amended."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 39 of the printed bill, strike out the word "voluntarity", and insert in lieu thereof the word "voluntarily".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 767—An act to amend sections 5 and 6½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "sections five and", and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "5", and insert in lieu thereof the words "six and one-half".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with line 6 thereof, strike out all printed matter down to and including line 10 on page 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Lyons moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 52 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products on commission and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products on commission; to provide under certain contingencies for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 217 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 826 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—54

NOES—Baum, Feigenbaum, Fry, Jacobson, Miller, James A., Oliva, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. J. J. MURPHY IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., Hon. J. J. Murphy, member of the Assembly from the First Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California, situated in Los Angeles County,

approved May 18, 1925, relating to land along King Road, granted to Los Angeles.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 959 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*a*, authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department, or either of them.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1280 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 255 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-eight minutes a.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND FIFTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1056 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Ball, Deuel, Heisinger, and Murphy—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1272 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and forty-two minutes a.m, further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Lyons.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 14 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—51.
NOES—Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—23.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 14 was this day passed.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL FROM COMMITTEE.

Mr. Byrne moved that Assembly Bill No. 742 be withdrawn from Committee on Public Utilities and placed on file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw bill.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 742 from committee lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Williams, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—31.
NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, and Witter—43.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 1288 from Committee on Ways and Means and re-refer to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-nine minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release or parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 7¼, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "Convict's Benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HAWES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 762—An act to amend section 594¼ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance and the reserves required in certain classes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases—has had the same under

consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts, approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

OLIVA, Chairman.
GANT.
JESPERSEN.
HEDGES.
MELVILLE.
CLOWDSLEY.
JOST
MURPHY.
ROBERTS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9, and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*d*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees, and city boards of education pertaining to the funds and financial transactions of school organizations composed largely or wholly of pupils in the public elementary and secondary schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act" approved May 30, 1923, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend section 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive, and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing

penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, relating to the reporting of contagious diseases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1668 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decree to be made after notice;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the nineteenth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Approving the charter of the city of Albany, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Albany, upon a special election held therein on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the nineteenth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to an investigation and report upon educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf;

Also: Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for the creation of a commission for the study of the problem of public education beyond the high school grade in California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 152—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to the public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into congressional districts and defining and establishing such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CRITTENDEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 281—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*h*;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making

an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State Commissioner thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exacting of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property of equivalent value, providing for the protection of money put up as a cash bond and providing penalties for violation of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 414 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Leuehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 263—An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act—report that we have met with a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Weller, Chamberlin and Allen, N. M., and we report that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed and recommends that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that Assembly Bill No. 263 be further amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill as amended in Senate April 7, 1927, strike out the comma after the word "establishment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 7, 1927, after the word "hospitals", add a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 7, 1927, after the word "eggs", add a comma.

SCUDDER,
ADAMS,
FISHER,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

WELLER,
CHAMBERLIN,
ALLEN, N. M.,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Noyes, Oliva, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint, and enrollment.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Mr. Sewell moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Noyes moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 681 was passed be reconsidered.

The question being on the motion to reconsider.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Noyes moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Sewell, Cloudman and Walters, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Bernard Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Wilhams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—37.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Jost, Little, Mixter, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, and Woolwine—17.

Time, two o'clock and thirty-two minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy,

Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Gant moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1015 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Miller, James A., moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 772 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

HON. THOMAS J. LENEHAN IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Thomas J. Lenehan, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 294 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—65.

NOES—Heisinger and Roland—2.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 294 was this day passed.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-four minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 262—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 36*a*, relating to the disaffirmance of life insurance contracts by minors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 262 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wittet, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Adams, Bernard, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Leymel, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Wright—18.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHRIS N. JESPERSEN IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p m., Hon. Chris N. Jespersen, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-third Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 397—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 397 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for purpose of obtaining counsel.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 401 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—53.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Coombs, Flynn, Gant, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, and Williamson—10.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 402—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 402 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—59.

NOES—Coombs, Crittenden, and Gant—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty-eight minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 403 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Coombs, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Walters, Witter, and Woolwine—15

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and forty-two minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Noyes.

The roll of absentees was called, and the motion of Mr. Noyes for reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 681 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Bernard, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, and Wright—36.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—41.

Assembly Bill No. 681 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Hornblower moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 117 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The question being on the motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 117.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Wright, Spalding and Eddy the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—39.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Brock, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, and Wright—28.

Time, four o'clock and twelve minutes p m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

HON. RAY WILLIAMSON IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and twenty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Ray Williamson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Lenehan:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier

State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Gant:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Cloudman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, relating to county jails.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Byrne:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled, "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jespersen:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Gant: An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

By Mr. Cloudman: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041a, relating to county jails.

By Mr. Lenehan: An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

By Mr. Byrne: An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriation for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time

By Mr. Jespersen: An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 20, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 3 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill and Senate Bill No. 398 have been passed by the Senate and Assembly. Both bills propose amendments to section 925 of the Penal Code, but neither bill embraces the amendments contained in the other. I am informed that there was no opposition to these bills in either house and the authors have therefore consented to

introduce a new bill embracing the amendments proposed in both Senate Bill No. 398 and Assembly Bill No 3.

I am therefore withholding approval in order to avoid conflicting amendments to the same code section.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C YOUNG, Governor.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Hornblower.

The roll of absentees was called, and the motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 117 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scudder, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—36.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—43.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on attaches respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be stricken from the roll, to date from and including the twenty-third day of April, 1927:

Faith Brann, stenographer at	$5 00 per day
Beatrice Rae, stenographer at	5 00 per day
Eda Rowland, stenographer at	5 00 per day
Myrtle La Montaine, stenographer at	5 00 per day
Sibyl D. Longchamps, stenographer at	5 00 per day

Respectfully submitted.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Reindollar, the above report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "districts", insert the following: "two,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed amended bill, after the word "districts", insert the following: "two,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 524, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 36, 41, 55, 58, 60, 63, 69, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 142, 147, 148 and 151, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 19½ and 45½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators and chauffeurs, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of this act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Nielsen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 20 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 14, 1927, after the period at the end of line 22 thereof, insert the following:

(b) No person shall engage in the business of soliciting or receiving any application for the registration, re-registration or transfer of registration of any motor vehicle or for any nonresident permit for the operation of any motor vehicle within this state nor for any operator's or chauffeur's license and of transmitting or presenting the same to the division of motor vehicles or any branch office thereof when any compensation is solicited or received for any such service without first obtaining from the division of motor vehicles and having in possession a permit to engage in such business, and a violation of this provision and every separate act done in violation of this provision shall constitute a misdemeanor. The chief of the division of motor vehicles is hereby authorized to promulgate and enforce rules and regulations governing the issuance of permits and in proper instances in the discretion of the chief of the division to issue permits hereunder and to revoke such permits upon any violation of the rules and regulations adopted hereunder by the division.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 30, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 14, 1927, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided* that the left front clearance lamp on any passenger common carrier motor vehicle may display either a white or green light."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 30, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 14, 1927, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the words "not to exceed two"; and in line 16, strike out the words "and no more".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Nielsen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 638, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NIELSEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "marriage", strike out the period and add the following: "and shall not be construed as repealing or limiting the provisions of section 204 of this code; *provided, further*, that upon the lawful marriage of any female of the age of eighteen years or over but under the age of twenty-one years, such female shall be deemed an adult person for the purpose of entering into any engagement or transaction respecting property or any contract, the same as if such person was over twenty-one years of age."

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 428, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein."
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Nielsen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, after the word "college" in line 40, strike out the semicolon, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, in line 40 strike out the word "pro-", and strike out all of lines 41, 42 and 43, and in line 44 strike out "fee to be fixed by the junior college board."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Nielsen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 430, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NIELSEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, and ordered printed in the Journal.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

To the Members of the Assembly of the State of California.

Many matters of importance have come before your honorable body in making laws for the humanitarian and educational benefit of the people of our great State.

In the years that have passed many good laws and good deeds have been done by the legislatures of our State; but as time goes on we can find many things yet undone. To reach our ideals and complete our program for the good of all the people, as far as it is possible to complete such a program, we have many things to learn that will be of benefit to us as time goes on for such measures that some day we must enact to fully realize our dreams, our hopes and the ideals which we all hope some day to see enacted for the benefit of us all.

No matter, gentlemen, how wise we may be, or how old in years we may get, we can always be enlightened on matters that will help us to accomplish the good which we all aspire to do.

Our hopes and dreams, our ideals are to bring to the masses of our State a happier and more contented life, for those who are in life work today. And, above all, to see a happier, more healthful life for the childhood of today. To bring their young lives into manhood and womanhood with contentment when they take our places as we pass over the bend of the old trail.

It has come to our attention that a real honest-to-God three-act drama is to be shown at the new Sacramento Auditorium Saturday night, April 23d. This play is called "R. U. R." (Rossum's Universal Robots). This drama will bring to us true thought, true reason, and will enlighten us on many subjects that will be of value to us as lawmakers in the future. "R. U. R." is a human play, played by human actors, and those of us in the Legislature who are here Saturday night will not waste their time if they attend this drama.

The play is under the auspices of the Dredge Engineers—men who in the years that have passed turned our fever-infested valleys into fertile fields; men who have spent their lives in helping to make our cities and the valley safe from the flood waters, that you and I may live in safety, in the cities and on the farms of this great State of ours.

We hope that every legislator that is in the city Saturday night, April 23d, will attend this drama, "R. U. R."

Request of

DREDGE ENGINEERS.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, April 7, 1927, Friday, April 8, 1927, Monday, April 11, 1927, Tuesday, April 12, 1927, and Wednesday, April 13, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Gant: Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, relating to county jails.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lenehan: Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties

for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Jespersen: Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution of the State, relating to the compensation of county officers and jurors;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by repealing the first numbered section 11 of article VI, proposed by the forty-fifth session of the Legislature as Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2 and approved and ratified by the people at the general election held November 4, 1924, by amending sections 3, 4, 5 and 13 of said article and by adding to said article new sections to be numbered 4*a*, 4*b*, 4*c* and 11*a*, relating to courts of record and inferior courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27 read and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12 read and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relative to salaries in the Insurance Commissioner's office;

Also: Senate Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 218—An act appropriating money to be expended by the reclamation board for general administrative purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 356—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 417—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 427—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans and to select the site for a separate penal institution for women offenders.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 52 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 204 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 218 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 356 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 417 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 427 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 805—An act to amend sections 749, 755 and 756 of the Political Code, and to provide for the appointment, employment and compensation of phonographic reporters, assistants, secretaries and librarian and other employees of the Supreme Court of the State of California, and for the salaries and expenses incurred by the said court under the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend section 767 of the Political Code to provide for the salaries of the reporter and assistant reporters of the decisions of the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, and repealing sections 739, 751½, 769, 770, 2313, 2314, 2315 and 2316 of the Political Code, and sections 265, 266 and 268 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also: Senate Bill No. 873—An act to provide for the impounding and utilization of the waters of the American River for flood control, river flow control and equation, domestic use, irrigation, reclamation, power development, or any one or more of such or other public uses; authorizing the State Department of Finance to acquire for the State property useful in connection therewith; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments and of public and private agencies in relation thereto; authorizing the leasing of property of the State for any one or more of such uses and specifying certain terms and conditions to which said lease shall be subject; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 805 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 873 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte;

Also: Senate Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Senate Bill No. 510—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, pleasure piers, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way and easements of the public, including any right of way of which immediate possession and use has been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements;

Also: Senate Bill No. 701—An act to amend Political Code by adding thereto a section to be known as section 633*aa*, relating to license to act as life insurance broker.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 103 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 368 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 510 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 701 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a Bureau or Department of Publicity;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 22 of article IV thereof, relating to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to amend section 206 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the selection of jurors in counties of the first class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322*x*5 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the fifth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to consolidation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, relating to declaratory relief;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to amend section 34 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers" approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to the abolishing of "Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District Fund, Sutter-Butte By-pass Assessment Number Six Emergency Fund" and providing that the moneys in said fund shall be used, expended and disbursed in accordance with, pursuant to and for the purposes set forth in chapter 556 of the Statutes of the State of California for the legislative session of the year 1919, directing the State Controller to draw his warrant and make all necessary transfers and entries concerning the moneys in said fund, directing the State Treasurer to pay the warrant and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x*40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments

thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the Water Commission Act, approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to water rights;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title X*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h*, of the Code of Civil Procedure to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 927*p*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of Public Defender, to provide for the election of such officers and prescribing their duties and compensation," approved May 24, 1921, relating to the compensation of public defender;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610½, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals, and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases;

Also Assembly Bill No 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also. Assembly Bill No 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers, of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the State, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 17, 1909, as amended, relating to the classification of counties into agricultural districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of act in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 7½, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "convict's benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "land", strike out the following: "and providing that the average net monthly rental shall be not more than eight dollars per room in such apartment, tenement or dwelling house erected thereon," and insert in lieu thereof, a period.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 8 to 22, inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the state board of education as trustees of the said state historical association".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, on page 2 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Sec. 3", insert the following: "The trustees of the state historical association are hereby authorized to receive contributions, donations and bequests from members of the said association or from other sources."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the words "Treasures as a", insert the following: "state historical association".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Strike out all of lines 11 to 15, inclusive, of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

SEC. 4. The title to all property, records and archives formerly held by the California historical survey commission is hereby vested in the State of California to be administered through the state board of education as trustees of the California state historical association.

SEC. 5. Out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the support of the California state historical association during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 6, 7 and that portion of line 8 preceding the word "midshipman", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fornia point to San Quentin point, and that portion of San Francisco bay lying westerly of a line drawn from San Quentin point to San Pedro point, in Marin county, and that portion of San Pablo bay lying westerly of a line drawn from San Pedro point to the south side of the mouth of Novato creek, and that portion of San Pablo bay lying northerly of a line drawn from the south side of the mouth of Novato creek to".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six", and in lieu thereof insert the word "twelve".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "both", and in lieu thereof insert the word "all".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "parties", and before the word "to", insert the words "to the action".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Com-

missioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "He shall receive" and all of lines 16 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Each of the members of said board shall receive as compensation for their services such amount as may be determined from time to time by the board."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and the words "appropriated therefor by law.", in line 6.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the words "general fund.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "board of pilot commissioners special fund, which fund is hereby created."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 16 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 26. The moneys deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the board of pilot commissioners special fund are hereby appropriated without regard to fiscal years for the carrying out of the purposes of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*d*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees, and city boards of education pertaining to the funds and financial transactions of school organizations composed largely or wholly of pupils in the public elementary and secondary schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections one, three, fourteen and fifteen of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with line 1, strike out all the material in lines 1 to 12, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read, or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. (*a*) The first full week in October in the year 1927, and the first full week in October every third year thereafter shall be designated as official registration week for minors under the age of eighteen years and over the age of sixteen years in every high school district wherein there were three hundred or more pupils

in average daily attendance in the regular day classes of the high schools as shown by the principals' annual report for the preceding school year.

(*b*) On or before the fifteenth day of September in each year in which a registration of minors is required by law, the high school board of each district subject to the provisions of this act shall appoint a principal, teacher, or other qualified person to serve as registrar of minors and it shall be the duty of said registrar to prepare on or before November first a register, on a form prescribed by the superintendent of public instruction, of all minors under eighteen years of age and over sixteen years of age residing within the boundaries of said district as shown by the registration of minors made in accordance with section 1610*a* of the Political Code.

(*c*) If such register shall indicate that there are thirty or more minors subject to the provisions of this act as hereinafter provided, living within the boundaries of the high school district and for whom suitable transportation is available, and who are not subject to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of the act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, the high school board must establish and maintain, under the provisions of section 1750*c* of the Political Code, special classes designed to meet the needs of such minors.

(*d*) If such register shall indicate less than thirty but twenty or more than twenty minors subject to the provisions of this act, the high school board may, in its discretion, maintain such classes as are approved by the state department of education.

(*e*) Classes for minors under eighteen and over sixteen must be maintained not earlier than the hour of eight a.m. and not later than the hour of five p.m.

SEC. 2. Section 3 of said act, approved May 27, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 3. (*a*) (1) All persons under eighteen years of age who are too old to be subject to the provisions of an act entitled, "An act to enforce the educational rights of children, and providing penalties for the violation of the act", approved March 24, 1903, as amended, who have not graduated from a high school maintaining a four-year course above the eighth grade of the elementary school, or who have not had an equal amount of education in a private school or by private tuition, who are not disqualified for attendance upon these classes because of their physical or mental condition or because of personal service that must be rendered to their dependents, who reside within the legal boundaries of the high school district and for whom suitable transportation is available to special part-time classes maintained, either voluntarily or under the provisions of this act by a high school district, and who are not in attendance upon a public or private full-time day school or satisfactory part-time classes maintained by other agencies, shall be, and hereby are, required to attend upon a special part-time class maintained by the high school board of the district wherein they reside, or by the high school board of an adjoining district, for not less than four sixty-minute hours per week for the regularly established annual school term if they be regularly employed; *provided*, that the local school authorities may accept in lieu thereof not less than one hundred forty-four hours of attendance which, beginning with the opening of the high schools of the district for the year, shall be accumulated at the rate of not less than four sixty-minute hours per week; *and provided, further*, that the local school authorities may, in their discretion, arrange with the parents, guardian or other person responsible for any minor for his full-time attendance upon a special class maintained for such minor at a convenient season, wherein he may secure the one hundred forty-four hours of attendance required of him under the provisions of this act. When any such parent, guardian or other person responsible for such minor agrees with the local school authorities that said minor shall attend full-time classes for any given period, such parent, guardian or other person becomes responsible for said minor's compulsory attendance upon these classes for said period.

(2) On and after July 1, 1928, all minors under seventeen years of age and on and after July 1, 1929, all minors under eighteen years of age who are subject to the provisions of section 3 (*a*) (1) of this act and who are unable to furnish school officials satisfactory proof of regular employment shall be required to attend part-time classes designed to meet their needs for twenty sixty-minute hours per week during whatever part of the regularly established school term the high school board of the district shall determine.

(*b*) All persons over eighteen and under twenty-one years of age who can not speak, read or write the English language to a degree of proficiency equal to that required for the completion of the sixth grade of the elementary schools of this state; who live within a radius of three miles of an evening class maintained by a high school district, either voluntarily or under the provisions of this act, for the instruction of such persons; who expect to remain in the district for a period of two or more months; who are not disqualified for attendance upon these classes because of their physical or mental condition, or because of personal service that must be rendered to their dependents; and who are not in attendance upon a public or private full-time day school or upon a class established under the provisions of sec-

tion 1 of this act for such persons under eighteen years of age, shall be, and hereby are, required to attend, for at least four sixty-minute hours per week, upon a special day or evening class maintained by a high school district for persons who can not speak, read or write the English language.

SEC. 3. Section 14 of said act, approved May 27, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 14 Should it appear that the interest of any minor would suffer if he were compelled to attend a special part-time class under the provisions of this act, he may appeal for exemption to the part-time exemption board, which board is hereby created Said board shall consist of three members, one appointed by the judge of the juvenile court, the principal of the high school under whose jurisdiction said minor would be placed, and the probation officer having immediate jurisdiction in said district

Whenever *any minor* is exempted by the exemption board said board shall cause to be issued to any such exempted minor a combined school enrollment certificate and permit to work which shall contain a statement of the cause of, and the time covered by, such exemption.

SEC. 4 Section 15 of said act, approved May 27, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 15. The high school board of each district subject to the provisions of this act is hereby empowered to provide placement service for the minors subject to the provisions of this act

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1720, 1750*a*, and 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 3, of the amended printed bill, following the figures "1617", insert the following: "First—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, following line 30, of the amended printed bill, insert the following:

Second—The board of school trustees of any school district not situated in a high school district maintaining a junior high school course, may permit pupils of their district who have completed the sixth year of the elementary school, to attend any junior high school course in any high school district, and may pay to such high school district for the education of such pupils, by order on the county superintendent of schools, a tuition charge which shall be agreed upon by such board of school trustees and the high school board maintaining such junior high school course; *provided*, that such board of school trustees shall not pay a tuition charge greater than the average net cost per pupil for educating pupils in the first six years of the elementary school district wherein they reside, as ascertained by the county superintendent of schools, *and provided, further*, that said tuition charge shall cease to be paid after the pupil has completed two years of work in such junior high school course; *and provided, further*, that the average daily attendance of all pupils from a district paying such tuition enrolled in the first two years of such junior high school course, shall be kept separate and shall be credited to the elementary school district in which said pupils reside.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend", add the following: "sections thirty and seventy-seven of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amended", strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "relating to the chief of the division of motor vehicles and registration fees."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word, figure and period "Section 1.", add the following: "Section 30 of the "California vehicle act" approved May 30, 1923, as amended is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 30. The chief of the division of motor vehicles shall have power, from time to time, to adopt, select and designate a distinctive uniform to be worn by all state inspectors, at large, state inspectors and traffic officers. He may from time to time, adopt, select and designate the kind and size and design of any badge, shield or star, to be worn by all state inspectors at large, state inspectors and traffic officers. All state inspectors at large, state inspectors and traffic officers, as part of such distinctive uniform shall wear a cap upon which shall be placed a distinctive insignia. The chief of the division of motor vehicles, shall have power, from time to time to adopt, select, designate and provide the kind and size and design of such insignia.

It shall be unlawful for any person not lawfully authorized, to use, wear or display, any insignia adopted by the chief of the division of motor vehicles.

SEC. 2. Section 77 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 77. (*a*) A registration fee of three dollars shall be paid to the division for the registration of every motor vehicle, trailer, or semitrailer, except for those which are exempted in this act, and such fee shall be paid at the time application is made for registration.

(*b*) In addition to the registration fee specified in subdivision (*a*) of this section, there shall be paid for the registration of every electric passenger motor vehicle a registration fee of ten dollars, and for the registration of every electric motor vehicle designed, used or maintained primarily for the transportation of passengers for hire, or for the transportation of property, there shall be paid fees according to the following schedule:

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, less than six thousand pounds $40 00
For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, six thousand pounds or more, but less than ten thousand pounds---------- 60 00
For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, ten thousand pounds or more-- 80 00

(*c*) The following registration fees in addition to the registration fee specified in subdivision (*a*) of this section shall be paid for the registration of vehicles, including trailers and semitrailers, designed, used or maintained primarily for the transportation of passengers for hire or for the transportation of property, according to the following table, except that the fees specified in this subsection need not be paid for electric vehicles, trailers and semitrailers weighing not to exceed five hundred pounds unladen nor for vehicles used exclusively in the transportation of free delivery mails nor for motor vehicles of delivery type equipped wholly with pneumatic tires weighing not to exceed two thousand pounds, nor for pneumatic tired vehicles of the pleasure type, except those used in the transportation of persons for hire.

When such vehicles are equipped wholly or partly with other than pneumatic tires:

For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, less than three thousand pounds ----------$10 00
For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, three thousand pounds or more but less than six thousand pounds---------- 20 00
For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, six thousand pounds or more but less than ten thousand pounds---------- 30 00
For each such vehicle weighing, when unladen, ten thousand pounds or more-- 40 00

When such vehicles are equipped wholly with pneumatic tires there shall be paid in addition to the fees specified in subdivision (*a*) of this section fees according to the weight thereof unladen amounting to one-half the fees set forth in the foregoing table.

Upon registration issued after the beginning of the registration year, the fees required under subdivisions (*b*) and (*c*) of this section shall be reduced by one-fourth for each three months which shall have elapsed since the beginning of the registration year.

(*d*) If the license tax provided for by that certain act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," heretofore or hereafter adopted by the Legislature at its forty-fifth session is held by the supreme court of the State of California, or by the supreme court of the United States, to be unconstitutional then beginning with the first year next succeeding the date upon which such decision becomes final there shall be paid upon and for the registration and reregistration of every motor vehicle with the division of motor vehicles, in addition to any other fees imposed by law, a registration fee of five dollars for every electric motor vehicle and for every other motor vehicle a fee amounting to the sum of forty cents for each horsepower or major fraction thereof of such motor vehicle and a proportionate amount thereof for the registration of such vehicle for a period of less than one year. The horsepower of any motor vehicle, except eletric or steam driven vehicles, shall be determined by the formula commonly known as that of the association of licensed automobile manufacturers (A. L. A. M.), being as follows: square the diameter of the cylinder in inches, multiply by the number of cylinders, and divide by two and five-tenths; *provided*, that for the purpose hereof the horsepower of any team driven motor vehicle shall be the horsepower rating fixed and advertised by the manufacturer thereof. In the event that registration fees for electric motor vehicles and fees based on horsepower as hereinabove specified shall be collected, all such fees shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund of the State of California, and shall be distributed and used for such purposes as may be provided by law for the distribution and use of said motor vehicle fund; *and provided, further*, that in the event the provisions of this section, relative to registration fees, based upon horsepower rating, shall become effective the provisions of this section contained in subdivision (*a*) and (*b*) shall be deemed to be superseded.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after the word "and", insert the following . "not including".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1927, after the words "fourth class", insert the following: "or seventeenth class".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 21, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 21, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Nielsen moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barker, Harriet Dorothy Barker and Charles H. Barker of San Andreas were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Hon. Clarke Howard of Placerville, former superior judge, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Messrs. Peter H. Mass, Abram E. Cohn and E. L. Hawk of the Grand Army of the Republic of San Francisco and Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, C. E. Holen, Miss Esther Darlington and R. E. Arp, teachers of the Roseville Union High School, and the following students of the Americanization class: Thomas Johnson, Edward Kustel, Ernest Bertucci, William Davis, George Mavrias, Peter Adams, Frank Belluomini, George Pantazes, Nick Sorich, Americo Tofanelli, Lily Mandich, Tony Palomeres, Frank Palomeres, Angel Crespillo, George Munday, Jacob Schmidt, John Kurkoff, William

Hess, Bernardino Ventura and Fritz Andersen were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

CITY OF SAN DIEGO, April 18, 1927.

Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: Herewith is enclosed copy of a resolution adopted this morning by the common council urging the passage of Assembly Bill No. 1091.

Very truly yours,

ALLEN H. WRIGHT, City Clerk.

Resolution No. 41322.

WHEREAS This common council has been the recipient of many complaints arising out of the sale of property for delinquent street assessments, for the reason that said sales have been made without sufficient notice to the property owner; and

WHEREAS, Property of the value of thousands of dollars has been sold for nonpayment of small assessments amounting to a few dollars; and

WHEREAS, This common council is of the opinion that said complaints result from the inadequacy of the present laws concerning the giving of notice to property owners for unpaid assessments for street improvements, and that the situation could be corrected by legislation which will provide for such notice; and

WHEREAS, This common council has been informed that Assembly Bill No. 1091 now pending before the State Legislature is designed to provide for notice of all delinquent assessments to be stamped on the regular tax statements issued by the tax collectors of various cities; and

WHEREAS, This common council believes said legislation if adopted will correct the evils now complained of in this and other cities throughout the State, and that in the interest of property owners this bill should be adopted, now, therefore be it

Resolved, By the common council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

That the common council respectfully urges the Legislature of the State of California to pass Assembly Bill No. 1091 for the benefit of property owners who are compelled to pay assessments for street improvements, and respectfully urges Senator Edwin A. Mueller and Assemblymen Crowell D. Eddy and Byron J. Walters to support said measure, and to do all in their power to urge the adoption of said Assembly Bill No. 1091; and be it further

Resolved, That the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to Senator Edwin A. Mueller and Assemblymen Crowell D. Eddy and Byron J. Walters, and to the Speaker of the Assembly and to the President of the Senate.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Resolution No. 41322, as adopted by the common council of the city of San Diego on the eighteenth day of April, 1927.

[SEAL] ALLEN H. WRIGHT.
City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California.
By FRED W. SICK, Deputy.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relat-

ing to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend sections 1073 and 1174 of the Political Code, relating to elections supplies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*f*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, and 26 and to repeal sections 12 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange Fund and a revolving fund;

to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of constables and sheriffs in the service and levy of writs, notices and other process issued by justices of the peace or justice's courts in civil actions or proceedings,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use or occupancy, of any estate in real property;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:
By Mr. Morrison:

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of State Fire Marshal, to provide for his powers and duties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 23, 1923, relating to the appointment of fire inspectors.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into congressional districts, and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "larceny", add the words "subsequent to the procuring of his or her license".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 281—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*h*.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "amend section eight of", and insert in lieu thereof the words "add a new section to be numbered eight *h* to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 4 and 5 of the title of the amended printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "approved March 6, 1907, as amended."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out "Section 8 of", and insert in lieu thereof "A new section to be numbered 8*h* is hereby added to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "is hereby amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

Beginning with line 5, on page 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 48 on page 3.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced:

By Messrs. Foster and Heisinger: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35—Relative to the installation of ventilating systems in the Assembly and Senate Chambers

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Heisinger asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35, at this time, without reference to committee and ordered on file for adoption.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35 ordered on file for adoption.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Miller, James A., waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 772 was passed

Assembly Bill No. 772 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Smith moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 294 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 294 reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED NINETY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Smith moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "restraints upon alienation", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the lease of tidelands, submerged lands and lands adjacent thereto".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "of service or" and insert in lieu thereof the words "or service of".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Smith as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 294, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SMITH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors, and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 651 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industries; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1244 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. N. V. WEMPLE IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. N. V. Wemple, member of the Assembly from the Fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend sections 5 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to records to be kept by distributors and to the disposition of license taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

Assembly Bill No. 32—An act to amend sections 5 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to records to be kept by distributors and to the disposition of license taxes.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 32 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—42.

NOES—Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Sewell, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—30.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 901 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments

to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searchers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Rochester moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 9 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "an act to prohibit intoxicating beverages".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 16, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Whenever used in this act (1) the word "liquor" or the phrase "intoxicating liquor" shall be construed to include alcohol, brandy, whisky, rum, gin, beer, ale, porter, and wine, and in addition thereto any spirituous, vinous, malt, or fermented liquor, liquids, and compounds, whether medicated, proprietary, patented, or not, and by whatever name called, containing one-half of one per centum or more of alcohol by volume which are fit for use for beverage purposes; *provided*, that the foregoing definition shall not extend to dealcoholized wine nor to any beverage or liquid produced by the process by which beer, ale, porter or wine is produced if it contains less than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume, and is otherwise denominated than as beer, ale, or porter.

(2) The word "person" shall mean and include natural persons, associations, copartnerships, and corporations

(3) The term "application" shall mean a formal written request supported by a verified statement of facts showing that the district attorney of the appropriate county may grant the request

(4) The term "permit" shall mean a formal written authorization by the district attorney of the appropriate county setting forth specifically therein the things that are authorized

(5) The term "bond" shall mean an obligation authorized or required by or under this act executed in such form and for such a penal sum as may be required by a court, or the district attorney of the appropriate county.

Any act authorized to be done by the district attorney of the appropriate county may be performed by any assistant or agent designated by him for that purpose. Records required to be filed with the district attorney of the appropriate county may be filed with an assistant district attorney or other person designated by the district attorney to receive such records

SEC. 2. The sheriff of the several counties, his assistants, agents and inspectors and the law enforcing officers of each and every incorporated city or town within this state are hereby charged with the duty of prosecuting offenders hereunder, and such district attorneys, their assistants, agents and inspectors may swear out warrants before courts of competent jurisdiction authorized to use the same for the apprehension of such offenders, and the district attorneys of the several counties, their assistants or agents may conduct the prosecution at the committing trial for the purpose of having the offenders held for the action of a grand jury. Section 1014 of the revised statutes of the United States is hereby made applicable in the enforcement of this act. Officers mentioned in said section 1014 are authorized to use search warrants under the limitations provided in title 11 of the act approved June 15, 1917.

SEC. 3. No person shall on or after the date when the eighteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States goes into effect, manufacture, sell, barter, transport, import, export, deliver, furnish or possess any intoxicating liquor except as authorized in this act, and all the provisions of this act shall be liberally construed to the end that the use of intoxicating liquor as a beverage may be prevented.

Liquor for nonbeverage purposes and wine for sacramental purposes may be manufactured, purchased, sold, bartered, transported, imported, exported, delivered, furnished and possessed, but only as herein provided, and the district attorney of the appropriate county may, upon application, issue permits therefor; *provided*, that nothing in this act shall prohibit the purchase and sale of warehouse receipts covering distilled spirits on deposit in government bonded warehouses, and no special tax liability shall attach to the business of purchasing and selling such warehouse receipts.

SEC. 4. The articles enumerated in this section shall not, after having been manufactured and prepared for the market, be subject to the provisions of this act if they correspond with the following descriptions and limitations, namely:

(*a*) Denatured alcohol or denatured rum produced and used as provided by laws and regulations now or hereafter in force

(*b*) Medicinal preparations manufactured in accordance with formulas prescribed by the United States pharmacopoeia, national formulary or the American institute of homeopathy that are unfit for use for beverage purposes.

(*c*) Patented, patent, and proprietary medicines that are unfit for use for beverage purposes.

(*d*) Toilet, medicinal, and antiseptic preparations and solutions that are unfit for use for beverage purposes.

(*e*) Flavoring extracts and sirups that are unfit for use as a beverage, or for intoxicating beverage purposes

(*f*) Vinegar and preserved sweet cider.

A person who manufactures any of the articles mentioned in this section may purchase and possess liquor for that purpose, but he shall secure permits to manufacture such articles and to purchase such liquor, give the bonds, keep the records, and make the reports specified in this act. No such manufacturer shall sell, use, or dispose of any liquor otherwise than as an ingredient of the articles authorized to be manufactured therefrom No more alcohol shall be used in the manufacture of any extract, sirup, or the articles named in paragraphs *b*, *c*, and *d* of this section which may be used for beverage purposes than the quantity necessary for extraction or solution of the elements contained therein and for the preservation of the article.

Any person who shall knowingly sell any of the articles mentioned in paragraphs (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) of this section for beverage purposes, or any extract or sirup for intoxicating beverage purposes, or who shall sell any of the same under circumstances from which the seller might reasonably deduce the intention of the purchaser to use them for such purposes, or shall sell any beverage containing one-half of one per centum or more, of alcohol by volume in which any extract, sirup, or other article is used as an ingredient, shall be subject to the penalties provided in section 29 of this act If the district attorney of the appropriate county shall find, after notice and hearing as provided for in section 5 of this act, that any person has sold any flavoring extract, sirup, or beverage in violation of this paragraph, he shall notify such person, and any known principal for whom the sale was made, to desist from selling such article; and it shall thereupon be unlawful for a period of one year thereafter for any person so notified to sell any such extract, sirup, or beverage without making an application for, giving a bond, and obtaining a permit so to do, which permit may be issued upon such conditions as the district attorney of the appropriate county may deem necessary to prevent such illegal sales, and in addition the district attorney of the appropriate county shall require a record and report of sales

SEC. 5. Whenever the district attorney of the appropriate county has reason to believe that any article mentioned in section 4 does not correspond with the descriptions and limitations therein provided, he shall cause an analysis of said article to be made, and if, upon such analysis, the district attorney of the appropriate county shall find that said article does not so correspond, he shall give not less than fifteen days' notice in writing to the person who is the manufacturer thereof to show cause why said article should not be dealt with as an intoxicating liquor such notice to be served personally or by registered mail, as the district attorney of the appropriate county may determine, and shall specify the time when, the place where, and the name of the agent or official before whom such person is required to appear.

If the manufacturer of said article fails to show to the satisfaction of the district attorney of the appropriate county that the article corresponds to the descriptions and limitations provided in section 4 hereof, his permit to manufacture and sell such article shall be revoked. The manufacturer may by appropriate proceeding in a court of equity have the action of the district attorney of the appropriate county reviewed, and the court may affirm, modify, or reverse the finding of the district attorney of the appropriate county as the facts and law of the case may warrant, and during the pendency of such proceedings may restrain the manufacture, sale, or other disposition of such article.

SEC. 6. No one shall manufacture, sell, purchase, transport, or prescribe any liquor without first obtaining a permit from the district attorney of the appropriate county so to do, except that a person may, without a permit, purchase and use liquor for medicinal purposes when prescribed by a physician as herein provided, and except that any person who in the opinion of the district attorney of the appropriate county is conducting a bona fide hospital or sanatorium engaged in the treatment of persons suffering from alcoholism, may, under such rules, regulations, and conditions as the district attorney of the appropriate county shall prescribe, purchase and use, in accordance with the methods in use in such institution, liquor, to be administered to the patients of such institution under the direction of a duly qualified physician employed by such institution.

All permits to manufacture, prescribe, sell, or transport liquor, may be issued for one year, and shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next succeeding the issuance thereof, *provided*, that the district attorney of the appropriate county may without formal application or new bond extend any permit granted under this act or laws now in force after August thirty-first in any year to December thirty-first of the succeeding year; *provided, further*, that permits to purchase liquor for the purpose of manufacturing or selling as provided in this act shall not be in force to exceed ninety days from the day of issuance. A permit to purchase liquor for any other purpose shall not be in force to exceed thirty days. Permits to purchase liquor shall specify the quantity and kind to be purchased and the purpose for which it is to be used. No permit shall be issued to any person who within one year prior to the application therefor or issuance thereof shall have violated the terms of any permit issued under this act or any law of the United States or of this state regulating traffic in liquor. No permit shall be issued to anyone to sell liquor at retail, unless the sale is to be made through a pharmacist designated in the permit and duly licensed under the laws of this state to compound and dispense medicine prescribed by a duly licensed physician. No one shall be given a permit to prescribe liquor unless he is a physician duly licensed to practice medicine and actively engaged in the practice of such profession. Every permit shall be in writing, dated when issued, and signed by the district attorney of the appropriate county or his authorized agent. It shall give the name and address of the person to whom it is issued and shall designate and limit the acts that are permitted and the time when and place where such acts may be performed. No permit shall be issued until a verified, written application shall have been made therefor, setting forth the qualification of the applicant and the purpose for which the liquor is to be used.

The district attorney of the appropriate county may prescribe the form of all permits and applications and the facts to be set forth therein. Before any permit is granted the district attorney of the appropriate county may require a bond in such form and amount as he may prescribe to insure compliance with the terms of the permit and the provisions of this act. In the event of the refusal by the district attorney of the appropriate county of any application for a permit, the applicant may have a review of his decision before a court of competent jurisdiction.

Nothing in this title shall be held to apply to the manufacture, sale, transportation, importation, possession, or distribution of wine for sacramental purposes, or like religious rites, except section 6 (save as the same requires a permit to purchase) and section 10 hereof, and the provisions of this act prescribing penalties for the violation of either of said sections. No person to whom a permit may be issued to manufacture, transport, import, or sell wines for sacramental purposes or like religious rites shall sell, barter, exchange or furnish any such to any person not a rabbi, minister of the gospel, priest, or an officer duly authorized for the purpose by any church or congregation, nor to any such except upon an application duly subscribed by him, which application, authenticated as regulations may prescribe, shall be filed and preserved by the seller. The head of any conference or diocese or other ecclesiastical jurisdiction may designate any rabbi, minister, or priest to supervise the manufacture of wine to be used for the purposes and rites in this section mentioned, and the person so designated may, in the discretion of the district attorney of the appropriate county be granted a permit to supervise such manufacture.

SEC. 7. No one but a physician holding a permit to prescribe liquor shall issue any prescription for liquor. And no physician shall prescribe liquor unless after careful physical examination of the person for whose use such prescription is sought, or if such examination is found impracticable, then upon the best information obtainable, he in good faith believes that the use of such liquor as a medicine by such person is necessary and will afford relief to him from some known ailment. Not more than a pint of spirituous liquor to be taken internally shall be prescribed for use by the same person within any period of ten days and no prescription shall be filled more than once. Any pharmacist filling a prescription shall at the time indorse upon it over his own signature the word "canceled," together with the date when the liquor was delivered, and then make the same a part of the record that he is required to keep as herein provided.

Every physician who issues a prescription for liquor shall keep a record, alphabetically arranged in a book prescribed by the district attorney of the appropriate county, which shall show the date of issue, amount prescribed, to whom issued, the purpose or ailment for which it is to be used and directions for use, stating the amount and frequency of the dose.

SEC. 8. The district attorney of the appropriate county shall cause to be printed blanks for the prescriptions herein required and he shall furnish the same, free of cost, to physicians holding permits to prescribe. The prescription blanks shall be printed in book form and shall be numbered consecutively from one to one hundred, and each book shall be given a number, and the stubs in each book shall carry the same numbers as and be copies of the prescriptions. The books containing such stubs shall be returned to the district attorney of the appropriate county when the prescription blanks have been used, or sooner, if directed by the district attorney of the appropriate county. All unused, mutilated, or defaced blanks shall be returned

with the book. No physician shall prescribe and no pharmacist shall fill any prescription for liquor except on blanks so provided, except in cases of emergency, in which event a record and report shall be made and kept as in other cases.

SEC. 9. If at any time there shall be filed with the district attorney of the appropriate county a complaint under oath setting forth facts showing, or if the district attorney of the appropriate county has reason to believe, that any person who has a permit is not in good faith conforming to the provisions of this act, or has violated the laws of the United States relating to intoxicating liquor, the district attorney of the appropriate county or his agent shall immediately issue an order citing such persons to appear before him on a day named not more than thirty and not less than fifteen days from the date of service upon such permittee of a copy of the citation, which citation shall be accompanied by a copy of such complaint, or in the event that the proceedings be initiated by the district attorney of the appropriate county with a statement of the facts constituting the violation charged, at which time a hearing shall be had unless continued for cause. Such hearing shall be held within the judicial district and within fifty miles of the place where the offense is alleged to have occurred, unless the parties agree on another place. If it be found that such person has been guilty of wilfully violating any such laws, as charged, or has not in good faith conformed to the provisions of this act, such permit shall be revoked, and no permit shall be granted to such person within one year thereafter Should the permit be revoked by the district attorney of the appropriate county, the permittee may have a review of his decision before a court of competent jurisdiction. During the pendency of such action such permit shall be temporarily revoked

SEC. 10. No person shall manufacture, purchase for sale, sell or transport any liquor without making at the time a permanent record thereof showing in detail the amount and kind of liquor manufactured, purchased, sold, or transported, together with the names and addresses of the persons to whom sold, in case of sale, and the consignor and consignee in case of transportation, and the time and place of such manufacture, sale, or transportation The district attorney of the appropriate county may prescribe the form of such record, which shall at all times be open to inspection as in this act provided.

SEC 11 All manufacturers and wholesale or retail druggists shall keep as a part of the records required of them a copy of all permits to purchase on which a sale of any liquor is made, and no manufacturer or wholesale druggist shall sell or otherwise dispose of any liquor except at wholesale and only to persons having permits to purchase in such quantities

SEC 12 All persons manufacturing liquor for sale under the provisions of this act shall securely and permanently attach to every container thereof, as the same is manufactured, a label stating name of manufacturer, kind and quantity of liquor contained therein, and the date of its manufacture, together with the number of the permit authorizing the manufacture thereof, and all persons possessing such liquor in wholesale quantities shall securely keep and maintain such label thereon, and all persons selling at wholesale shall attach to every package of liquor, when sold, a label setting forth the kind and quantity of liquor contained therein, by whom manufactured, the date of sale, and the person to whom sold; which label shall likewise be kept and maintained thereon until the liquor is used for the purpose for which such sale was authorized.

SEC 13. It shall be the duty of every carrier to make a record at the place of shipment of the receipt of any liquor transported, and he shall deliver liquor only to persons who present to the carrier a verified copy of a permit to purchase which shall be made a part of the carrier's permanent record at the office from which delivery is made.

The agent of the common carrier is hereby authorized to administer the oath to the consignee in verification of the copy of the permit presented, who, if not personally known to the agent, shall be identified before the delivery of the liquor to him. The name and address of the person identifying the consignee shall be included in the record

SEC 14 It shall be unlawful for a person to use or induce any carrier, or any agent or employee thereof, to carry or ship any package or receptacle containing liquor without notifying the carrier of the true nature and character of the shipment. No carrier shall transport nor shall any person receive liquor from a carrier unless there appears on the outside of the package containing such liquor the following information

Name and address of the consignor or seller, name and address of the consignee, kind and quantity of liquor contained therein, and number of the permit to purchase or ship the same, together with the name and address of the person using the permit.

SEC. 15 It shall be unlawful for any consignee to accept or receive any package containing any liquor upon which appears a statement known to him to be false, or for any carrier or other person to consign, ship, transport, or deliver any such package, knowing such statement to be false

SEC. 16 It shall be unlawful to give to any carrier or any officer, agent, or person acting or assuming to act for such carrier an order requiring the delivery to any

person of any liquor or package containing liquor consigned to, or purporting or claimed to be consigned to a person, when the purpose of the order is to enable any person not an actual bona fide consignee to obtain such liquor.

SEC. 17. It shall be unlawful to advertise anywhere, or by any means or method, liquor, or the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale or furnishing of the same, or where, how, from whom, or at what price the same may be obtained. No one shall permit any sign or billboard containing such advertisement to remain upon one's premises. But nothing herein shall prohibit manufacturers and wholesale druggists holding permits to sell liquor from furnishing price lists with description of liquor for sale, to persons permitted to purchase liquor, or from advertising alcohol in business publications or trade journals circulating generally among manufacturers of lawful alcoholic perfumes, toilet preparations, flavoring extracts, medicinal preparations, and like articles: *provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall apply to newspapers published in foreign countries when mailed into this state.

SEC. 18. It shall be unlawful to advertise, manufacture, sell, or possess for sale any utensil, contrivance, machine, preparation, compound, tablet, substance, formula, direction or recipe advertised, designed, or intended for use in the unlawful manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

SEC. 19. No person shall solicit or receive, nor knowingly permit his employee to solicit or receive, from any person any order for liquor or give any information of how liquor may be obtained in violation of this act.

SEC. 20. Any person who shall be injured in person, property, means of support, or otherwise by any intoxicated person, or by reason of the intoxication of any person, whether resulting in his death or not, shall have a right of action against any person who shall, by unlawfully selling to or unlawfully assisting in procuring liquor for such intoxicated person, have caused or contributed to such intoxication, and in any such action such person shall have the right to recover actual and exemplary damages. In case of the death of either party, the action or the right of action given by this section shall survive to or against his or her executor or administrator, and the amount so recovered by either wife or child shall be his or her sole and separate property. Such action may be brought in any court of competent jurisdiction. In any case where parents shall be entitled to such damages, either the father or mother may sue alone therefor, but recovery by one of such parties shall be a bar to suit brought by the other.

SEC. 21. Any room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place where intoxicating liquor is manufactured, sold, kept, or bartered in violation of this act, and all intoxicating liquor and property kept and used in maintaining the same, is hereby declared to be a common nuisance, and any person who maintains such a common nuisance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars or be imprisoned for not more than one year, or both. If a person has knowledge or reason to believe that his room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place is occupied or used for the manufacture or sale of liquor contrary to the provision of this act, and suffers the same to be so occupied or used such room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place shall be subject to a lien for and may be sold to pay all fines and costs assessed against the person guilty of such nuisance for such violation, and any such lien may be enforced by action in any court having jurisdiction.

SEC. 22. An action to enjoin any nuisance defined in this act may be brought in the name of the people of the State of California, by the district attorney of the appropriate county, or other prosecuting officer of the state, or any subdivision thereof, or by their deputies or assistants. Such action shall be brought and tried as an action in equity and may be brought in any court having jurisdiction to hear and determine equity cases. If it is made to appear by affidavits or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the court, that such nuisance exists, a temporary writ of injunction shall forthwith issue restraining the defendant from conducting or permitting the continuance of such nuisance until the conclusion of the trial. If a temporary injunction is prayed for, the court may issue an order restraining the defendant and all other persons from removing or in any way interfering with the liquor or fixtures, or other things used in connection with the violation of this act constituting such nuisance. No bond shall be required in instituting such proceedings. It shall not be necessary for the court to find the property involved was being unlawfully used as aforesaid at the time of the hearing, but on finding that the material allegations of the petition are true, the court shall order that no liquors shall be manufactured, sold, bartered, or stored in such room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place, or any part thereof. And upon judgment of the court ordering such nuisance to be abated, the court may order that the room, house, building, structure, boat, vehicle, or place shall not be occupied or used for one year thereafter; but the court may, in its discretion, permit it to be occupied or used if the owner, lessee, tenant, or occupant thereof shall give bond with sufficient surety, to be approved by the court making the order, in the penal and liquidated sum of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, payable to the State of California, and

conditioned that intoxicating liquor will not thereafter be manufactured, sold, bartered, kept, or otherwise disposed of therein or thereon, and that he will pay all fines, costs, and damages that may be assessed for any violation of this act upon said property.

SEC. 23. That any person who shall, with intent to effect a sale of liquor, by himself, his employee, servant, or agent, for himself or any person, company, or corporation, keep or carry around on his person, or in a vehicle, or other conveyance whatever, or leave in a place for another to secure, any liquor, or who shall travel to solicit, or solicit, or take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of liquor in violation of this act and is guilty of a nuisance and may be restrained by injunction, temporary and permanent, from doing or continuing to do any of said acts or things. In such proceedings it shall not be necessary to show any intention on the part of the accused to continue such violations if the action is brought within sixty days following any such violation of the law. For removing and selling property in enforcing this act the officers shall be entitled to charge and receive the same fee as the sheriff of the county would receive for levying upon and selling property under execution, and for closing the premises and keeping them closed a reasonable sum shall be allowed by the court. Any violation of this act, upon any leased premises by the lessee or occupant thereof shall, at the option of the lessor, work a forfeiture of the lease.

SEC. 24. In the case of the violation of any injunction, temporary or permanent, granted pursuant to the provisions of this act, or a judge thereof, may summarily try and punish the defendant. The proceedings for punishment for contempt shall be commenced by filing with the clerk of the court from which such injunction issued information under oath setting out the alleged facts constituting the violation, whereupon the court or judge shall forthwith cause a warrant to issue under which the defendant shall be arrested. The trial may be had upon affidavits, or either party may demand the production and oral examination of the witness. Any person found guilty of contempt under the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment of not less than thirty days nor more than twelve months, or by both fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 25. It shall be unlawful to have or possess any liquor or property designed for the manufacture of liquor intended for use in violating this act or which has been so used, and no property rights shall exist in any such liquor or property. A search warrant may issue as provided in title XI of public law numbered twenty-four of the sixty-fifth congress, approved June 15, 1917, and such liquor, the containers thereof, and such property so seized shall be subject to such disposition as the court may make thereof. If it is found that such liquor or property was so unlawfully held or possessed, or had been so unlawfully used, the liquor, and all property designed for the unlawful manufacture of liquor, shall be destroyed, unless the court shall otherwise order. No search warrant shall issue to search any private dwelling occupied as such unless it is being used for the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquor, or unless it is in part used for some business purpose such as a store, shop, saloon, restaurant, hotel, or boarding house. The term "private dwelling" shall be construed to include the room or rooms used and occupied not transiently but solely as a residence in an apartment house, hotel, or boarding house. The property seized on any such warrant shall not be taken from the officer seizing the same on any writ of replevin or other like process.

SEC. 26. When the district attorney of the appropriate county, his assistants, inspectors, or any officer of the law shall discover any person in the act of transporting, in violation of the law, intoxicating liquors, in any wagon, buggy, automobile, water or air craft, or other vehicle, it shall be his duty to seize any and all intoxicating liquors found therein being transported contrary to law. Whenever intoxicating liquors transported or possessed illegally shall be seized by an officer he shall take possession of the vehicle and team or automobile boat, air or water craft, or any other conveyance, and shall arrest any person in charge thereof. Such officer shall at once proceed against the person arrested under the provisions of this act in any court having competent jurisdiction; but the said vehicle or conveyance shall be returned to the owner upon execution by him of a good and valid bond, with sufficient sureties, in a sum double the value of the property, which said bond shall be approved by said officer and shall be conditioned to return said property to the custody of said officer on the day of trial to abide the judgment of the court. The court upon conviction of the person so arrested shall order the liquor destroyed, and unless good cause to the contrary is shown by the owner, shall order a sale by public auction of the property seized, and the officer making the sale, after deducting the expenses of keeping the property, the fee for the seizure, and the cost of the sale, shall pay all liens according to their priorities, which are established, by intervention or otherwise at said hearing or in other proceeding brought for said purpose, as being bona fide and as having been created without the lienor having any notice that the carrying vehicle was being used or was to be used for illegal transportation of liquor, and shall pay the balance of the proceeds into the general fund of the State of California. All liens against property sold under the provisions of this section shall be transferred from the property to the proceeds of the

sale of the property. If, however, no one shall be found claiming the team, vehicle, water or air craft, or automobile, the taking of the same, with a description thereof, shall be advertised in some newspaper published in the city or county where taken or if there be no newspaper published in such city or county, in a newspaper having circulation in the county, once a week for two weeks and by handbills posted in three public places near the place of seizure, and if no claimant shall appear within ten days after the last publication of the advertisement, the property shall be sold and the proceeds, after deducting the expenses and costs, shall be paid into the general fund of the State of California.

SEC. 27. In all cases in which intoxicating liquors may be subject to be destroyed under the provisions of this act the court shall have jurisdiction upon the application of the United States attorney to order them delivered to any department or agency of the United States government for medicinal, or scientific uses, or to order the same sold at private sale for such purposes to any person having a permit to purchase liquor to be covered into the general fund of the State of California, and all liquor heretofore seized in any suit or proceeding brought for violation of law may likewise be so disposed of, if not claimed within sixty days from the date this section takes effect.

SEC. 28. The district attorney of the appropriate county, his assistants, agents, and inspectors, and all other officers of the State of California, whose duty it is to enforce criminal laws, shall have all the power and protection in the enforcement of this act or any provisions thereof which is conferred by law for the enforcement of existing laws relating to the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors under the law of the United States or the State of California.

SEC. 29. Any person who manufactures or sells liquor in violation of this act shall for a first offense be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding six months, and for a second or subsequent offense shall be fined not less than two hundred dollars nor more than two thousand dollars and be imprisoned not less than one month nor more than five years.

Any person violating the provisions of any permit, or who makes any false record, report, or affidavit required by this title, or violates any of the provisions of this act, for which offense a special penalty is not prescribed, shall be fined for a first offense not more than five hundred dollars; for a second offense not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or be imprisoned not more than ninety days, for any subsequent offense he shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars and be imprisoned not less than three months nor more than two years. It shall be the duty of the prosecuting officer to ascertain whether the defendant has been previously convicted and to plead the prior conviction in the affidavit, information, or indictment. The penalties provided in this act against the manufacture of liquor without a permit shall not apply to a person for manufacturing nonintoxicating cider and fruit juices exclusively for use in his home, but such cider and fruit juices shall not be sold or delivered except to persons having permits to manufacture vinegar.

SEC. 30. No person shall be excused, on the ground that it may tend to incriminate him or subject him to a penalty or forfeiture, from attending and testifying, or producing books, papers, documents, and other evidence in obedience to a subpœna of any court in any suit or proceeding based upon or growing out of any alleged violation of this act; but no natural person shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for or on account of any transaction, matter, or thing as to which, in obedience to a subpœna and under oath, he may so testify or produce evidence, but no person shall be exempt from prosecution and punishment for perjury committed in so testifying.

SEC. 31. In case of a sale of liquor where the delivery thereof was made by a common or other carrier the sale and delivery shall be deemed to be made in the county or district wherein the delivery was made by such carrier to the consignee, his agent or employee, or in the county or district wherein the sale was made, or from which the shipment was made, and prosecution for such sale or delivery may be had in any such county or district.

SEC. 32. In any affidavit, information, or indictment for the violation of this act, separate offenses may be united in separate counts and the defendant may be tried on all at one trial and the penalty for all offenses may be imposed. It shall not be necessary in any affidavit, information, or indictment to give the name of the purchaser or to include any defensive negative averments, but it shall be sufficient to state that the act complained of was then and there prohibited and unlawful, but this provision shall not be construed to preclude the trial court from directing the furnishing the defendant a bill of particulars when it deems it proper to do so.

SEC 33. The possession of liquors by any person not legally permitted under this act to possess liquor shall be prima facie evidence that such liquor is kept for the purpose of being sold, bartered, exchanged, given away, furnished, or otherwise disposed of in violation of the provisions of this title. But it shall not be unlawful to possess liquors in one's private dwelling while the same is occupied and used by him as his dwelling only and such liquor need not be reported, provided such liquors are for use only for the personal consumption of the owner thereof and his family residing in such dwelling and of his bona fide guests when entertained by him

therein; and the burden of proof shall be upon the possessor in any action concerning the same to prove that such liquor was lawfully acquired, possessed and used.

SEC. 34. All records and reports kept or filed under the provisions of this act shall be subject to inspection at any reasonable hour by the district attorney of the appropriate county or any of his agents or by any public prosecutor or by any person designated by him, or by any peace officer in the state where the record is kept, and copies of such records and reports duly certified by the person with whom kept or filed may be introduced in evidence with like effect as the originals thereof, and verified copies of such records shall be furnished to the district attorney of the appropriate county when called for.

SEC. 35. All provisions of law that are inconsistent with this act are repealed only to the extent of such inconsistency and the regulation herein provided for the manufacturer or traffic in intoxicating liquor shall be construed as in addition to existing laws. This act shall not relieve any one from paying any taxes or other charges imposed upon the manufacture or traffic in such liquor The payment of such tax or penalty shall give no right to engage in the manufacture or sale of such liquor, or relieve anyone from criminal liability, nor shall this act relieve any person from any liability, civil or criminal, heretofore or hereafter incurred under existing laws of this state or the United States

SEC. 36. If any provision of this act shall be held invalid it shall not be construed to invalidate other provisions of the act.

SEC. 37. Nothing herein shall prevent the storage in United States bonded warehouses of all liquor manufactured prior to the taking effect of this act, or prevent the transportation of such liquor to such warehouses or to any wholesale druggist for sale to such druggist for purposes not prohibited when the tax is paid, and permits may be issued therefor

A manufacturer of any beverage containing less than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume may, on making application and giving such bond as the district attorney of the appropriate county shall prescribe, be given a permit to develop in the manufacture thereof by the usual methods of fermentation and fortification or otherwise a liquid such as beer, ale, porter, or wine, containing more than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume, but before any such liquid is withdrawn from the factory or otherwise deposed of the alcoholic contents thereof shall under such rules and regulation as the district attorney of the appropriate county may prescribe be reduced below such one-half of one per centum of alcohol; *provided*, that such liquid may be removed and transported, under bond and under such regulations as the district attorney of the appropriate county may prescribe from one bonded plant or warehouse to another for the purpose of having the alcohol extracted therefrom. And such liquids may be developed, under permit, by persons other than the manufacturers of beverages, containing less than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume, and sold to such manufacturers for conversion into such beverages. The alcohol removed such liquid, if evaporated and not condensed and saved, shall not be subject to tax; if saved, it shall be subject to the same law as other alcoholic liquors. Credit shall be allowed on the tax due on any alcohol so saved to the amount of any tax paid upon the distilled spirits or brandy used in the fortification of the liquor from which the same is saved. When fortified wines are made and used for the production of nonbeverage alcohol, and dealcoholized wines containing less than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume, no tax shall be assessed or the spirits used in such fortification, and such dealcoholized wines produced under the provisions of this act, whether carbonated or not, shall not be subject to the tax on artificially carbonated or sparkling wines, but shall be subject to the tax on still wines only.

In any case where the manufacturer is charged with manufacturing or selling for beverage purposes any malt, vinous, or fermented liquids containing one-half of one per centum or more of alcohol by volume, or in any case where the manufacturer, having been permitted by the district attorney of the appropriate county to develop a liquid such as ale, beer, porter, or wine, containing more than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume in the manner and for the purpose herein provided, is charged with failure to reduce the alcoholic content of any such liquid below such one-half of one per centum before withdrawing the same from the factory, then in either such case the burden of proof shall be on such manufacturer to show that such liquid so manufactured, sold or withdrawn contains less than one-half of one per centum of alcohol by volume. In any suit or proceeding involving the alcoholic content of any beverage, the reasonable expense of analysis of such beverage shall be taxed as costs in the case

SEC. 38. In all cases wherein the property of any citizen is proceeded against or wherein a judgment affecting it might be rendered, and the citizen is not the one who in person violated the provisions of the law, summons must be issued in due form and served personally, if said person is to be found within the jurisdiction of the court.

SEC. 39. That only spirituous and vinous liquor may be prescribed for medicinal purposes, and all permits to prescribe and prescriptions for any other liquor shall be void. No physician shall prescribe, nor shall any person sell or furnish on any prescription, any vinous liquor that contains more than twenty-four percentum of alcohol by volume, nor shall anyone prescribe or sell or furnish on any prescription

more than one-fourth of one gallon of vinous liquor, or any such vinous or spirituous liquor that contains separately or in the aggregate more than one-half pint of alcohol, for use by any person within any period of ten days. No physician shall be furnished with more than one hundred prescription blanks for use in any period of ninety days, nor shall any physician issue more than that number of prescriptions within any such period unless on application therefor he shall make it clearly apparent to the district attorney of the appropriate county that for some extraordinary reason a larger amount is necessary, whereupon the necessary additional blanks may be furnished him. But this provision shall not be construed to limit the sale of any article the manufacture of which is authorized under section 4 of this act.

If the district attorney of the appropriate county shall find after hearing, upon notice as required in section 5 of this act that any article enumerated in subdivisions *b*, *c*, *d*, or *e* of section 4 of this act is being used as a beverage, or for intoxicating beverage purposes, he may require a change of formula of such article and in the event that such change is not made within a time to be named by the district attorney of the appropriate county he may cancel the permit for the manufacture of such article unless it is made clearly to appear to the district attorney of the appropriate county that such use can only occur in rare or exceptional instances, but such action of the district attorney of the appropriate county may by appropriate proceedings in a court of equity be reviewed, as provided for in section 5 of this act; *provided*, that no change of formula shall be required and no permit to manufacture any article under subdivision *c*, section 4 of this act shall be revoked unless the sale or use of such article is substantially increased in the community by reason of its use as a beverage or for intoxicating beverage purposes.

No spirituous liquor shall be imported into this state, nor shall any permit be granted authorizing the manufacture of any spirituous liquor, save alcohol, until the amount of such liquor now in distilleries or other bonded warehouses shall have been reduced to a quantity that in the opinion of the district attorney of the appropriate county, will, with liquor that may thereafter be manufactured and imported, be sufficient to supply the current need thereafter for all nonbeverage uses; *provided*, that no vinous liquor shall be imported into this state unless it is made to appear to the district attorney of the appropriate county that vinous liquor for such nonbeverage use produced in this state is not sufficient to meet such nonbeverage needs; *provided, further*, that this provision against importation shall not apply to shipments en route to this state at the time of the passage of this act; *and provided, further*, that the district attorney of the appropriate county may authorize the return to this state under such regulaion and conditions as he may prescribe any distilled spirits of California production exported free of tax and reimported in original packages in which exported and consigned for redeposit in the distillery bonded warehouse from which originally removed.

SEC 40. That any officer, agent, or employee of this state engaged in the enforcement of this act or any other law of this state who shall search any private dwelling as defined herein, and occupied as such dwelling, without a warrant directing such search, or who while so engaged shall without a search warrant maliciously and without reasonable cause search any other building or property shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined for a first offense not more than one thousand dollars, and for a subsequent offense not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Whoever not being an officer, agent, or employee of this state shall falsely represent himself to be such officer, agent, or employee and in such assumed character shall arrest or detain any person, or shall in any manner search the person, buildings, or other property of any person, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Rochester as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 118, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROCHESTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 1173 be withdrawn from the file and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1173 to the Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

HON. GEORGE W. ROCHESTER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., Hon. George W. Rochester, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 130 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—59.

NOES—Fisher, Gant, Lenehan, Little, Murphy, Parkman, and Patterson—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and providing the method therefor, and making appropriation therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 907 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Brock, Jewett, Little, and Roland—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 583 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At twelve o'clock m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1281 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1285 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes,

Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1262 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution, relating to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers and jurors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23, of article XII, of

the constitution of the State of California, in relation to the regulation of public utilities in the State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29 ordered on file for adoption.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to create a Cattle Protection Board, to define its powers and duties, to protect the breeders and growers of cattle from theft, to provide for the registration of cattle brands and the licensing of cattle slaughterers and the sellers of the meat thereof, to provide for the inspection of cattle and cattle hides for brands and marks, to provide for the collection of licenses and inspection fees, to provide for the creation of a fund to be known as the Cattle Protection Fund, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the fees of inspectors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FISHER, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle, to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assesment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sections", insert the following "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3", and in lieu thereof insert the figure "1".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 10, insert the following

SECTION 1. The words and phrases used in this act shall be construed for the purposes of said act, unless such construction be contrary to or inconsistent with the context thereof, as follows

(*a*) The word "operator" shall include all persons, firms, associations and corporations who operate motor vehicles upon any public highway in this state and thereby engage in the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation, either directly or indirectly, but shall not include any school or school district transporting pupils to or from any public school when the vehicles used for such transportation are owned or operated by the school or school district.

(*b*) The term "registration certificate" shall include any and all certificates of registration of a motor vehicle issued by the division of motor vehicles of the department of finance of the State of California.

(c) The term "motor vehicles" shall include all vehicles, automobiles, trucks or trailers operated upon or over public highways of this state, whether the same be propelled or operated by steam or electricity, or propelled or operated by combustion of gasoline, distillate or other volatile and inflammable liquid fuels.

(d) The term "gross receipts from operation" shall include all receipts from the operation of such motor vehicle or motor vehicles beginning and ending entirely within this state and a proportion based upon the proportion of the mileage within this state to the entire mileage over which such business is done of gross receipts of such operator on all business passing through, into or out of this state, or partly within and partly without this state, it being the intention hereof not to base all or any portion of the license fee hereby imposed upon any receipts from interstate commerce, or upon the right or privilege to engage in interstate commerce.

SEC. 2. Section 3 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out all of pages 2 and 3 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "be prescribed by said board. Upon the issuance of a license by the state board of equalization to an operator of a motor vehicle or motor vehicles, said board shall furnish to such operator an emblem or emblems for each such motor vehicle to be operated by such operator under such license, which emblems shall be attached to and conspicuously displayed upon each of the motor vehicles authorized to be operated by said license in such manner as is required and prescribed by the state board of equalization Said emblem or emblems shall be numbered serially and said board shall keep a record of the emblems so issued, with the dates of issuance and the names of the operators to whom said emblems shall have been issued.

All persons operating freight carrying vehicles upon any public highway in this state, and not included within the classification of "operator" as in this act defined, shall be required to obtain from the state board of equalization and to display on such vehicles in the manner herein provided, emblems denoting exemption from such classification. Such emblems may be obtained only on verified application in such form as may be prescribed by said board

Said board shall charge and collect from operators and others required to display emblems under the provisions of this act, the prorata cost to the state of the designing and manufacture of said emblems, and of the delivery thereof to said board and the postage required for the mailing thereof by said board to licensees.

There is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the motor vehicle fuel fund, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of designing, preparing and securing such emblems, and of defraying the postage thereon when mailed by said board to licensees; said money to be expended by said board on warrants to be drawn in the manner provided by law, and said amount to be a revolving fund into which shall be paid, as required by law, the amounts received by said board from operators under the provisions of this act. If the amount in said revolving fund at the close of any fiscal year shall exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars, then such excess shall be transferred from said fund by the state controller and credited to the motor vehicle fuel fund.

SEC. 3. Section 4 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4. Within ten days after the end of each quarter of the calendar year each operator shall file with the state board of equalization a report upon a form to be prescribed by said board, showing such information relating to his or its operations as that board may require to enable said board to make the assessment for which provision is herein made. A license fee or tax equal to four per cent of the gross receipts from operation shall be levied and assessed by said board on all operations; *provided*, that there shall be deducted from said five per cent of the gross receipts from operation the amount of any county or municipal licenses and any city or county, or city and county taxes paid by such operators to any city or county or city and county in this state upon any of the property actually used and necessary in the operation of such motor vehicles for the transportation of persons or property.

The state board of equalization shall compute the license fee or tax due or to become due hereunder and extend the same upon a license or tax roll prepared and kept for that purpose. On or before thirty days from and after the close of each quarterly period as herein defined, said board shall deliver said license or tax roll to the state controller who shall thereupon proceed with the collection of said fees or taxes and any and all penalties accruing thereon. Upon payment of said fees or taxes the state controller shall issue a receipt therefor.

If any operator shall fail, neglect or refuse to file the reports herein provided at the times specified herein, the state board of equalization shall proceed to inform itself as best it may regarding the matters and things required to be set forth in such reports, and from its information shall determine and fix the amount of license fee or tax due to the state from such operator for the quarter or quarters of the calendar year or years for which such operator shall have failed, neglected or refused to file the reports herein required, and shall add to the amount of such license fees or taxes, a penalty of fifteen per cent thereof and shall inform the state controller concerning such license fees or taxes, and said penalty thereon.

The state controller shall thereupon proceed to collect the amount of such license fees or taxes with the penalty added thereto, together with interest on the whole thereof at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the forty-fifth day after the end of each quarter of the calendar year during which said license fees or taxes accrued. By reason of such failure, neglect or refusal to file said reports as herein required, the operator is thereafter estopped from complaining of the amount of such license fee or penalty fixed by the state board of equalization. The penalty for failure to report as herein fixed and the addition of interest as in this section provided, shall not be in lieu of the ten per cent penalty for delinquency, for which provision is made in section 7 of this act, and said penalty of ten per cent shall accrue on the principal amount of all license fees or taxes fixed pursuant to the provisions of this act and remaining unpaid at five o'clock p m. on the forty-fifth day after the end of the quarter of the calendar year during which they accrued.

SEC. 4 Section 6 of this act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. If any operator shall fail, neglect or refuse to obtain the license for which provision is made in section 2 of this act or to display emblems on his motor vehicles pursuant to the requirements of section 3 of this act, or if any person, firm, association or corporation operating freight carrying vehicles upon any public highway in this state and not included within the classification of "operator" as in this act defined shall fail, refuse or neglect to apply for and obtain from the state board of equalization and display on his or its vehicles in the manner provided in section 3 of this act, emblems denoting exemption from such classification, the division of motor vehicles of the department of finance of the State of California, upon written complaint of the state board of equalization and upon ten days notice to such operator or person, firm, association or corporation, shall suspend any and all registration certificates held by such operator or person, firm, association or corpration for any motor vehicles operated by him or it which are named in said complaint as being operated contrary to the provisions of this act, until such time as the provisions of this act relating to such operation have been fully complied with by said operator or person, firm, association or corporation

SEC. 5 Section 7 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 7. Any person, firm, association or corporation who shall use any public highway in this state for the transportation of persons or property for hire, either as a public or a private carrier, without first obtaining the license for which provision is herein made, or without carrying upon each motor vehicle so used the emblems for which provision is herein made, or who fails, neglects or refuses to make any return hereunder or any report required by the state board of equalization, or who makes any false return and any person exempt from this license tax who neglects or refuses to obtain and display exempt emblems, as required in section 6 of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

If any operator of a motor vehicle shall fail, neglect or refuse for a period of fifty days next succeeding the end of any quarter of a calendar year to pay the license fee or tax hereby imposed, the division of motor vehicles of the department of finance of the State of California, upon written complaint of the state controller and upon ten days notice to such operator, shall suspend any and all registration certificates held by such operator for any motor vehicles licensed by him or it under the provisions of this act, until payment is made of said license fee or tax and all penalties accruing thereon

All license fees or taxes accruing hereunder shall be a lien upon all property of the operator used in producing gross receipts from operations as herein defined; said lien shall attach at the time of the earning of said gross receipts and shall have the effect of an execution duly levied against all such property of the operator and shall so remain until said fees or taxes and all penalties accruing thereon are paid, or the property sold for the payment thereof.

License fees or taxes becoming due during each quarter of the calendar year under the terms of this act shall be paid within forty-five days after the end of the quarter for which the same are due, and if not paid prior thereto shall become delinquent at five o'clock p m. on the forty-fifth day after the end of such quarter and ten per cent penalty shall be added thereto for delinquency.

SEC. 6. Section 8 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8. All sums paid to the state controller under and by virtue of this act, shall be deposited by him in the state treasury to the credit of the motor vehicle fuel fund, subject to the provisions of section 3 hereof, and the balances thereof shall be applied and the same are hereby appropriated one-half to the State of California to be devoted exclusively to the maintenance and repair of public highways within this state; the remaining one-half shall be apportioned among the respective counties of this state, in the proportion that the number of motor vehicles registered within such county for the preceding calendar year bears to the total number of motor vehicles registered in the State of California under the motor vehicle act of such state for the preceding year, and such sums so paid to said counties shall be devoted exclusively to the maintenance and repair of the public highways within such county.

SEC. 7. Section 9 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. This act shall not apply to motor vehicles operated exclusively within incorporated cities or towns, nor shall it apply to such vehicles operating between incorporated cities or towns where no portion of public highway outside of the corporate limits of said cities or towns is traversed in said operation. The motor vehicles exempt from the operation of this act by virtue of the provisions of this section shall not be required to display emblems issued by the state board of equalization.

SEC. 8. A new section is hereby added to said act, said section to read as follows:

Sec. 13. All matters of procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of this act shall be governed by the provisions of section 3669 of the Political Code.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect on the first day of October, 1927."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend sections 1073 and 1074 of the Political Code, relating to election supplies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend", strike out the remainder of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "section one thousand one hundred twenty-one of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the second word "Section", strike out the remainder of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1121 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

1121. The register used at each special election or consolidated election precinct, at the elections provided for in section 1044 of this code, provided such elections are not held on or after the first day in April in any even numbered year, shall consist of the original affidavits of registration for the territory constituting such special election or consolidated election precinct, at the last general state election immediately preceding the holding of the election provided for in said section 1044, together with a supplement or supplements showing the additional names of the persons who by registration have since such general state election become entitled to vote at any of the elections to be held in such precinct, under said section 1044 of this code. In the event that precinct registers were used at the last preceding general state election, then it shall be the duty of the county clerk or registrar of voters, to furnish such original affidavits of registration with the supplements aforesaid, for each of the special election or consolidated precincts, to the boards of election, respectively, in and for each such election precinct, except for all regular school elections. No person shall be entitled to vote at any such election provided for in said section 1044 of this code, unless his name is registered by such original affidavit of registration, in the precinct within the exterior boundaries of the election precinct, or unless, according to the constitution and laws of this state, he is entitled to vote thereat. If any election provided for in section 1044 of this code is held on or after the first day of April in any even numbered year, the register used at such special or consolidated election precinct at such election shall consist of the original affidavits of registration of those who had registered from the territory constituting such special or consolidated election precinct in said even numbered year and at least thirty-one days prior to such election."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1287—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the letter "*f*", and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "*f*" following the figures "737", and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "*f*" following the figures "737", and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 5, 6 and 7, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of constables and sheriffs in the service and levy of writs, notices and other process issued by justices of the peace or justice's courts in civil actions or proceedings.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 5 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following "stables."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 17, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

4189. All writs, notices or other process issued by justices or justices' courts in civil actions or proceedings, if served within the township where issued, must not be served by any constable other than the duly elected, qualified and acting constable or constables of said township.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall", and insert in lieu thereof the word "must".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall", and insert in lieu thereof the word "must".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with the word "and" in line 16, strike out everything to and including the word "court" in line 20

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the amended printed bill, after the word "use", strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: ", title or possession".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use or occupancy of any estate in real property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the amended printed bill, after the word "occupancy" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "convenant", and insert in lieu thereof the word "covenant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the amended printed bill, after "pancy", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the amended printed bill, strike out the period following the words "United States", and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "*provided*, that nothing in this section shall be deemed to recognize or validate any such covenant or restriction."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to create a Cattle Protection Board, to define its powers and duties, to protect the breeders and growers of cattle from theft, to provide for the registration of cattle brands and the licensing of cattle slaughterers and the sellers of the meat thereof, to provide for the inspection of cattle and cattle hides for brands and marks, to provide for the collection of licenses and inspection fees, to provide for the creation of a fund to be known as the Cattle Protection Fund, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the fees of inspectors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section five of the hide and brand law, relating to revocation of licenses.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 5 of the hide and brand law is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. 1. No person shall slaughter a bovine animal or offer for sale, barter or exchange the meat thereof, unless he shall have a license therefor issued in accordance with the provisions of this act, except as herein otherwise provided.

2. Every person slaughtering cattle as a business shall do so in a designated slaughterhouse. Before beginning business he must procure from the director a license to carry on such business and execute a bond to the State of California, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars to be approved by the director, conditioned that such person shall not slaughter, sell or expose for sale any cattle or the meat thereof, without first being the owner thereof, or being authorized so to do by such owner, and that in case he shall slaughter any cattle without being the owner, or so authorized by the owner, he shall, in addition to all other statutory penalties, pay therefor double the value of such animal. All amounts recovered on said bonds shall be paid as follows: one-half to the owner of such animal and the remaining one-half to the cattle protection fund.

3. Said director shall grant to every applicant who complies with the provisions of this act a license to slaughter cattle, and sell the meat thereof for the unexpired portion of the current calendar year. Every applicant for such license shall pay to said director the following annual fee which shall be paid in advance: Applicants who slaughter less than ten head per month, five dollars per annum. Applicants who slaughter more than ten head and less than fifty head per month, ten dollars per annum. Applicants who slaughter more than fifty head, twenty-five dollars per annum. One-fourth of said fees shall be paid for a fractional quarter of a year. But in no case shall the fee be less than two dollars for a fractional part of the year.

4. The applicant shall state in his application where his slaughterhouse is located, and he shall not slaughter cattle at any other place. If a licensee desires to change

the location of his slaughterhouse, he shall apply to said director to have his license transferred, and the director may reissue the license without additional charge.

5. Upon failure of a licensee for a period of fifteen days to pay said fee, his license shall thereupon be forfeited and thereafter it shall be unlawful for him to slaughter cattle until a penalty of twenty-five dollars and fifty cents per day for every day the licensee slaughters cattle after the expiration of his license, is paid to the director and a new license issued.

6. The director may, after notice to the interested party and a hearing, revoke a license for a wilful violation of any of the provisions hereof, or for maintaining an insanitary slaughterhouse, unless such slaughterhouse shall be under the supervision of a meat inspection department of a city or county, or the United States department of agriculture, and a license so revoked shall not be reissued except upon the payment of a renewal fee of twenty-five dollars.

7. Every slaughterer of cattle shall keep on file in his office for ninety days after slaughter, the original bill of sale and the certificate of inspection of all cattle slaughtered by him.

8. Every peddler, or retailer of meats, purchasing the meat of any bovine animal, must enter in a book to be kept for that purpose and exhibit the same on demand, the name of the person from whom said meat was purchased or otherwise obtained, the date of said purchase, the quantity so purchased, and the time and place of the delivery thereof to him

No peddler, or retailer of meat, shall purchase the meat of a slaughtered bovine animal from any person not known to him to be licensed under the provisions of this act, or a regular wholesale dealer in meats with an established place of business.

9. No person not licensed as a slaughterer under this act shall give, sell, or deliver to any peddler of meats any part of the carcass of a bovine animal. This provision shall not apply to purchases from a regular wholesaler of meat having an established place of business.

10. Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prohibit an owner of property, or a ranchman located on a definite property as a tenant, lessee or purchaser under contract, from slaughtering cattle in small numbers on said premises for his own consumption, and nothing herein shall be so construed as to prohibit such ranchmen from selling or giving away a portion of the meat thereof.

11. Any person actually engaged in the dairy business or engaged in the raising of cattle may slaughter upon his own premises, any calves under eight months of age, actually produced by him, upon annual notification to the director of agriculture of his intention to slaughter such calves, and filing with the office of the director of agriculture a monthly report giving the number of calves slaughtered per month.

12. Every licensed slaughterer shall at the end of each calendar month mail to the director a written report stating the total number of cattle inspected for marks and brands and slaughtered during the preceding month and showing in separate columns the number thereof that were: (a) calves under one year of age; (b) cows one year of age and over; (c) steers; (d) stags; (e) bulls; (f) number slaughtered on each date; (g) branded, and (h) unbranded cattle.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution, relating to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers and jurors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 3, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "made", strike out the semicolon and the word "such", and insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 25 and 26.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "regulation", strike out the comma, and insert the following: "by the counties, or".

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 510—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or counties or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes, and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

(Signed out)

WOOLWINE, Chairman.
WALTERS.
CARTER.
LITTLE
BYRNE.
JACOBSON
SEWELL.
WILLIAMSON.
McDONOUGH.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*i*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside;

Also: Senate Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Imperial;

Also: Senate Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 737*w* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to an investigation and report upon educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 ordered on file for adoption.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof, a new section to be numbered 5, validating the act of the Legislature of the State of California providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of one million dollars for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the purpose of an Olympiad to be held in California in 1932—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 ordered on file for adoption

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 107—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein, requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 312—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend section 738*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey;

Also: Senate Bill No. 46—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Diego; to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and the manner of payment of his compensation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 58—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the county of Alameda, and for the appointment of such additional judge;

Also: Senate Bill No. 152—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to the public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 188—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing their salaries;

Also: Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts

of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State commissioner thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 312—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 319—An act to add a new section to article II of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 362*g*, relating to the establishment of a Division of School Planning in the State Department of Education and making an appropriation therefor,

Also: Senate Bill No. 441—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Park Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes; authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of ten thousand dollars for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Senate Bill No. 459—An act to authorize the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 508—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen against the State of California,

Also: Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 759 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of reporters of the district courts of appeal,

Also: Senate Bill No. 621—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Edward J. Kelly against the State of California,

Also: Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443, and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor,

Also: Senate Bill No. 649—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Richard Kittrelle against the State of California,

Also: Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, vesting in the Director of Agriculture the enforcement of the provisions hereof and the promulgation and enforcement of rules and regulations hereunder, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring this act to be an urgency measure,

Also: Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for the creation of a commission for the study of the problem of public education beyond the elementary grade in California, and providing an appropriation therefor,

Also: Senate Bill No. 847—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the bridge across the Sacramento River at Elvista, and making same an urgency measure,

Also: Senate Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner;

Also: Senate Bill No. 875—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices, to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians, to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violations of the provisions of this act

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend,

Also: Senate Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891," approved March 16, 1907, by amending section 9 thereof, relating to the recordation of records of survey platting or subdividing land into lots for the purpose of sale—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 319 of the Civil Code, relating to the place of corporate meetings—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 4024 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to appointment of deputies.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1094 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 567—An act to amend section 1859 of the Political Code, relating to the length of the school term.

Also: Senate Bill No. 670—An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under eighteen years of age, to provide for the maintenance and management of same, and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 578—An act granting to the La Jolla Beach and Yacht Club, a corporation, a perpetual easement for a channel across certain tidelands in the city of San Diego;

Also: Senate Bill No. 637—An act declaring that certain lands situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, are not tidelands and releasing any claim that the State of California may have in and to said lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 840—An act providing for the expenditure of money, appropriated by the Legislature of the State of California, for the rectification of the channel of the San Joaquin River in cooperation with the government of the United States in accordance with an act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes," approved by the President on January 21, 1927; authorizing the Board of Control to acquire rights of way therefor and authorizing the Governor on behalf of the State of California to convey said rights of way to the United States of America;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 876—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2527*a*, relating to the powers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners as to the construction and leasing of extensions of wharves or piers owned by the State of California and under the control of said board, and providing for the right of ingress to and egress from such extensions over such wharves or piers during the term of said lease—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 298—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 299—An act to amend sections 1830, 1836, and 1840 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to elementary and district school funds and taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 1612*a* of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the time of preparing and filing school budgets;

Also: Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to exemptions, refunds, appropriations for carrying out the provisions of said act, examination of records of distributors thereunder by the State Board of Equalization and correction of assessments of said distributors by said board;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to erroneously collected taxes, penalties and costs, and the refund of taxes collected on tax exempt property;

Also: Senate Bill No. 3—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, and adopting those provisions, not inconsistent herewith, of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 23, 1925;

Also: Senate Bill No. 518—An act to provide for the acquisition of rights of way for and the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways, classifying the highways in the State system and allocating and directing the expenditure of funds for the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways;

Also: Senate Bill No. 569—An act to provide for the separation of crossings of highways and steam and electric railways in the State of California providing that certain funds shall be devoted to said purposes to be expended by the California Highway Commission subject to certain orders of the State Railroad Commission; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WEST, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No 666—An act to reduce the fire insurance hazards of the business of clothes cleaning establishments, providing for the enforcement thereof by the State Fire Marshal, providing ways and means for enforcement and providing penalties for violations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 260—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2768, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of policies of life or endowment insurance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 19, 1927, adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 576—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace, sitting in courts other

than their own under assignment thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments;

Also: Senate Bill No. 856—An act transferring the operation and control of certain of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District to the Department of Public Works, and providing that the cost thereof shall be paid by the State and relieving said district and the Reclamation Board and its members from responsibility and liability for operation or maintenance of flood control works; providing for the cancellation of bonds of said district authorized but not sold; authorizing the reclamation board to levy a supplementary assessment and to order called assessments levied in connection with Project No. 6; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said district based on and secured by assessments upon the land within the boundaries of Project No. 6 of said district; authorizing the validation of said bonds; authorizing the State Board of Control to purchase and invest in warrants and bonds of said district, authorizing land owners within said Project No. 6 to pay assessments in warrants or bonds of said district, adding to, taking away from and altering an act known as the Reclamation Board Act, approved December 24, 1911, as amended, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 576 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 856 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State park; providing for the management of the same by a commission; prescribing the duties and powers of such commission;

Also: Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also: Senate Bill No. 429—An act to repeal sections 635*a*, 635*b*, 635*c*, 635*d*, 635*e*, 635*f*, 635*g*, 635*h*, 635*i*, 635*j*, 635*k* and 635*l* of the Political Code;

Also: Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 724—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1751*a*, relating to attendance at high school;

Also: Senate Bill No. 764—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also: Senate Bill No. 865—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as pro chein ami or next friend acting for and on behalf of the Indians of California, to bring suit or suits against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same and making an appropriation to cover expenses incident thereto.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 48 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 105 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 429 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 597 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 724 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 764 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 865 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a commission to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 read, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district, providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose, and declaring this act to be an emergency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 883 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

REPORT OF COLORADO RIVER COMMITTEE.

The following report of the Colorado River Committee, appointed according to the adoption of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, was ordered printed in the Journal:

REPORT OF CALIFORNIA–COLORADO RIVER COMMITTEE.

To the Honorable C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California, and to the Legislature of California, Sacramento, California.

On January 6, 1927, the Legislature adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1. Under authority of said resolution there was appointed Arthur P. Davis of Oakland, California, James A. Anderson of Los Angeles, California, and Earl C. Pound of Brawley, California.

On January 14, 1927, the eighth Legislature of the State of Arizona adopted Senate Bill No. 9 (copy of bill attached hereto). Under this bill Governor Hunt appointed H. S. McCluskey, Thomas Maddock and John L. Gust.

Under legislative authority Governor Balzar appointed, for the State of Nevada, Charles P. Squires, Edward W. Clark and Dr. Roy W. Martin of Las Vegas; George W. Malone, Nevada State Engineer, of Reno, and Charles B. Henderson of Ely.

The California committee met in the Water and Power Building of the city of Los Angeles on January 19, 1927, and effected a temporary organization consisting of Earl C. Pound, Chairman, and James A. Anderson, Secretary.

At ten o'clock a.m. on the nineteenth day of January, the California committee met with representatives of Nevada and Arizona at the same place, the Arizona committee being represented by H. S. McCluskey and Thomas Maddock; and the State of Nevada being represented by Charles P. Squires, Edward W. Clark, Dr. Roy W. Martin and State Engineer George W. Malone.

Mr. C. P. Squires was elected Chairman and Mr. H. S. McCluskey was elected Secretary of the Tri-state Conference.

Since the opening date of this conference, meetings have been held in the Water and Power Building, Los Angeles, California, by the Tri-state Conference as follows: January 19th, 20th, 21st, 22d, 24th, 25th, and 26th, and February 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th.

The California committee also met a number of times to confer with reference to matters under discussion by the Tri-state Conference.

On January 22d the California Legislature adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9, under which authority Dr. S. S. M. Jennings of Coachella, California, President of the Coachella Water District, and Col. S. H. Finley of Santa Ana, California, Supervisor of Orange County, were added to the California committee.

On January 24, 1927, Col. Finley and Dr. Jennings joined the California committee, which was reorganized with Earl C. Pound, Chairman, and Col. S. H. Finley, Secretary.

Mr. John L. Gust of Arizona, and Charles B. Henderson of Nevada did not attend any of the Tri-state conferences.

At the opening conference, January 19, 1927, a verbal report of the tentative agreement reached by the California representatives, the Nevada representatives and a majority of the Arizona representatives at the previous Tri-state conferences, on the division of water, was given by Mr McCluskey and others who had served on the previous Tri-state conferences. The tentative agreement was as follows:

First—That all waters of the Nevada tributaries of the main Colorado River are allocated in perpetuity to Nevada.

Second—That all waters of the Arizona tributaries of the main Colorado River, estimated by the Arizona committee at more than five million acre-feet per annum, are allocated in perpetuity to Arizona, with the right to store the water in and divert from such tributaries but not otherwise.

Third—Nevada is allocated in perpetuity 200,000 acre-feet of water per annum from the main channel of the Colorado River.

Fourth—The entire balance of the waters of the main channel of the Colorado River, estimated at about nine million acre feet per annum are allocated in perpetuity in the ratio of one-third to Arizona and two-thirds to California, each of these two states to supply the Mexican allowance, if any, in proportion to its allocation from the main stream of the Colorado River.

Fifth—All water in the main channel of the Colorado River not put to beneficial use, or for the use of which works have not been actually constructed, shall, after the expiration of twenty-five years be open to appropriation or use by either state.

Sixth—That the Colorado River Compact shall be approved by the three states.

The said tentative agreement so far as Arizona is concerned is subject to satisfactory agreement concerning power.

Resting on this tentative agreement as to the division of water, the present Tri-state committee devoted most of its time to the discussion of Arizona's demand for revenue from all power development within that state or upon its boundaries. No agreement as to revenue from power, tentative or otherwise, has been reached, and the Arizona committee has refused to seriously consider any further or final agreement as to the division of water until an agreement has been reached as to the revenue that state will receive from power development and insists that Arizona must receive revenue even if the development is made by federal government funds.

The Legislature of Nevada on March 15, 1927, and the Legislature of Arizona on March 7, 1927, each passed an act authorizing the appointment of a permanent Colorado River Commission for such states. Copies of such acts are attached hereto.

This committee therefore recommends that provision be made for a permanent California-Colorado River Commission whose authority should be broad enough to do any and all things necessary to protect present and future rights of the State of California and its citizens in the Colorado River.

Respectfully submitted.

EARL C. POUND.
S. H. FINLEY.
ARTHUR P. DAVIS.
JAMES A. ANDERSON.
S. S. M. JENNINGS.

Los Angeles, California, April 2, 1927.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River System.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to an act of Congress and acts of the various states hereinafter mentioned, representatives of the United States of America and of the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming, met at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and did on the twenty-fourth day of November, 1922, enter into and execute a compact known as the Colorado River Compact, which compact was subject to ratification as therein provided; and

WHEREAS, For the purpose of said compact and the allocation of the waters of the Colorado River System therein described, the aforesaid states were grouped into

what is therein defined as the upper basin and the lower basin, which lower basin includes the states of Arizona, California and Nevada; and

WHEREAS, In and by said compact there was allocated to said lower basin certain portions of the waters of said Colorado River System; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to have the respective rights of the states in said lower basin, in and to the use of said waters of said Colorado River System, so allocated to said lower basin, determined, fixed and defined; and

WHEREAS, A committee appointed pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 of the forty-sixth Legislature has been in extended conferences and negotiations with representatives of the states of Arizona and Nevada, but has not as yet succeeded in arriving at an agreement with said states, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that a committee be provided to represent the Legislature and the State of California to carry on said negotiations with representatives of said states of Arizona and Nevada; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That a committee of three be appointed by the Governor, to represent the Legislature and the State, which committee shall have authority, and it shall be its duty, to confer and negotiate with duly authorized committees representing the states of Arizona and Nevada respecting the claims and rights of said states of said lower basin, in and to the waters of said Colorado River System; and, be it further

Resolved, That said committee be and it is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, in behalf of the State of California, with the said states of Arizona and Nevada, or with either of them, fixing and determining the rights of said lower basin states, or either or any of them, in and to the use of the waters of the Colorado River System and shall report to the present session of the Legislature, from time to time, respecting its labors and the agreement, if any be reached, in respect to the use of such waters, together with its recommendations in regard thereto; *provided, however,* that any agreement entered into by said committee shall not be binding or obligatory upon the State of California, unless and until such agreement shall have been ratified and approved by the legislatures of the states entering into such agreement and by the Congress of the United States; and, be it further

Resolved, That the members of said committee shall serve without compensation, but each shall be allowed his traveling, hotel expenses and necessary incidental expenses, and said committee shall be authorized to employ such clerical assistance as shall be necessary. The sum of $1,000 is hereby set aside from the contingent fund of the Senate, and a like sum from the contingent fund of the Assembly and made available for the purpose of defraying the expense, if any, of such committee and committeemen, which expense shall be paid equally from such contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the members of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 9.

Amending Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, relating to the appointment of a committee to negotiate with committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of California, Arizona and Nevada in and to the waters of the Colorado River System, adopted January 6, 1927.

WHEREAS, On the sixth day of January, 1927, the Legislature adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, providing, among other things, for the appointment of a committee of three to negotiate with committees from Arizona and Nevada, relative to the rights of said respective states in and to the waters of the Colorado River; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the committee representing the State of California in said negotiations be increased to five members, so as to correspond in number with the committees representing said other states; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California jointly, That the members of the committee provided for in and by said Joint Resolution No. 1 be and the same is hereby increased to five members, to be appointed as provided in said Joint Resolution No. 1.

Eighth Legislature
Regular Session

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SENATE BILL NO. 9

Introduced by
The Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

In the Senate
January 14, 1927

An act to authorize the Governor of Arizona to appoint a committee to confer with representatives of the states of California and Nevada on matters affecting the Colorado River; *fixing the tenure of duties of the said committee;* providing an appropriation to defray the expenses of the said committee, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, The development of the Colorado River, the harnessing of its floods, the utilization of its waters for the irrigation of arid lands within the United States,

and the creation of hydro-electric energy for the uses and benefit of mankind, is the most important question before the people and the states of the Southwest; and

WHEREAS, It is essential to the early achievement of this great object, on a basis of equity and justice, and in such manner as to realize the maximum benefits from the Colorado River's potential resources, that there be an amicable agreement between the states having interests and rights in the river; and

WHEREAS, The Governor of the State of California, by authority of a resolution of the Legislature of said state, and the Governor of the state of Nevada, by virtue of authority vested in him by laws of said state, have appointed committees to represent their respective states, in conferences with committees or representatives of the state of Arizona, on matters affecting the development of the Colorado River; and

WHEREAS, The said committees representing the states of California and Nevada are now awaiting the pleasure of the state of Arizona with respect to such conferences; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary for the protection of this state's interests in the present situation that Arizona be represented in such conferences, and in any and all conferences between the states having interests and rights in the Colorado River; and

WHEREAS, There is at present no permanent commission, committee, body or representative vested with authority to engage in such conference or negotiations; therefore

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. That the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint a committee, to consist of three members, to confer with accredited committees or representatives of the states of California and Nevada, on any and all matters affecting the development of the Colorado River.

Section 2. Said committee shall report the result of its labors to the Governor not later than the third day of March, 1927, and the duties and authority of the said committee, as they may be derived from this act, shall cease on said date, unless sooner terminated by law or by proclamation of the Governor.

Section 3. Upon receipt of the report provided for in section 2 hereof, or at any earlier date, or at intervals if he so desires, the Governor shall make such recommendations to the Legislature, bearing upon the labors of the committee herein authorized, as to him may seem wise and proper.

Section 4. For the purpose of defraying the traveling and other legitimate expenses of the said committee, there is hereby appropriated out of the general funds of the state of Arizona, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Upon the presentation of claims for any such expenses, approved by the Governor, the State Auditor shall draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer, and the State Treasurer shall pay the same.

Section 5. Whereas, committees representing the states of California and Nevada have been appointed and are waiting the pleasure of Arizona; therefore, the preservation of the public peace, health and safety makes it necessary that the provisions of this act shall become immediately operative, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist. This act is therefore hereby exempted from the operation of the referendum provisions of the state constitution, and shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and its approval by the Governor.

Passed the House 1/14/27 by the following vote: Ayes 49, nays 0, absent 0, excused 3.

(Signed) A. M. CRAWFORD,
Speaker of the House.

(Signed) F. R. DUFFY,
Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the Senate 1/14/27 by the following vote: Ayes 19, noes __, not voting __.

(Signed) MULFORD WINSOR,
President of the Senate.

(Signed) DOROTHY BURTON,
Secretary of the Senate.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA,
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR.

This bill was received by the Governor this fourteenth day of January, 1927, at 3.20 o'clock p.m.

(Signed) J. H. WHYTE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Approved this fourteenth day of January, 1927.

(Signed) GEO. W. P. HUNT,
Governor of Arizona.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA,
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

This bill was received by the Secretary of State this fourteenth day of January, 1927, at 4.08 o'clock p.m.

(Signed) JAMES H. KERBY,
Secretary of State.

SENATE BILL No. 131.

Introduced by Senator Henderson.

March 15, 1927.

Rules suspended, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act creating a commission to be known as the Colorado River Development Commission of Nevada, defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expense thereof."

The people of the state of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 7 of the above-entitled act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec 7. The duties of said commission shall be to collect and arrange all data and information connected with the Colorado River and its tributaries which may affect or be of interest to the state of Nevada; to present the same to the Governor for his information, to represent the state of Nevada in such interstate or other conferences or conventions as may be called for the consideration of the development of reclamation projects connected with the Colorado River or its tributaries; for the consideration of federal and state rights and procedure relating thereto, to tender the friendly cooperation of the state of Nevada to such constructive enterprises as look to the conservation of the waters of the Colorado River and its tributaries and the development of power thereon, to negotiate with representatives of other states and the United States, in endeavoring to equitably settle and define the rights of the states and the United States in the waters of the Colorado River and its tributaries, to make and enter into agreements, compacts or treaties between the state of Nevada and the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, either jointly or severally, which said agreements, compacts or treaties shall not become binding upon the state of Nevada until ratified by the Legislature and approved by the Governor of said state; to report to the Governor such measures for legislative action as may be deemed necessary to secure to the people of Nevada all possible benefits from such enterprises. Said commission is hereby empowered to receive and hold in trust for the state of Nevada all water and, or water rights, hydro-electric power and, or hydro-electric power rights and all other rights, interests or benefits in and to the waters of the Colorado River now held by or which may hereafter accrue to the state of Nevada under and by virtue of any act of Congress of the United States or any compact or treaty between states to which the state of Nevada may become a party; provided, that all rights of appropriation and use of water of said Colorado River belonging to the state of Nevada for the irrigation of lands, domestic use and mining within said state is hereby excepted from the provisions of this act.

Said commission shall hold and administer all rights and benefits mentioned in this act for the state of Nevada, and is hereby empowered to lease, sublease, let, sublet, contract or sell the same in whole or in part on such terms as said commission shall determine, and shall collect and receive all revenues thereby created or derived therefrom which shall become due and owing to the state of Nevada under any such lease, contract, or sale; provided, that any such lease, sublease, contract or sale shall not become binding upon the state of Nevada until ratified by the Legislature and approved by the Governor of said state.

Said commission shall deposit all moneys received or collected by it under the provisions of this act with the State Treasurer in a fund to be called the "Colorado River fund." The State Treasurer is hereby directed to receive and hold such funds, and he shall, on the first day of January and the first day of July of each year, transfer the money in said Colorado River fund to the general fund of the state.

All members of said Colorado River Commission shall give bond to the state of Nevada for the faithful performance of their duties in such sums as the Governor shall from time to time direct. The premiums on said bonds shall be paid out of any fund appropriated for the support of said commission.

Sec 2. This act shall become effective upon its passage and approval.

House of Representatives
Eighth Legislature
Regular Session.

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Chapter No. 37.

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL No. 15.

Introduced by Mr. Francis of Maricopa

An act providing for the Colorado River Commission; the manner of election of said commission; designating the duties and power of said commission, making an appropriation therefor and declaring an emergency

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. For the purpose of encouraging and promoting the development of the Colorado River, and of protecting the rights and interests of the state of Arizona,

in said river and its tributaries, a commission is hereby created to be known as the Colorado River Commission of Arizona, to consist of eight members, of which commission the Governor of the state of Arizona, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Eighth Legislature of the said state, shall be members. The remaining five members of the commission shall be appointed as follows

A Three members shall be appointed by the said Governor.

B. One member shall be appointed by the said President of the Senate from the membership of the Senate.

C One member shall be appointed by the said Speaker from the membership of the House.

Section 2 It shall be the duty of the said commission to enter into negotiations with accredited representatives of the states of Colorado, California, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, and the federal government, either severally or jointly, with a view to affecting an amicable and equitable agreement or agreements respecting the allocation of the waters of the Colorado River and its tributaries, and other benefits to be derived from the development of the said river, and respecting any and all matters that relate to rights of the state of Arizona, or of the citizens and property owners of the state of Arizona, in and to the waters of the Colorado River or its tributaries Any and all agreements that may be entered into by this commission in behalf of the state of Arizona and the accredited representatives of the said several states or the federal government shall be submitted to the Legislature of the state of Arizona, and before it is binding upon the state of Arizona, must be ratified by the Legislature and approved by the Governor of the state and by the Congress of the United States

Section 3 The commission herein created shall take office on March 3, 1927, and on said date shall begin to function. The commission shall meet immediately upon its creation and elect from its membership one member to act as chairman and one member to act as secretary, both of whom shall serve without compensation Immediately upon the organization of said commission, the Governor shall notify the governors of the State of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, and the President of the United States, of the creation of said commission and shall endeavor to secure, at as early a date as possible, meetings with similar commissions or the properly accredited representatives of said several states and the United States, to arrive at understandings and agreements in order to carry out the purpose for which this commission is created. The Attorney General of the state of Arizona shall be the legal advisor of the commission and when called on shall advise in all matters or render opinions in writing, except as herein otherwise provided.

Section 4. This commission is hereby authorized and empowered

A To hold meetings and conferences, within or without the state of Arizona, with accredited representatives of the said several states, or with the federal government, in order to carry out any or all of the purposes for which this commission is created.

B To institute and prosecute, or appear and defend, in the name of, and in behalf of the state of Arizona such actions, suits or legal proceedings as may be necessary or may be deemed advisable to protect the rights and interests of citizens and property owners of the state of Arizona, or the rights of said state in the Colorado River or its tributaries

C To employ such attorneys, counsellors and experts as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this commission or any of the duties imposed thereon.

D To employ engineers to investigate and report on any engineering problem relative to the Colorado River available and logical dam sites for flood control, irrigation or the creation of hydro-electric power, and the extent of arid lands in the state of Arizona reclaimable from the waters of the Colorado River or its tributaries

E To cooperate with the federal government or any department or bureau thereof on matters germane to the engineering problems involved.

F. To maintain such office or offices as may be deemed necessary for the performance of the duties of the commission; to employ stenographers and clerical help and to incur the incidental expenses attendant upon the work of this commission

G To issue and distribute such reports or bulletins as will inform the public of the facts with respect to Arizona's rights and interests in the Colorado River and its tributaries and in the judgment of the commission will advance the development of said river.

Section 5. The commission shall exist for a period of two years from the date of its creation

Section 6 Members of the commission shall serve without pay, provided, however, that when actually engaged in the duties as outlined herein, and when attending upon the business of said commission, they shall be reimbursed for travel, hotel bills and incidental expenses

Section 7 There is hereby appropriated out of the general fund of the state of Arizona, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred thousand ($100,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, and the State Auditor is hereby

instructed to draw his warrant in the payment of any claim approved by the chairman and the secretary of said commission, and the State Treasurer is hereby instructed to pay the same

Section 8. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 9. Whereas, the preservation of the public peace, health and safety make it necessary that the provisions of this act shall become operative immediately, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act is therefore hereby exempt from the operation of the referendum provisions of the state constitution, and shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage and its approval by the Governor.

Passed the Senate 2/28/1927, by the following vote: Ayes 15, nays 4, ____ not voting.

(Signed) MULFORD WINSOR,
President of the Senate.

(Signed) DOROTHY BURTON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Passed the House 2/23/1927, by the following vote: Ayes 44, nays 4, absent 3, excused 1.

(Signed) A. M. CRAWFORD,
Speaker of the House.

(Signed) F. R. DUFFY,
Chief Clerk of the House.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA.
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR.

This bill was received by the Governor this first day of March, 1927, at 11.10 o'clock a.m.

(Signed) J. H. WHYTE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Approved this seventh day of March, 1927.

(Signed) GEO. W. P. HUNT,
Governor of Arizona.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA,
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

This bill was received by the Secretary of State this seventh day of March, 1927, at 10.15 o'clock a.m.

(Signed) JAMES H. KERBY,
Secretary of State.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Fry, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 1944 of that part of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 3, 1921, and in effect August 2, 1921, and relating to the qualifications and salary of the employees in the office of the probation officer in counties of the fourth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minors fixed by court and payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors,

Also Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof

Also Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322*a* 19 of the Political Code, relating to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 4281 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-second class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 1936 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also·

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 20, 1927

MR. SPEAKER· I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively;

Also Assembly Bill No. 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this state, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*a* 13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers and sleeping car companies of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass,

Also· Assembly Bill No 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602b of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama county," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the state upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed, providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes, providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby, providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters, providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for

any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators, providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I of the constitution of said State, relating to the rights of private property.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21 ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*l*, 4236*n*, inclusive, of the Political Code, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agriculture, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry

raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 997 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to authorize the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general coordinated plan.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1288 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Fisher, Jewett, and Patterson—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1044 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county

and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies and other employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 320 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. CHARLES B. MELVILLE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., Hon. Charles B. Melville, member of the Assembly from the Sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 21, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 559 is herewith returned without my approval.

This action has been requested by the author after an error in the bill had been called to his attention.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 21, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 558 is herewith returned without my approval.

This action has been requested by the author after an error in the bill had been called to his attention.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof, relative to State Superintendent of Public Instruction, county superintendent of schools, State Board of Education and county boards of education.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller,

James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Gant—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 26.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California the following amendments to the constitution of the State of California:

First. Section 2 of article IX of said constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. A Superintendent of Public Instruction shall at each gubernatorial election be elected by the qualified electors of the State and shall enter upon the duties of his office on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding his election. He shall be ex officio secretary of the State Board of Education and shall perform such other duties and receive such salary as are fixed by law.

Whenever the Legislature shall hereafter create the office of Director of Education it shall have power to transfer to and vest in said director all of the powers, duties, responsibilities and jurisdiction now or hereafter vested by law in the Superintendent of Public Instruction. If and when such office of Director of Education is created and such powers, duties, responsibilities and jurisdiction are so transferred the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be and is hereby vacated and suspended and shall continue to be vacated and suspended during the continuance and the existence of such office of Director of Education.

Second. Section 3 of article IX of said constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. A superintendent of schools for each county shall be elected by the qualified electors thereof at each gubernatorial election, except in such counties as provide otherwise by county charter adopted in accordance with article XI of the constitution.

The Legislature may provide for a board of education in each county in the State, and fix its powers and duties except that county superintendents and county boards of education shall have power to examine applicants for teachers' certificates of elementary type and grade, to grant teachers' certificates and to make regulations whereby holders of State credentials of any type or grade may record such credentials and teach within the county under their jurisdiction without the issuance of a county certificate.

Third. Section 7 of article IX of said constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 7. The Legislature shall provide for the appointment by the Governor, with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate, of ten qualified electors, of whom not more than six shall be of the same sex, who shall constitute the State Board of Education with such powers and duties, except as in this constitution provided, as shall be fixed by law. The terms of office shall be so fixed that two vacancies regularly occur on March first of each odd-numbered calendar year. The Governor shall fill vacancies, caused by death or resignation, for any unexpired terms, subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next regular session as provided for original appointments.

The State Board of Education shall, under such regulations as the Legislature may prescribe, provide, compile or cause to be compiled and adopt a uniform series of textbooks for use in the day and evening elementary schools throughout the State. The State board may cause such textbooks, when adopted, to be printed and published by the State printing office; and whenever and however such textbooks may be printed and published, they shall be furnished and distributed by the State free of cost or any charge whatever, to all children attending the day and evening elementary schools of the State, under such conditions as the Legislature shall prescribe. The textbooks, so adopted, shall continue in use for not less than four years, without any change or alteration whatsoever which will require or necessitate the furnishing of new books to such pupils, and said State board shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by law.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the Spanish-American War Veterans and the American Legion of the Department of California, respectively.

Resolution read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 19.

Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the United Spanish-American War Veterans and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War of the Department of California, respectively.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That there shall be printed as a public document 500 copies of the session of the department encampment of California of the United Spanish War Veterans for the year 1927 and of each succeeding department encampment, together with illustrations, copies of general orders of the department and of the official roll, 250 copies for the use of the Senate and 250 copies for the use of the Assembly. Annual cost of same not to exceed $600 payable from the legislative printing appropriation; and be it further

Resolved, That there shall be printed as a public document 500 copies of the report of the annual convention of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War of the Department of California for the year 1927 and of each succeeding annual convention, together with illustrations, copies of general orders enacted at such convention and of the official roll, 250 copies for the use of the Senate and 250 copies for the use of the Assembly. Annual cost of same not to exceed $600 payable from the legislative printing appropriation.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Burns, and Rochester—2

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 9.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh session, commencing on the third day of

January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend section 7 of article I of the constitution to read as follows:

Sec. 7. The right of trial by jury shall be secured to all, and remain inviolate; but in civil actions three-fourths of the jury may render a verdict. A trial by jury may be waived in all criminal cases, by the consent of both parties, expressed in open court by the defendant and his counsel, and in civil actions by the consent of the parties, signified in such manner as may be prescribed by law. In civil actions and cases of misdemeanor, the jury may consist of twelve, or of any number less than twelve upon which the parties may agree in open court.

Senate Bill No 405—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 405 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher Foster, Fry Gant, Hawes, Hodges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-three minutes p.m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTON NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Selecting and designating two illustrious deceased persons whose statues in marble or bronze shall hereafter be provided and furnished by the State of California to be placed in National Statuary Hall.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the resolution, Mr. Ball moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed measure, as amended, strike out "Thomas Starr King", and insert in lieu thereof "Leland Stanford".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Ball as such Select Committee.

HON. F. C. CLOWDSLEY IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. F. C. Clowdsley, member of the Assembly from the Twentieth Assembly District, in the chair.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BALL, Select Committee.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The question being on the adoption of the report of Select Committee of One and amendment.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Ball, Lyons and Leymel, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of Select Committee of One and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendment to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Smith, and Williams—6.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—47.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No 17 adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Ball—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Selecting and designating two illustrious deceased persons whose statues in marble or bronze shall hereafter be provided and furnished by the State of California to be placed in National Statuary Hall.

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States of America has by statute enacted and declared as follows, to wit:

"The President is hereby authorized to invite each and all the states to provide and furnish statues, in marble or bronze, not exceeding two in number for each state, of deceased persons who have been citizens thereof, and illustrious for their historic renown or for distinguished civic or military service, such as each state shall deem worthy of this national commemoration; and when so furnished the same shall be placed in the old hall of the House of Representatives in the Capitol of the United States, which is hereby set apart, or so much thereof as may be necessary, as National Statuary Hall, for the purpose herein indicated."

WHEREAS, The State of California has never designated the deceased persons whose statues shall be so provided and furnished by the State of California; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby selects and designates Junipero Serra and Thomas Starr King as the two deceased persons who have been citizens of the State of California and illustrious for their historic renown or for distinguished civil or military service whose statues in marble or bronze shall be hereafter provided and furnished by the State of California to be placed in the National Statuary Hall, as so provided by act of Congress.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECHES.

On motion of Mr. Feigenbaum the speeches of Messrs. Coombs and West and Mrs. Woodbridge, pertaining to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17, were ordered printed in the Journal.

BY HON. FRANK COOMBS OF THE ELEVENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

It has been urged that Starr King is not known by the present generation and that his life's work was not associated with the activities of this State. It is true that he is not as well known as many of the public men who have passed away, and this is because his calling as a minister of the gospel was along those silent lines where men achieve great things without attracting attention. Men are often appreciated after their death rather than before.

There hangs upon the wall behind me a picture of the immortal ages. It is in the form and features of Abraham Lincoln. He holds in his hand the scroll of destiny, while upon his brow beams the light of the second inaugural and the Gettysburg address. It was said, "He belongs to the ages." No great monument would have been erected to his character at that particular time, but he has grown upon time, and now he is appreciated in every parliament of the world, and his sayings are echoed and re-echoed in all civilized lands.

There is a greater example than this. Christ lived in the solitudes of his own mind. He stood by the sea and cast the pearls of his thoughts upon the waves that they might be washed to different shores and written in the languages and spoken by the tongues of men. His name is not mentioned in Roman history nor was he known by the followers of the Proconsuls of the Roman Empire. It was only after he died, and a considerable time after he died, that his name was taken up by James and John and Matthew and Luke and Paul, and his deeds blazoned to the world. The Sermon on the Mount spoke for future ages. No monument of fame would have been erected to his memory at or near the time of his death.

And so, in a lesser degree, it is with Starr King. He worked not through public office, he achieved not through ambitions or political preferment, but by his unselfishness. He lifted men's souls to the higher plane and made them appreciate the great ideals of liberty. He worked under the arches of freedom and aroused in the hearts of men a love of liberty. His genius hovered around the halls of conventions. Everywhere in the State, up and down its shores, where the love of liberty could be moved, he left the impress of his character and of his thoughts upon constitutions and upon the thoughts of men.

But it is not my province here to speak of him. That was delegated to another, and in support of the resolution, I am to speak only of Padre Junipero Serra.

The mission system had its authority and inspiration from the papal bull of Alexander VI, dated May 3, 1403, when Spain was granted the exclusive right to establish missions in the lands about 300 miles west of the Azores.

Under the Spanish sovereignty, California was divided into Baja, or Lower California, and Alta, or Upper California, and in 1867 Spain established a mission in Lower California. Then followed a period of mission life in Lower California.

Prior to this and in about 1527 the experiment was had in Guatemala.

It was during these times that the missions found a lack of support from the home government and wealthy Spaniards responded to the cause, and what is known as the Pious Fund was created, which became noted in recent litigation.

In 1768 it became the dream of Don Jose de Galvez, the Governor of Baja, or Lower California, to introduce a system of government in Upper California, to conquer it, and upon this was the advent of Padre Junipero Serra.

Father Serra was born in the town of Petra, on the Island of Majorca and was educated at the convent of Palma where, at the age of 17, he became the teacher of philosophy. He was an enthusiast in the cause of religion and such was his learning and solemn eloquence that, had he sought, he would have become famed as one of the great churchmen of his age.

He landed in Vera Cruz in 1749 and in all humility walked to the City of Mexico and contracted ills which became chronic. He worked among the Indians in the mountain regions of Cerro Gordo and then among the Apaches of Mexico. He was then 53 years of age. Weighed down by fatigue and burdened by his sufferings, he started upon his mission to Upper California, over untrodden lands and by unfathomed seas, this new Galahad in quest of a Holy Grail.

Three purposes coordinated in these quests:

1. The mission, or the spread of religion in benighted lands.
2. The presidio, or the military expansion and extension of the Spanish empire.

3. The pueblo, or civil government.

Through the far famed ages, billowing high with human agitation, the first has been the great civilizing agency of mankind. It was the redemption of the human soul.

The second, the subjugation of empire.

The third, civil government.

It was both secular and spiritual.

Father Junipero Serra, with Portola, started northward upon the holy quest and arrived at San Diego on July 16, 1769, founded the first mission called the San Diego de Alcalo, in commemoration of the "Triumph of the Holy Cross, the victory of the Christians over the Moors."

Ships had sailed from Lower California with provisions and upon their failure to arrive at San Diego in time, the little band of crusaders were reduced to starvation, and together with the hostility of the Indians and the plague, they felt the pangs of want. He erected God's first altars upon these lands north of Lower California, in sight of the sea where the waves beat upon rock and shore and where, like a gleam of light, the white gull spread its pinions, and under the low roof of this first shelter the arches resounded to the chant of the pious and the praise of God.

Then followed mission after mission until on the thirty-first day of March, 1782, the ninth and last mission of Padre Serra was founded at San Buenaventura. Thus he laid the foundations of an empire, the beginning of that government which was to flourish for a time and to establish a civilization upon faith. Upon each of the missions floated wide the eternal symbol of devotion. Under the inspiration of this Christian life, and after his death, missions were established northward reaching San Francisco until nineteen were constructed south of the Golden Gate. It was in 1817 that the twentieth mission was established at San Rafael, the first north of the bay.

This was the last mission established by the old Kingdom of Spain, for the Mexican revolution in 1821 made a change of sovereignty and the Californias became a part of the Republic of Mexico.

On the fourth day of July, 1823, and under the sovereignty of Mexico, the last of the missions, called San Francisco de Solano, was founded at Sonoma, within a few yards of the spot where twenty-three years after the pioneers were to raise the Bear Flag in token of the freedom of a new race and the changing of an old regime

The missions brought a new architecture, the fusion of Persian, Syrian, Byzantine, Roman and Visigoth, blended into Moorish art

From San Diego on the July 16, 1769 to Sonoma on the July 4, 1823, a period of 54 years, beginning before our Republic was born and ending when it was an infant, flourished a civilization unique in the annals of mankind. Fra Junipero Serra reigned, not with a crown, but with a halo from 1769 to 1784 He redeemed a wilderness, made it safe and habitable; he redeemed the souls of men. He died August 28, 1784, at the age of 71 years and was laid away, not in columned sanctuary with a nation's tears—he would not have had it so—but under the old arches of Carmel, the mission he loved best, among the simple people he had taught, to be found and appreciated by another age.

In reviewing that old Spanish world one can not but feel the pulse of romanticism. I see, marshalling their hosts anew, the ghosts of dead renown Cortez, who flashed his sword in the halls of the Montezuma and summoned the proud chieftains to his call; Balboa, who stood under the flag of Spain and looked upon a southern, shimmering sea, and claimed it in the name of his king; De Soto, whose intrepid spirit fathomed the depth of the Mississippi and the stars that shone down upon the midnight burial upon the waters whose tides bore him to fame, and out of the wizardry of the quest comes the melody of Spanish song, faintly heard over mountain and stream and forest, whose echoes shall die only when the wave of the great river shall pay its last tribute to the sea.

I see over this land a realm wrested from the civilization of which I speak, but the new generations have not destroyed its legends, dim and shadowy now, yet reflecting the light of an ancient regime, which must ever be a part of California. If the mission life had not reigned up to 1823, it is doubtful if California had been held from the grasp of England or Russia It was ever a fight against Spain. If England or Russia had succeeded in the ambition for empire, California would not have become a part of the Union California was a successor of Spain and the kingdom that was handed over was built upon the fame of the old Padre

One of the monuments of this golden era was the King's Highway, from mission to mission, ending at Sonoma, where now it affords a modern highway for the traveler It may have been laid in prophecy of an age more glorious, when time would bring new modes of travel and new wants to man. He laid foundations still deeper in the devotions of religious life, a castle of strength for the future years.

The State of California, upon whose soil his achievements stand, owes to his memory the tribute of a monument to be consecrated to some spot in the Hall of Fame.

BY HON. PERCY WEST OF THE FIFTEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

Thomas Starr King, commonly known as Starr King, one of those designated in the resolution and bill before us, whose statue shall be placed in the Statuary Hall in Washington, District of Columbia, was born in New York in the year 1824. He was known by the people of California in his lifetime as the "Saint of the Pacific." In his early life, he encountered great hardships in endeavoring to obtain an education. His father was a minister and like many ministers of that day, as well as of this, had to look forward to his reward Beyond rather than on this earth. His mother was a cultured woman and like a great many other prominent men, Starr King owes to his mother whatever culture and education he received. He could well have said, as Abraham Lincoln said, "All that I am or ever hope to be, I owe to my mother." He became a minister of the Unitarian Church in Boston, Massachusetts, where he preached for several years prior to his coming to California in April, 1860.

At this time, the dark clouds of the Civil War hung over this land and California, like a great many of the border states between the North and the South, was wavering as to whether it would join the Confederacy, or stay with the Union Most of the offices of any importance in the State were held by southern sympathizers and a great many of the people sympathized with the South as well as a number of the newspapers

I do not desire it to be inferred from my remarks that I in any way wish to cast any reflection upon those who sympathized with the cause of the South I believe that the sons of those who wore the gray realize that their fathers were mistaken in the principles for which they fought Whatever opinions contrary to the Union that were held by those of the South have all been obliterated and those who wore the khaki and olive during the recent World War were sons alike of those who wore the blue and those who wore the gray and they both shed their blood in France in the common cause of this Nation, thereby healing any breach that may have been occasioned by the Civil War.

Shortly after Starr King arrived in California, Abraham Lincoln received the nomination for the presidency and Starr King plunged into the fight and in a great measure assisted in the carrying of California for Lincoln. When Fort Sumter was fired upon and the terrible war broke out, feeling ran high in California for and against the Union. It was truly a "time which tried men's souls," and Starr King did more toward kindling the fires of patriotism among those who were wavering and strengthening those who favored the Union cause, by talking from pulpit, rostrum, and on the street corner, and by writing articles of a fervent, fearless and patriotic nature than anyone else in the State

The condition of the Union soldiers in California caused by insufficient clothing, food and medical supplies, was dreadful Disease broke out in all of the camps with insufficient facilities to properly and adequately care for it. With his usual tireless energy Starr King organized the Sanitary Commission. He, in reality, was the commission and due to his untiring efforts some million and a quarter of dollars was raised for this cause. He also turned his attention toward alleviating the sufferings of those who toiled for their livelihood and this at a time when it was not considered good form for ministers of the gospel to take any part in such activities

For four years Starr King gave of his time and strength toward all of these causes, with the result that when he was stricken with a disease, he easily fell prey to it in his weakened physical condition, dying in March, 1864. At his death, as a mark of distinction and of respect, all of the ships of all of the nations which were in San Francisco Bay placed their flags at half mast. He was buried in front of the old Unitarian Church of which he was pastor and later on when the new church was constructed on the southwest corner of Geary and Franklin Streets in San Francisco, his remains were reinterred in the yard of that church, the only person whose body was permitted to rest outside of a cemetery in the City of San Francisco. His burial place is a shrine to which thousands repair each year to pay their respects to the illustrious dead.

A giant tree in Mariposa grove of big trees has been named after him, as has one of the great domes of Yosemite Valley.

He was a great orator, writer and philosopher, endowed by nature with a magnetism and a quality of leadership which few people possess.

California owes it to his memory to recognize the great service which he rendered to it in those dark and troublesome days, and I know of no way in which we can more fittingly do so than by placing his statue in the Hall of Fame at Washington.

BY HON. CORA WOODBRIDGE OF THE NINTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

I feel that I would be derelict in the performance of a sacred duty, and unfaithful to the organizations which I represent, if I did not for a moment raise my voice in support of these measures which are now before you.

I am a member of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, and I have been for many years connected with the California Federation of Women's Clubs

Both of these patriotic organizations have worked long and earnestly to help decide upon the names of those whose statues should be placed in the Hall of Fame.

When I mention to you the name of Doctor Mariana Bertola, past president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West and now president of the California

Federation of Women's Clubs, and that of Miss Grace S. Stoermer, also a past president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, and now chairman of history and landmarks of the California Federation of Women's Clubs; also the name of Mrs. Florence Dodson Schoneman, descendant of the early Spanish nobility, who made history for California—when I mention the names of those noted women who have worked for several years with members of the Native Sons of the Golden West and other interested organizations, to select the names of those who should be so honored, I am sure you will be convinced that every consideration has been given to all the names proposed and I am happy that the two suggested are chief among those who represent the ideals of civilization for which this great State stands

I want to add my voice in earnest support of all that Mr West and Mr. Coombs have said in relation to Thomas Starr King and Father Junipero Serra

I have been very closely connected with the early history of this golden State, having been born in this county many years ago, and through my intimate association with one of the early pioneer ministers, I have heard from the lips of those who knew of the work and worth of Thomas Starr King in San Francisco for this State and this nation.

Mr. West did not mention that in Golden Gate Park in San Francisco the grateful and loyal citizens have erected a magnificent monument to the memory of Thomas Starr King. It seems that the dream and hope of California for lo these many years is about to be realized, and I am glad indeed to have a part in supporting those measures which will in time place in the Hall of Fame in Washington the statues of those illustrious dead, Father Junipero Serra and Thomas Starr King.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO.

Senate Bill No. 652—An act appropriating money for the placing of statues in the Hall of Fame at the city of Washington, District of Columbia.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 652 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL

Mr. Eddy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1221 be withdrawn from the Committee on Commerce and Navigation and placed upon the file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 1221 from committee.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 1221 from committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—53.

NOES—Baum, Carter, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hedges, Jespersen, Lenehan, Miller, James A., Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, and Williamson—12.

Assembly Bill No. 1221 ordered on file for second reading.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Sewell moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed be reconsidered.

The question being on the motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Little moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, four o'clock and fifty-three minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

HON. CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR IN THE CHAIR

At five o'clock and two minutes p.m., Hon. Charles F. Reindollar, member of the Assembly from the Seventeenth Assembly District, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Gant moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1015 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—54

NOES—Burns, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Morrison, Noyes, and Reindollar—13.

Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 8 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to independent contractors and working members of partnerships as employees.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1015 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, and Wright—53.

NOES—Burns, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Williamson, and Woodbridge—16.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At five o'clock and ten minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Williamson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 14 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, West, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—31.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, and Woodbridge—42.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. McDonough: To amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of State Fire Marshal, to provide for his powers and duties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 23, 1923, relating to the appointment of fire inspectors.

JEWETT, Chairman.

Mr. Jewett moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of State Fire Marshal, to provide for his powers and duties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 23, 1923, relating to the appointment of fire inspectors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-eight", and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out all of the line beginning with and following the word "provided"; also strike out all of lines 14, 15 and 16; and in line 17 strike out the words "be extended to thirty-six hours".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Murphy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 85, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MURPHY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill as amended in the Senate March 7, 1927, strike out all of line 12, and the following in line 13 thereof, to wit: "second or third class, who", and insert in place thereof the following: "or who, in a county or city and county containing a population of not less than three hundred thousand as

ascertained by the last preceding census taken under the authority of the congress of the United States, or the Legislature of the State of California,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 173, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 570?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "fifth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "third".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 8, of the amended printed bill, following the word "year", insert a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 19, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "in", and insert in lieu thereof the word "In".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 20, of the amended printed bill, strike out the "s" in the word "boards".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 50, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "as teachers", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in positions requiring certification qualifications".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 7 to 13, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(e) To classify as permanent employees all persons, except those hereinafter specified, who shall have been successfully employed by the district for two or three complete consecutive school years in positions requiring certification qualifications. Such classification shall be made at the end of either the second or third complete year of such employment at the option of the governing board of the district. No person employed in an administrative or supervisory position requiring certification qualifications shall be classified as a permanent employee other than as a classroom teacher.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 9, 10 and 11.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 22, of the amended printed bill, after the word "the", and before the word "person", insert the word "last".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 30, of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 28, 29 and 30, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Any employee dismissed under the provisions of this section may appeal to the state board of education for a rehearing of his case. The decision of the state board of education shall be final.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

Strike out all of the material on page 4 of the amended printed bill, between lines 31 and 40, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Nothing in this act shall be construed so as to repeal or negate any provisions concerning employees of school districts contained in the charter of any city, county, or city and county heretofore or hereafter adopted and approved in conformity with article XI of the constitution of this state.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 51, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "appeal", and insert in lieu thereof the word "repeal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4 of the amended printed bill, the order of the last two paragraphs shall be reversed; the paragraph now appearing in lines 46 to 52, inclusive, being inserted immediately after line 40, subsequent lines being properly enumerated.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, following line 52 of the amended printed bill, insert a new paragraph to read as follows:

Fifth—If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 570 by the following vote:

AYES—Ball—1.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 638?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "and four thousand twenty-two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word and period "counties.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "county charges."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, after the word and period "county.", add the following "The board of supervisors may, in its discretion, authorize the payment of expenses incurred, by county authorities, for temporary, emergency, or extended care or treatment of indigent patients of such county, by local hospitals."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, lines 9 and 10, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "and their deputies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 28 to 32, both inclusive, and strike out all of page 3 of the printed bill, as amended.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "attorney", and insert in lieu thereof the words "and the sheriff,".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 638 by the following vote:

AYES—Ball—1.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a division of narcotic entorcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put, Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1253?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, lines 3 and 4, of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, strike out the following: "such matters and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, lines 10 to 15, inclusive, strike out beginning with the word "The", in line 10, to and including the word "duties", in line 15.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, after the word "compensation", add the following: "of such inspectors and other employees and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, after the word "division", add the following: "The said inspectors of the division of narcotic enforcement shall have all the powers and duties of peace officers in the performance of their duties, and shall be exempt from the provisions of the civil service laws of this state."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1253 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 895?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 8 of the printed bill, after the word "section", insert the word "alone".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 895 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 652?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the amended printed bill, after the words "per annum;", strike out the remainder of line 3, all of line 4, and the word "annum;" in line 5.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 50, of the amended printed bill, after the word "annum", strike out the period and add the following: "; the said deputies to be paid at the same time and out of the same fund as the recorder's salary is paid".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 2, of the amended printed bill, after the word "folio", strike out the period and add the following: "upon certifying to the auditor the actual number of folios so recorded. The said copyists may be appointed deputies without extra compensation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

4. The auditor, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class the auditor shall be allowed one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class the auditor shall be allowed such additional clerks and copyists as he may require and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of one thousand dollars in any one calendar year. The deputy, clerks and copyists named herein shall be appointed by the auditor and their salaries shall be paid in the same manner and at the same time and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 39, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "one thousand eight hundred", and in lieu thereof insert the words "two thousand one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 6 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 16 and 17, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the amount".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "deputy and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "expert".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "deputy and draftsman", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "draftsman and said rural appraiser".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 652 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1217?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, following the comma after the words "fish products", add the following: "meat or meat products, which meat or meat products are not under the inspection of the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "cooker", add the following: "or a retort".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "retorts", add the following: "or pressure cooker".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "meat or meat products, which meat or meat products are not under the inspection of the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "products", add the following: "meat or meat products, which meat or meat products are not under the inspection of the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "which shall have power to pass upon and determine the qualifications of the applicant for the permit with a view to the preservation of the public health, and which permit when granted shall be revocable by the board whenever in its judgment the public health requires such action."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the comma following the words "fish products", add the following: "meat or meat products, which meat or meat products are not under the inspection of the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, after the comma following the words "fish products", add the following: "meat or meat products, which meat or meat products are not under the inspection of the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the following: "or the division of animal industry California state department of agriculture."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture," insert the following: "or the division of animal industry California state department of agriculture."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the following: "or the division of animal industry California state department of agriculture".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the following: "or the division of animal industry California state department of agriculture."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the following: "or the division of animal industry California state department of agriculture".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1217 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wittet, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4267*a* to the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the thirty eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 182?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new section to be numbered four thousand two hundred sixty-seven *a* to the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the thirty-eighth class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the figures "4267", add the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the figures and comma "1927,", add the following: "payable in equal monthly installments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, before the word "for", add the following: "in the field".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 182 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 207?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out period following the word "same", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however,* that the funds derived from such sale shall be used for capital outlay."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 207 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14,

1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 621?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "anatomy", insert a comma and the following "including embryology and histology".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 47, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "urology", strike out the remainder of the line, and in line 48 strike out the words "nose and throat", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ophthalmology, otolaryngology,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 50, 51 and 52, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Group 9.

Obstetrics and gynecology	4	to 5	per cent
Total	76	to 100	per cent
Electives	24	0	per cent
Total number of hours required	4,000		hours

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 621 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*a*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 58?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That in line 20 of the printed bill, following the word "government", the semicolon be stricken out and a period inserted in lieu thereof.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 58 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding four new sections thereto to be numbered 8½, 8¾, 13½, and 14½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, the adding new territory to water works districts and the ordering and contracting for work and acquiring property therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1178?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

That the title of the printed bill be amended by striking out in line 8 thereof the word "three", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

That the title of the printed bill be amended by striking out in line 9 thereof the word "and", which appears as the second from last word in said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

That the title of the printed bill be amended by inserting in line 10 thereof, following the word "one-half,", the words "and fourteen and one-half,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

That on page 2 of the printed bill, the word "or", in line 7, and all of lines 8 and 9, be stricken out.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

That on page 5 of the printed bill, in new paragraphs following line 9, there be added the following:

SEC. 7. A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered section 14½, and to read as follows:

Sec. 14½. Any portion or portions of a county containing unincorporated territory, or containing the whole or any portion of one or more incorporated cities and contiguous unincorporated territory, and not included in a county irrigation district or a county waterworks district, may be added to any county waterworks district organized under the provisions of this act, at any time, in the manner herein prescribed.

The holder or holders of title, or evidence of title, to one-half or more of the lands sought to be added may file with the board of supervisors a petition in writing praying that said lands be added to the district. The county assessment roll of the county in which the lands sought to be added are situated, which assessment roll has been last equalized at the time the petition is filed, shall be conclusive evidence as to the holders of title, or evidence of title, to said lands.

The petition, which may consist of any number of separate instruments, shall set forth and describe the boundaries of the proposed addition, or additions, and pray that the lands within such boundaries be added to the district. A certificate of acknowledgment taken before a notary public or justice of the peace of any state, or an affidavit by any person in the presence of whom the petition was signed, shall be sufficient evidence of the genuineness of the signature, or signatures, and the fact of place of residence of each petitioner.

Upon the filing of said petition, the board of supervisors shall set a time for the hearing thereof, which shall be not less than fifteen and not more than thirty days from the date the petition is filed. Notice of the filing of said petition shall be given by the clerk of said board by publishing at least once a week, for at least two weeks, in a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the county in which the district is situated, a notice that the petition has been filed, giving the time set for the hearing thereof, and that the petition, together with all written protests filed with

said clerk prior to the time set for said hearing, will be heard and passed upon at that time, and that all persons interested therein may then appear and be heard. Said notice shall also contain the text of the petition, but not more than five of the names attached thereto need be published, provided the number of the total of said names is stated.

At the time fixed for the hearing the board of supervisors shall hear the petition, together with such written protests as shall have been filed as herein provided, by or on behalf of the owners of taxable property situated within the district, or within the proposed addition thereto, and may adjourn such hearing from time to time, not exceeding four weeks in all.

No defect in the contents of the petition or in the notice, or publication of the notice, shall vitiate any proceedings thereon, provided such petition, or petitions, have a sufficient number of qualified signatures attached thereto.

At said hearing said board may make such changes in the proposed boundaries of the territory sought to be added as may be deemed advisable, but said board shall not modify said boundaries so as to exclude any territory which in its opinion will be benefited by being added to the district. Upon such hearing of said petition, said board shall find as to the sufficiency of said petition, and its decision thereon shall be final and conclusive.

At the expiration of the time at which protests may be filed, if none be filed, or if protests be filed and after hearing be denied, then said board shall be deemed to have acquired jurisdiction to further proceed, and the board may grant the petition, in whole or in part, and shall fix the boundaries of the territory sought to be added, and shall, by resolution or ordinance after having acquired jurisdiction to proceed, provide for and order the holding of a special election in said district and in said proposed addition, to determine whether or not the territory in said proposed addition shall be added to the district. At such election the proposition to be submitted shall be "Shall the territory described in the resolution of the board of supervisors, adopted on the_____day of_____, 19___, be added to_____ county waterworks district No._____?" For the purposes of said election, said board shall in said resolution or ordinance establish one or more precincts within the boundaries of said county waterworks district, and one or more precincts within the boundaries of the territory sought to be added thereto, designate a polling place, and appoint one inspector, one judge and one clerk for each such precinct. In all particulars not recited in such resolution or ordinance such election shall be held as provided by law for holding general elections in such county. Such resolution or ordinance ordering the holding of said election shall, prior to the date set for said election, be published five times in a daily, or twice in a weekly or semiweekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in such county and designated by said board for said purpose. No other notice of said election need be given. If at such election a majority of the votes cast in the district then existing and a majority of the votes cast in the territory sought to be added thereto are in favor of such addition, the board shall enter an order to that effect upon its minutes, declaring said territory added to the district, and from and after the date of such order, such territory shall be deemed added to and shall form a part of said district, subject to all the rights, privileges, powers and responsibilities set forth in this act and necessarily incident thereto.

If, in the judgment of the board of supervisors, it is deemed necessary, because of the lack of sufficient moneys in the funds of the district to provide adequate water, construct necessary plants and distributing systems, or properly serve the territory sought to be added, or for any other reason, to make the addition of the new territory conditional upon the voting and issuance of additional bonds, said board may in its resolution or ordinance granting the petition, or a part thereof, and calling an election upon the proposition of adding new territory to the district, order that said election shall be upon the joint proposition of adding new territory and of incurring an indebtedness by the issuance of bonds of the district as the same will exist if the new territory sought to be added is added thereto. Said ordinance or resolution shall state the purpose for which the proposed debt is to be incurred, the amount of the debt to be incurred, the maximum term the bonds proposed to be issued shall run before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years and the maximum rate of interest to be paid, which shall not exceed eight per cent per annum, payable semiannually. The proposition to be voted upon in such event shall be "Shall the territory described in the resolution of the board of supervisors adopted on the_____day of_____, 19____, be added to_____county waterworks district No._____, and shall said district, as the same will exist after the addition of said territory, incur a bonded indebtedness in the sum of_____ dollars ($_____) for the purpose of (stating the purposes for which the amount so raised is to be used)?" Notice of said election and all matters in connection with said election shall be given and conducted in the manner hereinbefore provided, where the proposition is to be upon the sole question of the adding of new territory. If at such election a majority of the votes cast in the district then existing and a majority of the votes cast in the territory sought to be added thereto are in favor of said proposition of adding new territory and of incurring such

bonded indebtedness, then the board of supervisors shall enter an order to that effect upon its minutes, declaring said new territory added to the district, and from and after the date of such order such territory shall be deemed added to and shall form a part of said district subject to all the rights, privileges, powers and responsibilities set forth in this act and necessarily incident thereto and said board shall thereupon be authorized and empowered to issue bonds of said district (as the same will exist after the addition of such new territory), for the amount voted upon at said election The provisions elsewhere in this act made for the form of bonds, issuance and sale of bonds, the levying and collecting of taxes for the payment thereof and of other matters relating to bonds of the district shall govern in the case of such bonds.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

That the title of said printed bill be amended by striking out in line 12 thereof the words "and making applicable the", and in line 13 thereof the words "improvement act of 1911 for the construction of the", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the adding new territory to water works districts and the ordering and contracting for".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1178 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants—and repectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 942?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the amended bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of amended bill, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 942 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Senate concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 687?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "act", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "unless such veteran shall return to the California veterans' welfare board an amount of money equal to that received by him as such educational aid not to exceed one hundred dollars. Any money so returned shall be deposited in the veterans' farm and home building fund and used in carrying out the purposes of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "act", strike out the remainder of line 18 and strike out all of lines 19 to 23, inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 687 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 528?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the bill after the word "probate", in line 3, and insert in lieu thereof "it must be recorded in the minutes by the clerk with the notation: "Admitted to probate (giving date)"."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 528 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 449?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "county", add a comma, and strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "municipality", add the following "or political subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "county", add a comma and strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "municipality", add the following "or political subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended, after the comma, insert "except where the moneys so deposited belong to a specific fund, in which case it shall be paid into such specific fund and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "county", add the words "city and county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "county", add the words "city and county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "county", add the words "city and county, city, town,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 449 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein, to define

the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 264?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "jack bur", and insert in lieu thereof the words "spiny dock".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "Alhagi", insert the word "camelorum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or timber products".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 6, lines 16 and 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and the name and address of the purchaser".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 264 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on April 19, 1927, passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of nominating, voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 43?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "election", insert the following: "it shall be deemed for all purposes of such election and primary election,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "nomination", insert the following: "papers".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 43 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1193?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "power", add the following: "with the consent and approval of the board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 31 to 51, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 10 Each member of the harbor commission shall receive a per diem of five dollars for each day actually and necessarily spent in the discharge of his or her duties under this act, together with his or her traveling expenses, upon verified demands by each commissioner at monthly meetings of the board of supervisors. All other expenses that may be incurred shall receive the majority endorsement of the harbor commission before consideration and disposition thereof at regular monthly meetings by the board of supervisors.

Salaries and expenses incurred shall be paid from a fund designated as "harbor commission fund"; said fund shall be created by tax levy in same manner as all other funds by the board of supervisors, but in no instance shall the levy in any one year exceed one per cent on each hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of the county.

Prior to the raising of funds for any and all work or expenses under this act, the board of supervisors shall have power to incur, permit to accrue, audit, approve and pay any demand, debt, or obligation against the county from the general fund in a sum not to exceed five thousand dollars.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1193 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 18?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "than", and insert in lieu thereof the word "then".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 18 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the State, by gift, devise, grant or other conveyance of the Donner monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 197?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on March 25, 1927, strike out the words "or other proc-", and the word "ess", in line 3 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following ", devise, grant or other conveyance,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 197 was concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 672?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "outside of the county seat".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 672 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1259?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "judgment", add a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "locality", add a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "iron,", add the following: "Epsom salts,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the abbreviation "viz", add a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1259 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the possession of machine rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device, and providing a penalty for violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 619?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "manufacture, sale, offering for sale, exposing for sale".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "and use".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the following: "automatic rifles".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 7 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "and providing a penalty for violation thereof".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 619 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, relating to taxes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 191?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1927, strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections three thousand seven hundred forty-six and three thousand seven hundred fifty-six of the Political Code, relating to taxes.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 27, inclusive, also strike out all of page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 3746 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3746. On or before the third Monday in October, the tax collector must publish a notice specifying:

1. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property will be due and payable on the third Monday in October, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at five o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto ten per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April next, at five o'clock p.m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the second Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April, next thereafter, at five o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

2. That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

3. The times and places at which payment of taxes may be made.

SEC. 2. Section 3756 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3756. On the first Monday of December of each year, at five o'clock p.m., all taxes then unpaid, except the last installment of real property taxes, are delinquent, and

thereafter the tax collector must collect, for the use of the county, or city and county, an additional ten per cent thereon; *provided*, that if they be not paid before the last Monday in April next succeeding, at five o'clock p.m., he shall collect an additional five per cent thereon. On the last Monday in April of each year, at five o'clock p.m., all the unpaid portion of the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property is delinquent, and thereafter the tax collector must collect, for the use of the county, or city and county, an additional five per cent thereon; *provided*, that the entire tax on any real property may be paid at the time the first installment, as above provided, is due and payable; *and provided, further*, that the taxes on all personal property unsecured by real property shall be due and payable immediately after the assessment of said personal property is made.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 191 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 623?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "hearing", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided*, that no such petition shall embrace within the boundaries of such proposed public park district, any land or lands lying nearer than one mile to the ocean or any inlet, bay, estuary or arm of the ocean or shall any change be made in the boundaries of such proposed district so as to embrace any such lands"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "district", add the following: ", not inconsistent with the provisions of section 1 hereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "thereof", add the following: ", not inconsistent with the provisions of section 1 hereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "district", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided*, that in no case shall the boundaries of such district embrace any territory lying nearer than one mile to the ocean or any inlet, bay, estuary or arm of the ocean"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 623 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the location of the office and branch offices of the Real Estate Commissioner and to the appointment of deputies in the Real Estate Department—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 994?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 17 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1927, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and to the appointment of deputies in the real estate department."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following words: "and he shall from time to time obtain the", and also strike out all of lines 22 to 26, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following words "subject to the approval of the department of finance. In the real estate department, in addition to exemptions authorized and prescribed by other provisions of law, the positions of two deputies, to be designated by the real estate commissioner, shall be exempt from the provision of the civil service law."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 994 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1222?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out line 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following "the county, except in the city jail in any city wherein there is established a municipal court, or in any jail as a prisoner of any city, except in cities where there is established a municipal court,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1222 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 19, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 239?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, following the word "are", and before the word "to", insert the word "required".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 239 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in behalf of the Indians of the State of California in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1215?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Beginning with the comma following the word "general", in the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out down to and including the word "claims", in the

third line of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to bring suit against the United States in the court of claims in behalf of the Indians of the State of California in the event that the congress of the United States authorizes the same"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 to 11, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "attorney general of this state to institute a suit or suits in the court of claims in behalf of the Indians of the State of California, the attorney general is hereby authorized with the approval of the governor of this state to cause suit or suits to be instituted and to employ special counsel to assist in the prosecution of such suit or suits and to pay all necessary expenses incident thereto from moneys appropriated to the attorney general; *provided*, that the congressional authority therefor shall provide that in the event the court shall render judgment against the United States the State of California shall be reimbursed for all necessary costs and expenses incurred by said state; *provided*, that no reimbursement shall be made to the State of California for the services rendered by its attorney general in person."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1215 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER—Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1290—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a*, relating to county jails—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of act in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 7½, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "convict's benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, pro-

viding that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 393—An act creating the Port District of San Francisco, and providing for its government; granting in trust to the Port District of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; and granting to said district certain tide and submerged lands in San Mateo County—and reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Approving two certain amendments to the charter of the city of San Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

KEATON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to the state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted, as amended.

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman.
MURPHY.
WILLIAMS.
BALL
ANDERSON.
CLOWDSLEY.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to repeal sections 633 and 634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to findings of fact and conclusions of law and the entry of judgment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section, to be numbered $5\frac{1}{2}$, to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*a*, relating to county jails.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 173 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the letters and hyphen "pro-", and strike out all of lines 6 to 15, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended, between lines 16 and 17, add the following:

5. In an action or proceeding brought in the superior court or justices' court by or against the reclamation board of the State of California, or any irrigation, reclamation, levee, swamp land or drainage district, or any public agency, or trustee, officer or employee thereof, affecting or relating to any real property or an easement or right of way, levee, embankment, canal, or any work provided for or approved by the reclamation board of the State of California, the judge of the superior court of the county, or justice of the peace of the township in which such real property, or any part thereof, or such easement or right of way, levee, embankment, canal or work, or any part thereof is situated shall be disqualified to sit or act, and such action, if brought in the superior court, shall be heard and tried by some other judge of the superior court requested to sit therein by the judicial council, or if brought in the justices' court, by some other justice of the peace requested to sit therein by the judicial council; unless the parties to the action shall sign and file in the action or proceeding a stipulation in writing, waving the disqualification in this subdivision of this section provided, in which case such judge or justice of the peace may proceed with the trial or hearing with the same legal effect as if no such legal disqualification existed. If, however, the parties to the action shall sign and file a stipulation agreeing upon some other judge of the superior court or justice of the peace to sit or act in place of the judge or justice disqualified under the pro-

visions of this subdivision, the judge or justice agreed upon shall be called by the judge or justice of the peace so disqualified to hear and try such action or proceeding; *provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing the judge of the superior court of such county from issuing a temporary injunction or restraining order, which shall, if granted, remain in force until vacated or modified by the judge designated by the governor as herein provided.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to repeal sections 633 and 634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to findings of fact and conclusions of law and the entry of judgment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 3 strike out the words "a question of fact", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "an action".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley.

Resolution read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed measure, after the word "resolved", strike out the comma, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "*by the Assembly, the Senate concurring,*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed measure, after the word "valley", strike out the period and add the following: ", and be it further

Resolved, That the secretary of state is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the mayor of the city of Los Angeles and the chairman of the bureau of light and power of said city."

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 192, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and/or other timber products by persons who by their own labor, and/or by using their live stock, machinery and/or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, and/or transporting logs and/or in manufacturing lumber and/or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and/or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor, and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the land owner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the land owner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers employed in logging camps upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same, approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, insert after the word "done", the words "or service was rendered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, insert after the word "whether", the words "said work was done or service was rendered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" following the word "labor", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 14, of the printed bill, insert after the word "appliances", the following: " , or both,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "manufactured lumber", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in manufacturing the said lumber".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, insert after the word "products", the following: " , or both".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, insert after the word "appliances", the following: " , as the case may be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "April 12", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "March 30".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 83, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, and March 28, 1927, strike out the following: "Penalty for violation of Statute." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Authority for Appointment of Enforcement Officers."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 857, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont Sewer District, for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 6 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "pipes", insert the following: "and specifying conditions under which they shall be laid and maintained".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a period and add the following: "Such sewer pipes shall be of a quality and laid and maintained in such a manner as shall at all times be satisfactory to the state board of health and department of institutions."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "that", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "city", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "thereto", insert the following: "for such purposes".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 336, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and

filing of indictment by grand jury—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Senate Bill No. 412—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof,

Also, Senate Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds,

Also Senate Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.
SNYDER,
ROCHESTER
CARTER

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State,

Also Senate Bill No. 394—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases,

Also: Senate Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases,

Also: Senate Bill No. 371—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds,

Also Senate Bill No. 386—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institutions for insane, in a criminal case;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No 378—An act to provide for the formation, powers, duties, government, and maintenance of health and sanitary districts in the State; the acquisition, maintenance, improvement, and disposal of property thereby, the acquisition, construction, maintenance, and disposal of certain public improvements therein, the alteration of boundaries and dissolution of such districts, and the reorganization of existing sanitary districts in the State under the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

FRY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accountants; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending subdivision 3 of section 2, by providing that no person shall be compelled to work or be employed, at any time, in the office of a certified public accountant as a prerequisite to taking such examination—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No 76—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, so as to require the keeping of records of the names and hours worked by female employees in all occupations subject to the provisions of the act, which records shall be accessible at all reasonable hours to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, his deputies and agents, to whom is delegated the duties of enforcing the provisions of the act, and making proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act, at the time any female is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof, prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said female to so work, so as to bring him within the penal provisions of the said act, also making the records required by this act prima facie evidence, sufficient to sustain a conviction, if they show a violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State park, providing for the management of the same by a commission; prescribing the duties and powers of such commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or

release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 7½, relating to the use of convicts on State highways and roads, creating a "convict's benefit" fund and providing for payments in and out of the same, providing that convicts so used shall not be restored to civil rights or subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, or entitled to any benefits thereunder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1284 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 762 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—Burns, and Hornblower—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 122—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 122 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson,

Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—Lyons—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Relative to approving two certain amendments to the charter of the city of San Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927.
Resolution read.
The question being on the adoption of the resolution.
The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 393—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 393 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.
The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 393 to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.
Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1275 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROBERT B. FRY IN THE CHAIR.

At six o'clock and forty-two minutes p.m., Hon. Robert B. Fry, member of the Assembly from the Thirtieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1279 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melvalle, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—Bernard—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At six o'clock and forty-seven minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At six o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Mr. Byrne moved that further proceedings under the call of the House dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Sewell, Walters and Davis, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with the call of the House.
The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Smith, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—37.
NOES—Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jewett, Jost, Keaton,

Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Wherrell—38.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At seven o'clock p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and the motion for reconsideration of the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 177 was passed lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Woolwine—39.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—40.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At seven o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 385—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1044, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 385 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 389—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 389 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 378—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 378 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 361—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 361 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett,

Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 392 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 395 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 388 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses.
Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 404 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 410—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c*, and 1247*d*, of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 410 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 391—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 391 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 375 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations, and complaints.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 393 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 396 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 399 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489 and 490 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 408 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—Burns and Hornblower—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 238 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva Patterson, Roberts, Roland Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 619—An act validating the formation and organization, and determining the boundaries of East Side County Water District, in the county of Santa Clara, State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 619 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 165—An act to amend section 653*w* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 165 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 291—An act to amend section 729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the oath and undertaking of commissioner, report and account of sale and compensation of commissioner on foreclosure proceedings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 291 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 435—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the Building and Loan Inspection Fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 435 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 183—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1607*f*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees and city boards of education and authorizing such boards to establish, equip and maintain buildings to house employees of the school district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 183 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 342—An act requiring certain reports to be made concerning children with impaired hearing.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 342 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, so as to prohibit the acceptance of more than one deposit as a fee for the same position.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 45 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 380 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to terms of imprisonment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 250 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 411—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or information.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 411 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Flynn, Hornblower, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; and Walters—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 381 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, **Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts,** Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Cloudman, Flynn, Hornblower, McDonough, Patterson, Walters, and Williamson—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 843—An act authorizing the Governor of the State to sign, the State Controller to countersign, and the State Treasurer to indorse any and all bonds prepared pursuant to the provisions of section 4 of article XVI of the constitution of the State of California which have not been signed by the Governor, countersigned by the State Controller and indorsed by the State Treasurer who were in office on the second day of January, 1927.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 843 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 198—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors, and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 198 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 255—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county officers of counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 255 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 19x24 of the Juvenile Court Law, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 706 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 2646 of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance and repair of county highways.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 347 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the organization and creation of improvement districts within irrigation districts organized under the "California Irrigation District Act"; to provide for the construction of improvements therein, and for the levy of assessments on the lands of such improvement districts.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 5 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 168—An act to amend sections 653*ff*, 653*kk* and 653*jj* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative associations, with or without capital stock.
Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 168 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 203—An act to amend sections 4, 5, 7, 35 and 41 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost, definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, exclusion of public property and mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 203 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 19—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 19 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachment and execution.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 23 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 77—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 77 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 265—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 559½, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 265 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 273—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 956*a*, to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to remedial powers of the appellate courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 273 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 411 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 483 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 596—An act to amend the Civil Code by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 161*a* thereof, relating to the respective interests of husband and wife in community property, and more clearly defining the same.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 596 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 831 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Carter, Crawford, Deuel, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Noyes, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, Williams, and Wright—20.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Williamson moved that Assembly Bill No. 840 be withdrawn from the Committee on Insurance and placed on file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 840 from committee lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Easley, Flynn, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, West, Williams, Williamson, and Witter—22.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Wherrell—36.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, in relation to the regulation of public utilities in the State,

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35—Relative to the installation of ventilating systems in the Assembly and Senate chambers—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041a, relating to county jails;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

WRIGHT, Chairman.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
FRY.
OLIVA.
HEISINGER.
ADAMS.
WOODBRIDGE.
ANDERSON, D. P.
MURPHY.
MELVILLE.
CRAWFORD.
SCOFIELD.
DUVAL.
CLOUDMAN.
MIXTER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relat-

ing to juries—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

JACOBSON, Chairman.
MILLER, JAMES A.
CRITTENDEN.
SEWELL.
CARTER.
WALTERS.
JONES.
FINLEY.
COOMBS.
LITTLE.
FEIGENBAUM.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 461—An act providing for the organization and government of public service districts for the purpose of establishing and maintaining public labor camps—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

JACOBSON, Chairman.
SEWELL.
KELSEY.
WALTERS.
CARTER.
SMITH.
ROLAND.
LYONS.
LITTLE.
CRITTENDEN.
WEST.
WILLIAMSON.
HORNBLOWER.
FINLEY.
JONES.
COOMBS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all after the enacting clause, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

231. Such jurors must be summoned from the list of persons prepared as hereinafter stated, by notifying each orally that he is summoned and of the time and place at which his attendance is required or by leaving a written notice to that effect at his place of residence with some person of proper age or by mailing such notice by registered mail.

In the month of January in each year it shall be the duty of each justices' court and of each police or other inferior court in this state to make an order designating the estimated number of trial jurors that will, in the opinion of the court, be required for the transaction of the business of the court and the trial of causes therein during the ensuing year; and immediately after said order is made the county clerk of the county in which said court is held shall select a list of men and women to serve as trial jurors in such court during the ensuing year or until a new list of trial jurors shall be provided.

The selections and lists shall be made of persons suitable and competent to serve as jurors resident respectively in the city and county, township, city or township in which the court has jurisdiction and in making such selections the county clerk shall take the names of such only as are not exempt from serving, who are in the possession of their natural faculties, are not infirm or decrepit, of fair character and approved integrity, and of sound judgment. A certified list of the persons selected to serve as trial jurors in each such court shall at once be placed in the possession of and filed with such court. The persons whose names are so returned shall be known as regular jurors and shall serve for one year and until other persons are selected and returned.

Whenever the business of such court shall require the attendance of a trial jury, the justice or judge of the court, or any one of the justices or judges when there is more than one, may make an order directing the sheriff, constable, marshal or policeman of the jurisdiction to summon trial jurors as hereinabove provided.

Whenever, after all of the persons whose names appear upon the list of jurors for such a court have been summoned and there is not a sufficient number of competent jurors present, the court, or a justice or judge thereof, may direct the sheriff, constable, marshal or policeman of the jurisdiction to summon a sufficient number of persons having the qualifications of jurors from the body of the city and county, township or city in which such court has jurisdiction.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part III of the Civil Code, embracing sections 653*a*1 to 653*a*13, inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, April 22, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 22, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names.

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Cuttenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kearon, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Parkman Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. A Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Leymel was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fry, Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Badham, Mrs. Byron J. Badham and Misses Kleva and Irma Badham of Los Angeles were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mixter, Dr. David C. Williams of Exeter, California, former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e* relating to the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed;

Also, Assembly Bill No 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California;

Also, Assembly Bill No 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2979b, 2979c, 2979d, 2979e, 2982a, 4041d, relating to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of eighteen years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the State Board of Health and by and under the direction of county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2a to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. J. and T. D. Borie against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G. Johnson against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J. H. Newman against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft way in said city of Berkeley fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, and 16*e* to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint guardian therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to the rights of the United States government or a department or bureau thereof in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors in cases where compensation, pension, insurance, or other allowance is made;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend sections 2 and 9 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. G. Celio and Sons, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 21, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 555 is herewith returned without my approval.

This bill relates to the cancellation of warrants by the county auditor. The law now provides for cancellation in case such warrants have remained "uncalled for" for two years. The amendment proposes to change the words "uncalled for" to "outstanding".

If enacted into law this bill might result in the cancellation of warrants which remained outstanding through no fault of the holders of the warrants but due to lack of funds in the treasury to meet the obligations. This situation has been brought to the attention of the author who has requested that approval be withheld.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 22, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1184 is herewith returned without my approval.

The bill provides that "for the purpose of conducting primary elections the board of supervisors or election commissioners may consolidate any two or more of the regular election precincts established for state or county elections". If primary precincts were thus enlarged, it would naturally mean that the voter, especially in the country, must travel a longer distance to the polls and often vote in a place different from that to which he was accustomed at other elections. This could have no other effect than to discourage primary voting, though I am satisfied that it was not introduced with that idea in mind.

The author undoubtedly conceived the thought of combining these precincts for the same reason that they are occasionally combined for special elections, the theory being that a light vote does not justify the expense of regular election machinery. The bill was thus apparently introduced in the belief that the vote in primary elections is comparatively small, and that accordingly fewer precincts are needed at primaries than in general or final elections. This is, I imagine, a very common misconception, and may well be analyzed in the light of the last primary and general elections.

It is true that in the large cities and in some counties where the primary falls in the hot weather vacation period, the vote in the November election somewhat exceeds the primary vote. However, this is by no means the rule throughout the State. Out of the fifty-eight counties of the State, thirty-two last year actually cast a higher percentage of vote in the primaries than in the finals, while seven other counties cast within one per cent of as large a vote. In the very county represented by the author of this bill, for instance, 75¼ per cent of the total registration voted at the primaries, while only 68¼ per cent voted at the final election.

Moreover, this primary vote was a very large one. In each of seventeen counties over 80 per cent of the total registration voted at the primaries. In a number of counties there was better than an 85 per cent vote. On the other hand, in the final election only five counties cast better than an 80 per cent vote, while none approached 85 per cent. A vote averaging more than four out of every five registered voters, such as was polled in the primaries in nearly one-third of our counties, is a very remarkable showing, and indicates how strong a hold the direct primary has on the California voter.

In order to broaden the scope of our examination, I have made a list of forty-five counties which have the largest voting percentage both at primary and general elections. These counties together polled a primary vote almost exactly 75 per cent of their total combined registration. The same counties polled in the final election less than a 73 per cent vote. In a word, the majority of our counties—particularly our rural counties—pay even better attention to the primary than to the general election. The California primary has evidently come to stay.

Finally I would call attention to the fact that, by a constitutional amendment adopted last November, a majority of our judicial, school, and county officials will

undoubtedly hereafter be elected at the primaries, through receiving a majority of all votes cast, and their offices will not appear upon the final ballot at all. Thus it is apparent that, with a larger percentage of vote in most counties and more offices to be voted upon, there can be no valid reason for combining primary election precincts as provided in this measure.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
April 22, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1095 is herewith returned without my approval.

This is a special validating act relating only to Nevada Irrigation District. It seeks to declare valid all proceedings with respect to the organization and formation of that district and with respect to the subsequent enlargement thereof. I am advised that these proceedings have been passed upon by attorneys who are recognized authorities on this class of legal work, and I have no doubt that these proceedings were valid in all particulars. I might add that no suggestion has been made to me to the contrary.

However, I am advised by both the Attorney General and the Legislative Counsel that these special validating acts are themselves invalid and have been declared unconstitutional by our Supreme Court in the recent case of Miller & Lux vs. Board of Supervisors, 189 Cal. 254. That case involved a validating act relating to the Madera Irrigation District (Statutes 1921, page 76) which act was almost identical with the present bill.

Prior to the decision of the above mentioned case, the Legislature customarily passed a great number of special validating acts. Each session brought forth an increasing number of requests for such legislation. Since this decision was handed down declaring any attempted validation by the Legislature to be an idle gesture because violative of our constitution, but few special acts have been proposed. If, despite this decision, legislative validation is again commenced, each session will bring forth an increasing number of bills proposing to validate each particular district formed under our numerous laws for the formation of various types of districts.

The strongest arguments presented in favor of the special validating acts is that some believe that they might do some good and that they are in fact harmless. The Supreme Court has answered the first by declaring these special acts to be unconstitutional. As to the second argument, each such act may in itself be harmless, but the harm is found in establishing a precedent which will result in an increasing number of these acts each session, thereby needlessly occupying the time of the Legislature and filling our statute books with meaningless and unconstitutional legislation.

I am withholding approval of this special validating act solely for the reasons above set forth and not because there is any question in my mind concerning the validity of any proceeding in connection with this particular district. For similar reasons I have heretofore withheld approval of Assembly Bill No 683, a special validating act relating to Reclamation District No. 2047.

I have already signed Assembly Bill No. 865, a general validating act covering all irrigation districts including the Nevada Irrigation District.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—Proposed amendment to article II of the constitution, relative to the right of suffrage

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 35

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh regular session, commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 1 of article II of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

Section 1 Every native citizen of the United States, every person who shall have acquired the rights of citizenship under or by virtue of the treaty of Queretaro, and every naturalized citizen thereof, who shall have become such ninety days prior to any election, at the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of the State one year next preceding the election, and of the county in which he or she claims his or her vote ninety days, and in the election precinct thirty days, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are now or may hereafter be authorized by law; *provided*, any person duly registered as an elector in one precinct and removing therefrom to another precinct in the same county within thirty days of an election, shall for the purpose of such election be deemed to be a resident and qualified elector of the precinct from which he so removed until after such election; *provided, further*, no alien ineligible to citizenship, no idiot, no insane person, no person convicted of any infamous crime, no person hereafter convicted of the embezzlement or misappropriation of public money, and no person who shall not be able to read the constitution in the English language and write his or her name, shall ever exercise the privileges of an elector in this State; *provided*, that the provisions of this amendment relative to an educational qualification shall not apply to any person prevented by a physical disability from complying with its requisitions, nor to any person who had the right to vote on October 10, 1911, nor to any person who was sixty years of age and upwards on October 10, 1911; *provided, further*, that the Legislature may by general law, provide for the casting of votes by duly registered voters who, by reason of their occupation, are required to travel and who, by such affidavit as the Legislature may prescribe, show that they expect to be absent from their respective precincts on the day on which any primary or general election is held, or who, by reason of their being engaged in the civil, congressional, military or naval service of the United States or of the State, may be absent from their respective precincts on the day on which any primary or general election is held, or who because of injury or disability are absent from their precincts or unable to go to the polling places; which votes (*a*) may be cast in the office of the registrar of voters, or of the county clerk of the county or city and county in which such voters respectively reside, and on a day prior to the date of such election, under such provisions as the Legislature may see fit to make; or (*b*) may be cast in the city, city and county or town within this State in which such voters may be on the day on which such election is held, under such provisions as the Legislature may see fit to make, and shall be forwarded in such manner as the Legislature may prescribe to the officers respectively of the city, city and county or town having charge of the counting of the ballots cast at such election; or (*c*) in cases where said voters are engaged in such civil, congressional, military or naval service, may be cast at any place, under such provisions as the Legislature may see fit to make, and shall be forwarded in such manner as the Legislature may prescribe to the officers respectively of the city, city and county or town having charge of the counting of the ballots at such election; all of which votes shall be kept in such manner and counted by such methods as the Legislature may prescribe; *provided*, that it must be required that all ballots cast in any other place than the precinct of the voter must be received by the county clerk of the county in which the voter is registered, within two weeks of the election, in which such ballots are to be counted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35—Relative to the installation of ventilating systems in the Assembly and Senate chambers.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland,

Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 35.

Relative to the installation of ventilating systems in the Assembly and Senate chambers.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Superintendent of the Capitol Buildings and Grounds, under the direction of the Department of Finance, be directed to install modern and adequate ventilating systems in the Assembly and Senate chambers; the completion of such installation to be made prior to January 1, 1929.

Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, with respect to issuance of licenses to marry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and thirty-eight minutes a m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 830 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—56.

NOES—Feigenbaum, Gant, Jewett, Melville, and Murphy—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the time within which to file claims with the Industrial Accident Commission in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1012 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—56.

NOES—Byrne, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—14.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 629—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*d*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of trustees, and city boards of education pertaining to the funds and financial transactions of school organizations composed largely or wholly of pupils in the public elementary and secondary schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 629 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Brock, and Spalding—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1224 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry,

Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. S. L. HEISINGER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a m., Hon. S. L. Heisinger, member of the Assembly from the Fifty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*a*, relating to county jails.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1290 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—60.

NOES—Adams, Gant, Parkman, Scudder, and Spalding—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1289 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-two minutes a m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 5½, to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps

of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1221 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Baum, Burns, Byrne, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Mixter, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, and Williamson—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 120 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Lyons—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the Sergeant-at-Arms was authorized to procure and serve luncheon to the members of the Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to add a new title to be numbered XXIV to division I, part III of the Civil Code, embracing sections 653*a*1 to 653*a*13, inclusive, providing for the organization and government of public service districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 461 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost,

Keaton, Kelsey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Feigenbaum, Gant, Lenehan, Little, Miller, James A., Morrison, Parkman, Smith, and Spalding—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. FRANK L. COOMBS IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-nine minutes a.m., Hon Frank L. Coombs, member of the Assembly from the Eleventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—Proposed amendment to article XII of the constitution, relative to regulation of public utilities of the State.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, Croter, Finley, Hawes, McDonough, Morrison, Rochester, and Witter—8

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—64.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 648 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 648 to the Committee on Reapportionment.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend sections 30 and 37 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to the Chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles and registration fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take Pismo clams for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of Pismo clams, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot and pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March 22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the board of pilot commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1720, 1750*a* and 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution, relating to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers and jurors—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, to protect clams.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1058 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—Burns, Gant, Lenehan, Morrison, Parkman, and Scudder—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 560—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 560 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend section 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of constables;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use or occupancy of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the disqualification of judges—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to repeal sections 633 and 634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to findings of fact and conclusions of law and the entry of judgment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to the state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 5 of the Hide and Brand Law, relating to revocation of licenses—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith." approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to prohibit intoxicating beverages;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution, relative to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Adams, Feigenbaum, Murphy, and Reindollar—4.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 34.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution, relating to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers and jurors.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-seventh session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend section 5 of article XI of the constitution to read as follows:

Sec. 5. The Legislature, by general and uniform laws, shall provide for the election or appointment, in the several counties, of boards of supervisors, sheriffs, county clerks, district attorneys, and such other county, township, and municipal officers as public convenience may require, and shall prescribe their duties and fix their terms of office. It shall regulate the compensation or provide for the regulation by the counties, or in such manner as it shall see fit, of the compensation of all such

officers, in proportion to duties, and may also establish fees to be charged and collected by such officers for services performed in their respective offices, in the manner and for the uses provided by law, and for this purpose may classify the counties by population; and it shall provide for the strict accountability of county and township officers for all fees which may be collected by them, and for all public and municipal moneys which may be paid to them, or officially come into their possession. It may regulate the compensation of grand and trial jurors in all courts within the classes of counties herein permitted to be made.

Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 2322*x*40 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies and inspectors in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 557 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 803 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. HOWARD W. DAVIS IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and seven minutes a.m., Hon. Howard W. Davis, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-third Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to establish pilot regulations for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo and Benicia," approved March

22, 1870, and to add to said act a new section numbered 26, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for said ports, and making an appropriation for the support of said board during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1256 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1031 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, and Woodbridge—53.

NOES—Burns, Flynn, Hawes, Hornblower, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Williamson, and Mr Speaker—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1662, 1720 and 1750*a* of the Political Code, and repealing section 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 924 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—65.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 775 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wittet, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fourteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance and the reserves required in certain classes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 827 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Bernard, and McDonough—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend sections 1073 and 1174 of the Political Code, relating to election supplies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 235 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL.

Mr. Little asked for and was granted unanimous consent to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 1220.

Bill withdrawn and ordered stricken from the file.

Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1060 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. B. J. FEIGENBAUM IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and sixteen minutes a m. Hon. B. J. Feigenbaum, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-first Assembly District, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Alpine

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1287 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and eighteen minutes a m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Assembly Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the duties of constables and

sheriffs in the service and levy of writs, notices and other process issued by justices of the peace or justices' courts in civil actions or proceedings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Walters, McPherson, Davis, Finley and Snyder demanded the previous question:

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Williamson and Bernard, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for previous question.

The roll was called, and the motion for previous question carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Anderson D. P., Bernard, Burns, Coombs, Easley, Foster, Gaut, Hornblower, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Rochester, Roland, West, Williams, and Williamson—16.

Demand sustained

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 802 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jost, Keaton, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, and West—23.

NOES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—49.

Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1286 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL.

Mr. Roberts asked for and was granted unanimous consent to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 1057.

Bill withdrawn and ordered stricken from the file.

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to create a Cattle Protection Board, to define its powers and duties, to protect the breeders and growers of cattle from theft, to provide for the registration of cattle brands and the licensing of cattle slaughterers and the sellers of the meat thereof, to provide for the inspection of cattle and cattle hides for brands and marks, to provide for the collection of licenses and inspection fees, to provide for the creation of a fund to be known as the Cattle Protection Fund, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the fees of inspectors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 171 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 173 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 578 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure and to repeal sections 633 and 634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to findings of fact and conclusions of law and the entry of judgment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 381 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hedges, Jespersen, Jewett, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Scudder, and Smith—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1292 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1293 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fin-

ley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Deuel, Gant, Little, Olva, Snyder, and Spalding—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the concurrent resolution.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Deuel moved that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 34 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Conservation.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 to Committee on Conservation.

MOTION TO AMEND.

Mr. Hornblower moved to defer consideration on Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 as an amendment to Mr. Deuel's motion to re-refer same to committee.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION.

Mr. Little moved as a substitute motion that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 34 be laid on the table.

The question being on the motion to lay on the table.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Deuel, Snyder and West, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to lay Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 on the table.

The roll was called, and the motion to lay on the table lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Baum, Block, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Jacobson, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Witter, and Woolwine—22.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Flynn, Foster, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Olva, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright—49.

QUESTION BEFORE THE HOUSE.

The Speaker ruled that the amendment by Mr. Hornblower to defer action on Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 was before the House.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

Mr. Duval moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city of Los Angeles through its board of water and power commissioners", and substitute in lieu thereof the following, "bureau of power and light of the city of Los Angeles".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city of Los Angeles", and substitute therefor the following "bureau of power and light of the city of Los Angeles".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 30, of the printed bill, and on page 2, line 1, strike out the words "board of water and power commissioners", and insert in lieu thereof: "bureau of power and light of the city of Los Angeles".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Duval as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DUVAL, Select Committee

The question being on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. West, Ball and Heisinger, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, and Wright—43.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—29.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 ordered to reprint.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Sewell asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, as amended, at this time, without reference to printer.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

Mr. Heisinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "Whereas,", insert the words "It appears that".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Heisinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEISINGER, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Williamson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, as amended, at this time, without reference to printer.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34—Relative to state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Cuttenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Woodbridge, and Wright—43.

NOES—Badham, Baum, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—34.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 34.

Relative to the state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the county of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley.

WHEREAS, Agriculture is recognized as the true economic basis of the growth and prosperity of California; and

WHEREAS, The maintenance and development of agricultural communities is a prerequisite of the welfare of the people of this State; and

WHEREAS, There exists a state of conflict between two political subdivisions of this State, namely, the county of Inyo and the city of Los Angeles, over the use and possession of the water of the Owens River Valley; and

WHEREAS, It appears that the Bureau of Power and Light of the city of Los Angeles has adopted a policy of ruthless destruction of the farm and community life of the Owens River Valley which is rapidly changing a rich irrigated valley back to a desert waste; and

WHEREAS, This policy of ranch devastation is destroying the main economic support of several towns within this valley, and is bringing utter ruin upon hundreds of business firms and individuals, who are helpless against the circumstances which are crushing them, and without any recourse for obtaining proper compensation for their losses; and

WHEREAS, This policy is fraught with grave dangers and constitutes a menance to the peace and welfare of the entire State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature by resolution herewith calls upon the Bureau of Power and Light of the city of Los Angeles

to restore the Owens River Valley to its former agricultural status existing up to the year 1923, when the city's present policy of ranch purchase and devastation was inaugurated, or, failing in this, to bring about a settlement of this controversy between the Bureau of Power and Light of the city of Los Angeles and the remaining property owners of the Owens River Valley including in this settlement proper compensation for damages done to business firms and individuals residing in the towns of Owens River Valley; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the mayor of the city of Los Angeles and the chairman of the Bureau of Light and Power of said city.

EXPLANATION OF VOTES.

The following explanation of votes was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

STATEMENT OF THE UNDERSIGNED IN EXPLANATION OF THEIR VOTES IN SUPPORT OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

We wholeheartedly support this resolution because we believe that the policy of the city of Los Angeles in the Owens River Valley in Inyo County, and the methods adopted by that city in carrying out that policy, are against the best interests of the State of California.

The city of Los Angeles, in an attempt to secure an additional water supply, has constructed an aqueduct from the city of Los Angeles to the lower portion of the Owens River Valley, which carries approximately 400 second-feet of water, which is drained from the mountains surrounding said valley and from the approximately 200,000 acres of land within said valley.

It has purchased approximately 80 per cent of the agricultural lands of Owens Valley which has heretofore been used largely for orchards, alfalfa and other farm crops. These lands purchased by said city in Owens Valley are being rapidly devastated of orchards, buildings and improvements heretofore enjoyed by the inhabitants of Owens Valley, which was settled first in the early sixties and which since that time has grown and has been developed by the use of several irrigation systems or ditches and within which has grown up six prosperous cities or towns.

That said lands, because of such devastation, are rapidly being returned to their former desert state. The water that was used for irrigation of the valley has been caused by said city to drain into its conduit and has been transferred to Los Angeles where a very large percentage of it is and has been used by said city in irrigating the farm lands of San Fernando Valley.

That said city has hired county officials of Inyo County to appraise the lands purchased by said city; that said city has also released at a nominal rental a small part of its lands to persons who care for them and conduct chicken ranches and other farming businesses in a limited way. The agents of the city have participated in the politics of said county and supported and opposed various candidates for county office in Inyo County. Said city has refused to assume any responsibility for the loss of business suffered by the towns of said valley resulting from the devastation of the lands surrounding the cities and towns of the valley.

Said valley contains the main taxable agricultural property of the county of Inyo, and 80 per cent of it already has been greatly impaired in value because of the ruinous practices of said city of Los Angeles. Said city has assumed more complete control over the lands of Owens Valley than had that valley been annexed to Los Angeles, except that it has never exercised such control in the interest of the county of Inyo. It has acted in many ways, apparently, in a proprietary rather than a municipal capacity.

We believe that if the city of Los Angeles had, in the beginning, purchased available dam sites and reservoir sites, and had also tapped the Mono Lake country, it could have constructed waterworks which would have supplied in the past years and in years to come sufficient water to have irrigated Owens Valley and still have supplied the needs of Los Angeles, and would not have necessitated the expenditure of twelve millions of dollars, more or less, in the purchase of lands in Owens Valley, and would not have damaged this exceptionally beautiful, fertile and prosperous valley.

We seriously condemn the unnecessary destruction of Owens Valley, which is evidenced by uprooted trees, demolished buildings, abandoned schools, etc.

We seriously criticise the attitude of Los Angeles toward the towns in Owens Valley which have been unnecessarily damaged and which are facing almost complete depopulation.

We deplore the policy of the city which abandons its municipal functions and enters into extensive activities of a private nature, to the ruination of another political subdivision, and admit surprise that such can be legally done, as hereinbefore set forth.

Above all we deplore the fact that a city of such magnitude would rely for its water supply upon a drainage system rather than the storing of water in reservoirs where it would remain constant, pure and certain in quantity

We condemn the precedent here established which recognizes the right of a large municipality to purchase almost unlimited areas in another and smaller political subdivision and to dominate and devastate such territory, which results in great embarrassment, damage to and almost complete disruption of the community life of the smaller political subdivision, without adequate compensation

What has happened to Inyo County, unless steps are taken to prevent a repetition of that invasion, may happen to other rural counties of the State

RECOMMENDATIONS.

We recognize the fact that it is the right and in fact the duty of Los Angeles to provide, lawfully, adequate municipal water supply for her needs. We therefore from the facts hereinbefore set forth, which we believe to be true, recommend as follows:

First—That the city of Los Angeles should forthwith proceed, by lawful purchase or condemnation, to obtain ample dam sites and reservoir lands and rights of way for necessary acqueducts and water rights sufficient to provide her necessary water from Mono Lake section and Long Valley Basin.

Second—That said city should at once dispose of all of her farm lands heretofore purchased as soon as practicable at a reasonable market price under their present devastated and arid condition.

Third—That said city should proceed forthwith to pay to the inhabitants of said cities and towns in said valley whatever damages they may have suffered or will suffer between now and the time of rehabilitation; and if said city shall not proceed forthwith to construct its own waterworks and obtain its own necessary water supply it should proceed at once to purchase all of the property, except personal property, in said cities and towns and pay also the reasonable damages for the goodwill of the businesses in said cities and towns.

Also said city should, if she does not construct her own waterworks as before suggested, forthwith purchase all of the remaining lands located in said valley.

Fourth—The necessary riparian and appropriatory rights of the lands in said Owens Valley should be left undisturbed.

Believing as we do that the resolution offered by Assemblyman Dan E. Williams, which resolution is known as Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 34, sets forth the facts substantially as we have hereinbefore enumerated them, and also that his conclusions are substantially the same as ours, and also believing that this is one of the most serious problems confronting the State, and that therefore such resolution is, at this time, of unusual importance, we, the undersigned members of this Assembly, have given it our most sincere and earnest support We trust that his Excellency Hon. C. C. Young, Governor of California, will use his good offices to the end that the residents of Owens Valley may be compensated for the injuries suffered by them from the acts of the city of Los Angeles, and that peace, harmony and prosperity may again obtain in this most valuable section of California.

ISAAC JONES.
BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN.
T. M WRIGHT.
ELBERT G. ADAMS.
FRANK W. MIXTER
ROBERT L PATTERSON.
VAN BERNARD.
ROSCOE J. ANDERSON.

Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States; prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 118 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Wemple, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—28.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Cloter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Finley, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Kenton,

Kelsey, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—49

Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section, to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1080 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy or possession of any estate in real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roberts moved that Assembly Bill No 1021 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No 1021 to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely

within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning with the word "hearing" in line 21 thereof, strike out all printed matter down to and including the word "body" in line 23, and insert in lieu thereof the word "hearing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 15, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "delinquent", and insert in lieu thereof the word "unpaid".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 15, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "dates", and insert in lieu thereof the word "date".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 15, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "lists", and insert in lieu thereof the word "list".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 17, line 13, of the printed bill, immediately preceding the word "defendant", insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 23, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the", and insert in lieu thereof the word "The".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 296, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Rochester.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 662 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Finley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan,

Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—50

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jost, Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wherrell, and Wright—27.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. RAY WILLIAMSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Ray Williamson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official plans and to appoint planning boards; describing the powers and duties of said planning boards, providing for the approval of plats; and providing that building permits shall conform to official plans.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Brock moved that Senate Bill No. 585 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 585 to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 860—An act creating the Angeles Forest Game Preserve in the counties of Los Angeles and San Bernardino, in the State of California, providing for the prevention of the destruction of wild game within the boundaries thereof and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, after the semicolon and before the word "southwest", insert the word "the".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 860, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204*e* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended April 20th, strike out the word "other".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 688, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 26—Approving four certain amendments to the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighteenth day of March, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-second day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 22 of article IV thereof, relating to State aid to certain physically handicapped persons—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-second day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relative to memorializing and petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to establish by proper legislation a Bureau or Department of Publicity—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-second day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and

other labor troubles," approved June 7 1913, by making its application universal, prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and making it mandatory to insert in such advertisements the name of the person, firm, association or corporation placing the advertisement and making the appearance of this name in connection with the advertisement prima facie evidence as to the person, firm or corporation responsible for the advertisement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend section 1862 of the Civil Code, relating to the sale at auction of unclaimed baggage;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 341a of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to actions to recover personal property left in hotels;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fiftieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to amend section 19x16 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixteenth class and providing an additional assistant probation officer in counties of said class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to consolidation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062a, relating to declaratory relief;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2322x16 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies and inspectors in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 2322x29 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the twenty-ninth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to amend section 34 of an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to the abolishing of "Sacramento-San Joaquin Drainage District fund, Sutter-Butte By-pass Assessment No. 6 emergency fund," and providing that the moneys in said fund shall be used, expended and disbursed in accordance with, pursuant to and for the purpose set forth in chapter 556 of the Statutes of the State of California for the legislative session of the year 1919, directing the State Controller to draw his warrant and make all necessary transfers and entries concerning the moneys in said fund, directing the State Treasurer to pay the warrant and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 1469 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 476—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal and county laboratories for the diagnosis of communicable disease and requiring the State Board of Health to issue certificates of approval for such laboratories;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to said act, to be numbered section 752c, relating to powers of boards of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to create a harbor district to be called Ventura County Harbor District, to provide for the location, improvement, development and protection on the seacoast of Ventura County of a harbor and approaches thereto, to provide for the government, control, operation and maintenance of said harbor and the approaches thereto, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the advance by Ventura County of the preliminary expense and the incurring by said district of indebtedness for the cost of said construction and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of assessments by said district for said purposes and for the collection thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4300*i* of the Political Code, relating to fees of the public administrator;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to approve, confirm, ratify and validate sales and conveyances of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of trustees or other governing bodies thereof, or by the board of education of any city, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of any such sales;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, providing for the effect of defectively acknowledged and recorded instruments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 1263 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of the head of a family must contain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 1267 of the Civil Code, providing what the declaration of homestead of a person other than the head of a family must contain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of officers in counties of the forty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 927*h* of the Code of Civil Procedure to provide for the performance by the marshal of the municipal court of the duties imposed upon the constable and providing for the fees to be charged therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, to provide for the payment of fees in the small claims court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fee and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to provide a penalty for violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 763—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 606, relating to the organization of corporations for charitable and eleemosynary purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No 834—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610¼, relating to special leaves of absence and exchanges of teachers, principals, and other persons in public school service holding positions requiring the certification of their qualifications in certain cases, and defining the powers of boards of school trustees and city, or city and county boards of education or high school boards of education in such cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the filing of certificates for the practice of optometry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for

their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to confirm and validate the boundaries of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to validate the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to establishment of the fact of death;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to amend section 42 of the act known as the Improvement Act of 1911, approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications of justices of the peace in certain townships;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2322*x*5 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School, and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to add a new section to the "Weights and Measures Act" approved June 16, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 16*x*2, relating to the salaries of the sealer of weights and measures, and deputies, in counties of the second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197*e*, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious disease, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the application and payment of fees for licenses, registration of licentiates and payment of fees for such registration;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to form agricultural districts, to provide for the formation, organization and powers, of agricultural associations therein and for the management and control of the same by the State, and repealing all acts and portions of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 17, 1909, as amended, relating to the classification of counties into agricultural districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-second day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers

and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

JACOBSON, Chairman.
FEIGENBAUM.
HORNBLOWER.
JONES.
LITTLE.
MILLER, JAMES A.
ROCHESTER.
ROLAND.
SEWELL.
SMITH.
WILLIAMSON.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendations

(Signed out)

SCOFIELD, Chairman.
FISHER.
WALTERS.
BISHOP.
KEATON.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

NIELSEN, Chairman.
BADHAM.
FINLEY.
DUVAL.
JONES.
SCOFIELD.
WILLIAMS.
DEUEL.
LYONS.
JESPERSEN.
SPALDING.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning

persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 15 to 31, of the printed bill, strike out all of said lines 15 to 31, *inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following*

SEC. 11. An order providing for the care and custody of a ward of the juvenile court in such case where it is necessary that provision be made for the expense of support and maintenance of said ward, must direct that the whole expense of such support and maintenance of said ward, up to the amount of not more than twenty dollars per month be paid from the county treasury, and may direct that an amount up to twenty-five dollars per month be so paid, and in the case of any physically sick, epileptic, insane or feeble-minded ward, the court may order such additional sum or sums to be paid from the county treasury as may be necessary for the support and maintenance of said ward; *provided*, that the total amount so paid in the case of said physically sick, epileptic, insane or feeble-minded ward shall not exceed the sum of forty dollars per month. That all orders made pursuant to the provisions of this section, shall state the amounts to be so paid from the county treasury, which shall not in the case of any one ward exceed twenty-five dollars in any one month, except that in the case of any physically sick, epileptic, insane or feeble-minded ward an amount not to exceed forty dollars per month may be ordered paid.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tidelands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the comma following the word "taxation", insert the following: "providing for a commission therefor and defining the powers and duties of such commission in respect thereto,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the comma and the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to constitute a commission to make the investigation and report authorized by this act. Said commission shall be known as the California tax commission. The governor may designate the chairman of said commission and may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out lines 19 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following. "erty values and such property values as are taxed directly by the state under the existing system of taxation.

SEC. 3. The commission provided for in this act is hereby authorized and empowered, at the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the word "The", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except in the case of state officers, who shall receive no per diem or salary as members of this commission, the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the words "section 1 of this act shall receive no", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "this act shall receive as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, strike out the word "but", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the sum of fifteen dollars per day for each day actually employed in this work, not exceeding twenty days in any one calendar month for the chairman of the commission and not exceeding ten days in any one calendar month for any other member of the commission. All members of the commission".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend the Political Code by amending sections seven hundred thirty-eight *b*, as added to said Code by the provisions of chapter four hundred fifty of the Statutes of 1915, seven hundred thirty-seven *vv*, seven hundred thirty-eight *d*, and by adding thereto new sections numbered seven hundred thirty-six *c*, seven hundred thirty-eight *f*, and seven hundred thirty-eight *g*, all relating to the compensation of judges of the superior court.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*c*, and to read as follows:

736*c*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court of the State of California shall be paid in part by the state and in part by the county or city and county in and for which the judge is elected or appointed, as follows:

In and for the counties of Los Angeles, Alameda and the city and county of San Francisco, four thousand dollars by the state and the remainder by the county or city and county;

In and for the counties of Fresno, San Diego and Santa Clara, three thousand five hundred dollars by the state and the remainder by the county;

In and for the counties of Sacramento, San Joaquin, San Bernardino, Orange, Tulare, Kern, Contra Costa, Sonoma, Riverside, Stanislaus, Imperial, Santa Barbara, Solano, Humboldt, San Mateo, Butte, Ventura, Monterey, Marin and Santa Cruz, three thousand dollars by the state and the remainder by the county;

In and for the counties of Merced, Mendocino, Kings, San Luis Obispo, Napa, Placer, Siskiyou, Yolo, Shasta, Tehama, Madera, Glenn, Nevada, Yuba, Sutter, Colusa, San Benito, Lassen, Amador, Tuolumne, Inyo, El Dorado, Calaveras, Plumas, Lake, and Modoc, two thousand five hundred dollars by the state and the remainder by the county;

In and for the counties of Mariposa, Del Norte, Trinity, Sierra, Mono and Alpine, two thousand dollars by the state and the remainder by the county.

SEC. 2. Section 737*rr* of said code is hereby amended to read as follows:

737*rr*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Placer is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 3. Section 738*b* of the Political Code, which section was added to said code by the provisions of chapter 450 of the Statutes of 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

738*b*. The annual salaries of the judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the counties of Humboldt and Siskiyou shall be five thousand dollars and of the county of Lake shall be four thousand dollars.

SEC. 4. Section 738*d* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

738*d*. The annual salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Tulare are five thousand dollars.

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to said Code to be numbered 738*f* and to read as follows:

738*f*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Glenn and the county of Tehama is five thousand dollars per annum.

SEC. 6. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 738*g* and to read as follows:

738*g*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Sierra is three thousand dollars

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Imperial.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 24 to 26, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five hundred dollars"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 737*w* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "thirty-five"; also strike out lines 6 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend section 738c of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 46—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Diego; to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and the manner of payment of his compensation.

AMENDMENTS FROM THE FLOOR.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by Mr. Walters:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 9 of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, strike out the word "judges", and insert in lieu thereof the word "judge".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 11 of the printed bill, strike out the word "judges", and insert in lieu thereof the word "judge".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the county of Alameda, and for the appointment of such additional judge.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 152—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to the public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 188—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing their salaries.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions

of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State Commissioner thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 312—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 319—An act to add a new section to article II of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 362*g*, relating to the establishment of a division of school planning in the State Department of Education and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 411—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Park Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State Park purposes; authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of ten thousand dollars for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 459—An act to authorize the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 508—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 759 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of reporters of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 621—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Edward J. Kelly against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443 and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor.

AMENDMENT FROM THE FLOOR.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by Mr. Bishop:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "ten", strike out the word "days", and insert in lieu thereof the word "units".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 649—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Richard Kittrelle against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, vesting in the Director of Agriculture the enforcement of the provisions hereof and the promulgation and enforcement of rules and regulations hereunder, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring this act to be an urgency measure

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for the creation of a commission for the study of the problem of public education beyond the elementary grade in California, and providing an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 847—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the bridge across the Sacramento River at Rio Vista, and making same an urgency measure.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 875—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and

places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "attend," insert the words "shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed ten dollars,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 101—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, after the semicolon in line 15, add the following: "one matron at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out line 37, and on line 38 strike out the following: "county work.", and insert in lieu thereof the following:

12. The county surveyor, twenty dollars per day from and after the day on which this act becomes effective to the the thirty-first day of December, 1927, when engaged in county work. On and after the first day of January, 1928, he shall receive ten dollars per day when engaged in county work.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891," approved March 16, 1907, by amending section 9 thereof, relating to the recordation of records of survey platting or subdividing land into lots for the purpose of sale.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 319 of the Civil Code, relating to the place of corporate meetings.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and having a capital", and insert in lieu thereof the words "whose shares have a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stock", and insert in lieu thereof the words "par value".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, insert the word "outstanding", before the word "indebtedness".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 24 which precedes the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the words "or special meeting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "capital", and insert in lieu thereof the words "shares of each class of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "meeting of the stockholders".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "members or at", and the words "called for that purpose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and adoption".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 35 which follows the word "adopted", all of line 36, and the words "is to say", in line 37.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "stockholders", insert the words "either present in person or represented by proxy at said meeting and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 38, of the printed bill, insert the words "of each class of stock", after the word "shares".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 44, of the printed bill, insert the words "each class of stock of" before the words "the corporation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and adoption".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "upon", and insert in lieu thereof the word "after".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "such", and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "time", insert the words "such certificate is signed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "amount", and insert in lieu thereof the words "number of shares of each class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "amount", and insert in lieu thereof the words "number of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 24, of the printed bill, insert the words "shares of each class" before the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, insert the words "of each class" after the word "shares".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the capital".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "adopt", and insert in lieu thereof the word "approve".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 4024 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to appointment of deputies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 31, 1927, strike out all of lines 3 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

4024. Every county, marshal of municipal court, clerk of municipal court, township, or district officer, except a supervisor or judicial officer, may appoint as many deputies as may be necessary.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 88—An act to amend sections 1044, 1083*b*, 1096, 1096*a*, 1125, 1151, 1192, 1095*b*, 1204, 1205, 1210, 1261, 1262, 1264, 1265, of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors and conduct of elections.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 13, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "intermediate school course", and insert in lieu thereof the words "junior high school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 16, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "intermediate school course", and insert in lieu thereof the words "junior high school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 17, of the amended printed bill, strike out the letter "*d*", following the figures 1617.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, lines 19 and 20, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "intermediate school course", and insert in lieu thereof the words "junior high school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 21, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "intermediate school course" and insert in lieu thereof the words "junior high school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, lines 23 and 24, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "intermediate school course", and insert in lieu thereof the words "junior high school".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 567—An act to amend section 1859 of the Political Code, relating to the length of the school term.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 670—An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under eighteen years of age; to provide for maintenance and management of same, and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 578—An act granting to the La Jolla Beach and Yacht Club, a corporation, a perpetual easement for a channel across certain tidelands in the city of San Diego.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 637—An act declaring that certain lands situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, are not tidelands and releasing any claim that the State of California may have in and to said lands.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 840—An act providing for the expenditure of money, appropriated by the Legislature of the State of California, for the rectification of the channel of the San Joaquin River in cooperation with the government of the United States in accordance with an act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes," approved by the President on January 21, 1927; authorizing the Board of Control to acquire rights of way therefor and authorizing the Governor on behalf of the State of California to convey said rights of way to the United States of America.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 876—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2527*a*, relating to the powers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners as to the construction and leasing of extensions of wharves or piers owned by the State of California and under the control of said board, and providing for the right of ingress to and egress from such extensions over such wharves or piers during the term of said lease.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 298—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the letter "a" following the word "auditor", strike out the word "detailed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "previous", strike out the word "current".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "printed", insert the words "or mimeographed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "first", insert the words "business day".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "year", strike out the comma and the words "and said board", and insert in lieu thereof a period.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 299—An act to amend sections 1830, 1836, and 1840 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to elementary and district school funds and taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "sections" at the end of the line, insert the following: "1612*a* nor sections".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 1612*a* of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the time of preparing and filing school budgets.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "district", insert the word "If", and commence the word "The" following with a small letter.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing,

refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to exemptions, refunds, appropriations for carrying out the provisions of said act, examination of records of distributors thereunder by the State Board of Equalization and correction of assessments of said distributors by said board.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 16, 17 and 18, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "nor to any motor vehicle fuel delivered under contracts entered into prior to the fourteenth day of May, 1923,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to erroneously collected taxes, penalties and costs, and the refund of taxes collected on tax exempt property.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 3—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, and adopting those provisions, not inconsistent herewith, of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 518—An act to provide for the acquisition of rights of way for and the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways, classifying the highways in the State system and allocating and directing the expenditure of funds for the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 569—An act to provide for the separation of crossings of highways and steam and electric railways in the State of California providing that certain funds shall be devoted to said purposes to be expended by the California Highway Commission subject to certain orders of the State Railroad Commission.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 666—An act to reduce the fire insurance hazards of the business of clothes cleaning establishments, providing for the enforcement thereof by the State Fire Marshal, providing ways and means for enforcement and providing penalties for violations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 260—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2768, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of policies of life or endowment insurance.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "life", strike out the words "without parole".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "ten", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 394—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 371—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 386—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institution for insane, in criminal case.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 858—An act to provide for the formation, powers, duties, government and maintenance of health and sanitary districts in the State; the acquisition, maintenance, improvement and disposal of property thereby; the acquisition, construction, maintenance and disposal of certain public improvements therein; the alteration of boundaries and dissolution of such districts; and the reorganization of existing sanitary districts in the State under the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT, AS AMENDED IN SENATE, MARCH THIRTIETH.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, in section 1 after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended, in section 1, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended, in section 1, strike out the lower-case "s" in the word "sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof an upper-case "S".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "no", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "no", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "proposed", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "words", strike out the words " "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the lower-case "s" in the word "sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof an upper-case "S".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, after the comma following the word "Yes,", strike out the words " "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 5, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, in the word "sanitary", strike out the lower-case "s", and insert in lieu thereof an upper-case "S".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "proposed", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "words", strike out the words " "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 5, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 6, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 6, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "such", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "proper", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "managers", strike out the words "health officers,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "sanitation", strike out the words "and health".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 7, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "other", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 7, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "every", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO

On page 7, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 7, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, after the words "for garbage collection and disposal", insert a comma after the word "disposal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 7, lines 31, 32, and 33, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "for the control and promotion of all health matters, protection and betterment within the district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 7, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 7, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 8, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 8, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 8, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 8, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "treasurers", insert the following: "relating to matters covered by this act,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 8, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 8, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 10, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "that", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 10, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 11, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 11, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 11 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 6 to 23, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO.

On page 11, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 11, lines 42 and 43, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "in so far as such conditions are matters of either health control and regulation, or of sanitary provisions,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 11, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 11, line 52, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "those", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

On page 12, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "or both,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 12, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-EIGHT.

On page 12, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-NINE.

On page 12, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY.

On page 12, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-ONE.

On page 12, line 52, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-TWO.

On page 13, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "in", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-THREE.

On page 13, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FOUR.

On page 13, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FIVE.

On page 13, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-SIX.

On page 13, lines 48, 49 and 50, of the printed bill, as amended, after the semicolon, strike out the words "a health officer who shall be the chief health officer of the county initiating the district or a deputy appointed as hereinafter provided;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY SEVEN.

On page 14, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, before the figures "16", insert the word "SEC."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-EIGHT.

On page 14, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-NINE.

On page 15, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "to", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY.

On page 15, lines 23 and 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-ONE.

On page 15, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-TWO.

On page 15, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "all", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-THREE.

On page 15, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FOUR.

On page 15, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FIVE.

On page 16, lines 23 and 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SIX.

On page 16, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "it)", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SEVEN.

On page 16, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "such", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-EIGHT.

On page 20, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-NINE.

On page 22, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "in", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY.

On page 22, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "partial", strike out the words "health or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-ONE.

On page 23, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "collector.", strike out the words "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-TWO.

On page 23, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, in the word "sanitary", strike out lower case "(s)", and insert in lieu thereof upper case "(S)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-THREE.

On page 24, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "Auditor.", strike out the words "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-FOUR.

On page 24, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, in the word "sanitary", strike out the lower case "(s)", and insert in lieu thereof an upper case "(S)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-FIVE.

On page 24, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "Treasurer.", strike out the words "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-SIX.

On page 24, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, in the word "sanitary", strike out the lower-case "s", and insert in lieu thereof an upper-case "S".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-SEVEN.

On page 25, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "Attorney.", strike out the words "Health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-EIGHT.

On page 25, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, in the word "sanitary", strike out the lower case "s", and insert in lieu thereof an upper case "S".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-NINE.

On page 25, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "be", strike out the word "a", and insert in lieu thereof the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY.

On page 25, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "all", strike out the word "ordinaces", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ordinances".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-ONE.

On page 25, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "and", strike out the word "intruments", and insert in lieu thereof the word "instruments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-TWO.

On page 26 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 3 to 42, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-THREE.

On page 28, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-FOUR.

On page 28, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-FIVE.

On page 29, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "in", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-SIX.

On page 29, lines 28 and 29, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-SEVEN.

On page 29, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "In", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-EIGHT.

On page 29, line 45, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETY-NINE.

On page 30, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "any", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED.

On page 30, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "health,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED ONE.

On page 30, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWO.

On page 30, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THREE.

On page 30, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FOUR.

On page 30, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "In", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIVE.

On page 31, lines 18 and 19, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIX.

On page 31, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVEN.

On page 31, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "by", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED EIGHT.

On page 31, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "any", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED NINE.

On page 31, line 39, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "to", strike out the words "have the same force, value and use as bonds issued by any municipality, levee district, or irrigation district, and shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TEN.

On page 31, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED ELEVEN.

On page 31, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "In", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWELVE.

On page 32, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "any", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTEEN.

On page 32, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FOURTEEN.

On page 32, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN.

On page 32, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIXTEEN.

On page 32, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN.

On page 32, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and Sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEEN.

On page 32, line 37, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED NINETEEN.

On page 32, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "any", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY.

On page 33, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "In", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE.

On page 33, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "in", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-TWO.

On page 33 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 47 to 51, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE.

On page 34, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the designation "(d)", and insert in lieu thereof the designation "(c)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 34, lines 16 and 17, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 34, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "service" strike out the word "if".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX.

On page 35, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "In", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 35, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "any", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 35, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-NINE.

On page 35, lines 29 and 30, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY.

On page 35, lines 31 and 32, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "in health control and promotion;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE.

On page 35, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "public", strike out the word "health,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO

On page 35, line 39, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE.

On page 35, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 36, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 36, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SIX.

On page 36, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 36, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "mean", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 36, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE.

On page 36, line 52, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY.

On page 37, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-ONE.

On page 37, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the word "health".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO.

On page 38, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-THREE.

On page 38, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

On page 38, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE.

On page 38, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "words", strike out the words "Health and sanitary", and insert in lieu thereof "Sanitary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SIX.

On page 38, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 38, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 39, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "Reorganized", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-NINE.

On page 39, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY.

On page 39, lines 25 and 26, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE.

On page 39, lines 30 and 31, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO.

On page 39, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "incorporated", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-THREE.

On page 40, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 40, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "said", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 40, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "trustes", and insert in lieu thereof "trustees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SIX.

On page 40, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "said", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 40, lines 17 and 18, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT.

On page 40, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE.

On page 40, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "the", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIXTY.

On page 40, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "a", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE.

On page 40, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "tial", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO.

On page 40, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "proper", strike out the words "health and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

On page 41, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "The", strike out the words "health and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accountants; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 3; by repealing sections 3a, 4 and 5; and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, relating to issuance of certificates, suspension of certificates and violations thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading .

Senate Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, so as to require the keeping of records of the names and hours worked by female employees in all occupations subject to the provisions of the act, which records shall be accessible at all reasonable hours to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, his deputies and agents, to whom is delegated the duties of enforcing the provisions of the act, and making proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act, at the time any female is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof, prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said female to so work, so as to bring him within the penal provisions of the said act; also making the records required by this act prima facie evidence, sufficient to sustain a conviction, if they show a violation of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State Park, providing for the management of the same by a commission; prescribing the duties and powers of such commission.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 3 and 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Endorsed upon the bond shall be a description of the real and personal property securing the same."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 412—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 3 and 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Endorsed upon the bond shall be a description of the property, whether real or personal, securing the same."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, strike out the word "sixty" and insert in lieu thereof the word 'ninety".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 365—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, strike out the word "sixty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ninety".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, strike out the word "sixty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ninety".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Following line 23 of the printed bill, as amended March 29, 1927, add the following: "A dismissal of the indictment or information after the default of the defendant shall not release or affect the obligation of the bail bond or undertaking."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eight o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Monday, April 25, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 25, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—76.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Snyder was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Scofield, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

IMPERIAL IRRIGATION DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, Public convenience demands the increase in the number of directors of irrigation districts of more than 500,000 acres in area from five to seven members; and

WHEREAS, The Imperial Irrigation District has within its boundaries in excess of 600,000 acres and there is immediate necessity for the increase of the number of directors thereof from five to seven members; and

WHEREAS, There is now pending in the Legislature of the State of California, an act to so increase the number of directors in the irrigation districts having in excess of 500,000 acres in area; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the American Conservation Club that public convenience and necessity require the increase in the number of directors of irrigation districts of more than 500,000 acres in area from five to seven members; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of California be requested to give favorable consideration to the act now pending relating to this matter; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor of the State of California, the Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the Assembly, and our State Senator and Assemblyman.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Keaton, Messrs. John R. Quinn and George Stout of Los Angeles and Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Joseph F. Chrenick of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office;

Also: Senate Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 412 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State;

Also Senate Bill No. 741—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 439—An act to provide that the Department of Natural Resources, through the State Park Commission, shall have control of the State park system; to establish and define the State park system; to define certain powers and duties of the State Park Commissioner; to make an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act; and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund,

Also, Senate Bill No. 440—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey, and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey and repealing an act entitled "An act relating to the acquisition by the State of forest land for park purposes; authorizing the State Board of Forestry to make a survey and report on all suitable forest park sites in the State; providing a method for procuring such parks by purchase, gift, devise, donation or condemnation proceedings, or proceedings in eminent domain and for procuring money for the acquisition and maintenance thereof, and prescribing the procedure therefor; reserving certain rights to the owners of land adjacent to the lands so acquired; providing for assistance by the Attorney General; vesting the State Board of Forestry with jurisdiction and control of such parks after their acquisition by the State and of any funds provided for the purchase or maintenance thereof, providing for the expenses of said board in carrying out the purposes of this act; and prescribing the procedure for carrying out the provisions of this act," approved May 29, 1923;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 349 of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the departments and the residence of the heads thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 429—An act to repeal sections 635*a*, 635*b*, 635*c*, 635*d*, 635*e*, 635*f*, 635*g*, 635*h*, 635*i*, 635*j*, 635*k* and 635*l* of the Political Code—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article I thereof, a new section to be numbered 14½, relating to the taking of parcels of land by eminent domain where such border upon public improvements;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

FISHER, Vice Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State highway system of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

FISHER, Vice Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $6.20 in favor of William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	$2 45
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	3 00
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	75
	$6 20

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $95.85 in favor of William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amount as below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Hart's Lunch, Incorporated	$95 85

Resolutions read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 168—An act to amend sections 653*ff*, 653*kk*, and 653*jj* of the Civil Code, relating to nonprofit cooperative associations with or without capital stock;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2, 3 and 7 of article IX thereof;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury.

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to reports of the department encampment and the annual convention of the United Spanish-American War Veterans and the Disabled American Veterans of the World War of the Department of California, respectively.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, and 490, of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses and to repeal section 681, of part II, title XVI of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for criminal offenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant;

Also: Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them;

Also: Senate Bill No. 19—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*a*21, 2322*a*2 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class, and second class—and appointed Senators Weller, Young and Ingram as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Spalding, Deuel and Fisher as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 133.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service—and appointed Senators Weller, Jones, Ray, and Wagy as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Sewell, Davis and Fry as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 570.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges—and appointed Senators Chamberlin, Ingram and Johnson as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Scudder, Deuel and Adams as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 638.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*a*21, 2322*a*2 of the Political Code, relating to the

salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class, and second class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Weller, Young and Ingram, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SPALDING,
DEUEL,
FISHER,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Parkman, Jacobson and Oliva as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 133.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Weller, Jones, Ray, and Wagy, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SEWELL,
DAVIS,
FRY,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Little, Williamson and Jacobson as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 570.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Chamberlin, Ingram and Johnson, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SCUDDER,
DEUEL,
ADAMS,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Reindollar, Noyes and Leymel as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 638.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section, to be numbered 5, validating the act of the Legislature of the State of Cali-

fornia providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $1,000,000 for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the purpose of an Olympiad to be held in California in 1932.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Deuel, Fisher, Gaut, Heisinger, Murphy, Roland, Smith, and West—9.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 24.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof, a new section to be numbered 5, validating the act of the Legislature of the State of California providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $1,000,000 for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the purpose of an Olympiad to be held in California in 1932.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered section 5 and to read as follows:

Sec. 5. The issuance and sale of 1000 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, and the use and disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds, all as provided in the California Olympiad Bonds Act of 1927 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor, authorizing the issuance and sale of State bonds in the sum of $1,000,000 for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the purpose of an Olympiad to be held in California in 1932, is hereby authorized and directed and the said California Olympiad Bond Act of 1927 is hereby approved, adopted, legalized, ratified, validated and made fully and completely effective. All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action. Nothing in this constitution contained shall be a limitation upon the provisions of this section.

HON. CROWELL D. EDDY IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fourteen minutes a.m., Hon. Crowell D. Eddy, member of the Assembly from the Eightieth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to an investigation and report upon educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey,

Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—56.

NOES—Murphy—1.

Title read and approved.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 25.

Relative to an investigation and report upon educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf.

WHEREAS, It is necessary and desirable that a thorough investigation be made of the various educational facilities, public and private, State and local, now provided for the deaf, of the number and distribution of deaf people in this State and of the adequacy and suitability of the California School for the Deaf located at Berkeley, Alameda County, in order that the Legislature may have available adequate information to enable it to fix and determine the policy that should be adopted in this regard; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That three members of the Senate shall be appointed by the President of the Senate and three members of the Assembly by the Speaker of the Assembly, who shall constitute a committee whose duty it shall be to investigate the matters mentioned or contained in these resolutions and to report their findings in full to the Legislature at the forty-eighth session thereof and to make such recommendations in connection therewith as they deem of permanent benefit to the State; and be it further

Resolved, That the said committee shall proceed at once to organize by the election of one of its members as chairman and by the selection of a secretary and to proceed forthwith with said investigation in the manner to be determined by said committee; and be it further

Resolved, That the committee shall have power to employ such assistance as may be necessary and that the expenses incurred in such investigation, not to exceed the sum of $1,000, shall be paid equally by the Senate and Assembly out of their respective contingent funds, and be it further

Resolved, That said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all things necessary to make a full and complete investigation of the matters and objects hereinbefore referred to, and is hereby authorized and empowered to require the production of persons, books, agreements, documents, records and papers of every kind; to issue subpenas and to take all necessary means to compel the attendance of witnesses, and to procure testimony and the members of said committee are and each of them is hereby authorized to administer oaths; and all the provisions of article VIII of chapter II, title I, part III of the Political Code of the State relative to the attendance and assemblage of witnesses before the Legislature and committees thereof, shall apply to the committee appointed under this resolution; also said committee is hereby given leave to sit during the sessions of the Legislature, during the recess thereof, and during the interval between sessions thereof, either at the Capitol, or at such other place, or places as said committee shall from time to time designate.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 was this day adopted.

Senate Bill No. 833—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 833 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter,

Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Lenehan—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 592—An act to amend section 494 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the sale of property and franchises of railroad corporations.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 592 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 774 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 642—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 20, 31, 65, 80, 83 and 105, and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered sections 31*c* and 31*d*, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 642 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 642 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 485—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code of the State of California, to be numbered 2290, relating to rights of banks purchasing other banking institutions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 485 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Brock, Duval, and Walters—4.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 486—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*g*, relating to the stopping of payment of checks.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 486 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Fisher, Gaur, Jespersen, Patterson, and Roland—7

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Senate Bill No. 487—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3321, relating to the measure of damages by the payment of a check which has been ordered stopped.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 487 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Gaur, Patterson, and Smith—4.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 487 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend section 738*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 5 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "six thousand dollars."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 2, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 441—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Park Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes; authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "hereinbefore", and insert in lieu thereof the word "hereinafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 9, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended, after the figures, period and quotation marks, "1927." ", add the following:

SEC. 14. This act shall take effect upon the adoption by the people of the State of California of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective this act.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 441, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accountants; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections

2 and 3; by repealing sections 3*a*, 4 and 5; and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, relating to issuance of certificates, suspension of certificates and violations thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Kelsey moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following words: "and receiving such certificate."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Kelsey as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 234, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

KELSEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Davis moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "dollars", and strike out the words "which fees shall be all", and in line 16 strike out the words "he is entitled to charge.", and insert in lieu thereof a period.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Davis as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 226, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAVIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for

sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to numbering parcels on map, size of map, and making and filing thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Davis moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 10, of the printed bill, after the words "sale of", insert the words "land in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "land".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "area", insert the words "and not constituting a subdivision as herein defined,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Davis as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 645, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAVIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Sewell moved that Senate Bill No. 709 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 709 to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Jacobson, Little and Rochester, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 709 to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

The question being on the motion to re-refer.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jacobson moved a call of the House.

The question being on the motion for call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Clowdsley, West and Nielsen, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Burns, Cloudman, Crittenden, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, and Wilhamson—27.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Patterson, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—28.

The question being on the motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 709 to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 709 to the Committee on Motor Vehicles lost by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Wherrell, Wilhams, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—27.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jones, Keaton, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—31.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 641—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1283—An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof—and reports that it has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of

twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909 as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915 as amended, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support—and reports that it has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 2322*x*24, relating to the office of the horticultural commissioners in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 468 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 849—An act to amend "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes, and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered section 26, to provide for the dissolution of such levee districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 849 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the creation of a fund for making exhibitions of products and the assistance of local fair associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 194 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 200—An act to amend sections 1, 3 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 200 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 845—An act providing for the use of labor of inmates of any State Prison or the Preston School of Industry upon public roads and defining the powers and duties of public officials in relation thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 845 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 280—An act to amend section 4300*l* of the Political Code, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 280 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment by the State or counties, or cities, or cities and counties of the premium or charge on official bonds when given by surety companies," approved March 25, 1903, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 448 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 85 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 553—An act to reserve from sale certain State lands, being the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32, township 8 north, range 4 west, and the west 54.24 acres of lot 2 of northwest quarter of section 5, township 5 north, range 12 east, San Bernardino base and meridian, in San Bernardino County, and providing for the use thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 553 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 463 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 626*k* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 465 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 612—An act regulating the importation into the State of California of live wild birds, mammals and reptiles; defining certain importations of same to be a public nuisance and providing for a penalty for violations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 612 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1916, as amended, relating to fish and game districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 635 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to boundary lines of fish and game districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 128 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter,

Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 462—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the vocation of dealing in fish and in wild game and animals by wholesale for profit and to provide therefrom revenue for the propagation and restoration of fish and game in the State of California," approved April 14, 1911, as amended; and adding a new section thereto to be known as section 11½.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 462 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 535 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1734c of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 470 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant,

Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 536—An act to amend section 1543*a* of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 536 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the Board of Regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, amended 1915; amended 1921; amended 1925, by amending section 1 and adding a new section to be numbered 7½, relating to the conduct of training schools for nurses.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 815 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 703—An act to amend section 453*bb* of the Civil Code, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 453*hh*, relating to mortgage insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 703 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 327 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Adams, and Roland—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 276—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4056*c*, relating to the power of boards of supervisors to establish and maintain public airports within their respective counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 276 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10*a* and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 12, relating to the formation and dissolution of county fire protection districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom and the satisfaction of the obligations thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 687 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 655—An act to amend sections 15 and 17 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the purchase of materials and supplies and providing for cooperation of said flood control district with public and private corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 655 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Liftle, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 326 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey,

Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor· Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Deuel, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Melville, Patterson, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Wemple, and Woodbridge—12.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 2322*x*8 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, clerks and inspectors in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 507 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 264—An act to amend section 4232*a* of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of jurors in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 264 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 449—An act to amend sections 4039 and 4076 of the Political Code, relating to claims against the county and records thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 449 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes,

Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16*x*4 consecutively to 16*x*58 to an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 96 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalties to pay all or any part of the expenses of such maintenance and operation; providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts; and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 522 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant,

Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 41 of the California Irrigation District Act, approved March 31, 1897, relating to notice that assessments are due and penalties for delinquency.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 358 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J.—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. WILLIAM B. HORNBLOWER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., Hon. William B. Hornblower, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-fifth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 192 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 158—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the

acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities therein; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements; and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 158 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 302—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 4, 9 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 38, all relating to street improvements.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 302 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 302 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 387—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017 and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 387 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 296 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—53.

NOES—Adams, Hawes, Leymel, Patterson, Roland, and Williams—6.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 296 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 563*a* of the Penal Code, relating to false entries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 484 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough,

McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Fisher—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 379 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Fisher—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 382—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 382 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60
NOES—Gant, Patterson, and Williams—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 383—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089 and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 383 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—47.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J, Burns, Hornblower, Little, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, and Williamson—8.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 877 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and forty-six minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 841—An act to amend section 5 of the act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and. in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 841 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 106 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan,

Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST TO TAKE UP BILL.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the Assembly grant permission to take up Assembly Bill No. 1291 at this time under provision of Assembly Rule No. 43.

The question being: Will the Assembly grant permission to take up for consideration Assembly Bill No. 1291?

The roll was called, and permission to consider Assembly Bill No. 1291 was granted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsely, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Laymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED NINETY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1291 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsely, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST TO TAKE UP BILL.

Mr. Eddy moved that the Assembly grant permission to take up Assembly Bill No. 1283 at this time under provision of Assembly Rule No. 43.

The question being: Will the Assembly grant permission to take up for consideration Assembly Bill No. 1283?

The roll was called, and permission to consider Assembly Bill No. 1283 was granted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—Burns—1.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1283 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 606—An act to permit the Fish and Game Commission to control predatory fish and animals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 606 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan,

Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—Gaut—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 844 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein."

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 430 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 492 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 690—An act to amend sections 290*b*, 290*c*, 290*d* and 290*e* of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 690 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 868—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 868 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 851—An act to validate the organization and existence of county water districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 851 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 229—An act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars

coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 229 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act for the registration of deaths, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and the establishment of registration districts in county, cities and counties, cities and incorporated towns, under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, and prescribing the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved March 18, 1905, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 230 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 294 of the Penal Code, relating to custody of dead bodies

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 232 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 185—An act creating a commission to prepare and submit a report on juvenile delinquency, embodying a plan for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and for the care and training of predelinquent, psychopathic and maladjusted children.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Wright moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, four o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 25, 1927.

To the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California.

An acute financial situation involving the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District presents one of the most serious problems that any agricultural region of the State has ever faced. Most immediately concerned in solving this problem are the State Reclamation Board and the land owners within the district. However, there are certain phases of such a nature that some specific legislation is required to furnish even the possibility of a solution. The obvious fact that a district of this size can not meet financial disaster without affecting the prosperity of the whole State makes this a proper subject for legislative action.

This Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District has an indebtedness of approximately $16,000,000, represented by warrants issued by the State Controller upon order of the Reclamation Board. These warrants are obligations of the land owners and actually represent liens against most of the lands in the central Sacramento Valley. The debt bears interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and this interest is now accumulating at the amazing pace of over $2,000 a day—more than $730,000 every year.

Although supposedly adequate machinery has been provided for levying and collecting these costs upon the land, as an actual fact no collections have ever been made, either of principal or of interest. A careful survey shows that the lien upon some of the lands for this obligation and for reclamation district purposes actually exceeds any "forced-sale" value of the land. Any effort to levy an immediate assessment for the total amount due would probably mean financial ruin to a substantial portion of central California. Existing legislation permitting the issuance of twenty-year bonds for the retirement of the warrants would necessitate in many cases larger annual collections than the land can possibly produce. It is manifest, therefore, that some prompt action must be taken to relieve this intolerable situation.

During the past four years no progress has been made by the land owners or warrant holders toward the settlement of this indebtedness, and no attempt has

been made by the State to aid them to solve the problem. During this same four years the debt has grown by approximately $3,000,000 through the accumulation of interest alone. This neglect and lack of effort toward settlement during these four years is one of the prime factors that have produced the present serious problem for the inhabitants and land owners within the district, and for the people of the cities largely dependent upon these lands.

When the original flood control plan for the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers was outlined, it was given the name of the California Debris Commission Plan Features of reclamation, flood control, and navigation were involved. It was suggested that the ultimate cost should be borne equally by the land owners, the State, and the federal government. Up to this date the land owners have paid no part; the State has invested or appropriated approximately $10,000,000, and the federal government approximately $7,000,000.

Legislation now being handled in Congress by the Honorable Charles F. Curry seeks to commit the federal government to the payment of one-third of the total cost. It is the intention of the present State administration to cooperate to the fullest extent in promoting this federal legislation. In the meantime the phases of the settlement which constitute the problem of the land owners must be worked out.

The outstanding warrants of the Reclamation Board are not an obligation of the State of California. They are an obligation on the land within the district. Many of the holders of these warrants, however, were led to believe that the warrants were an obligation of the State, and many of these holders were induced to pay practically full prices for them as an investment. But a large number of these warrants were acquired at a very considerable discount. In actual fact, the warrant holders are not financially secured, and unquestionably they realize this situation. Some of them have intimated their desire to cooperate in reaching an effective settlement by discounting the accrued value of their warrants.

Many of the land holdings are obligated for payments, the benefits of which have not yet reached the lands Other land holdings are obligated so heavily that the twenty-year bond issue now permitted by law is impossible of payment within such a period of time Project No. 6 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, is the area most drastically affected Other projects within the district will doubtless be able to work themselves out without legislative aid. But Project No. 6, covering as it does approximately 500,000 acres of land, and lying within the confines of seven counties, has now become so involved, through lack of any constructive program in the past, that, unless something is done in the near future, the land holders within this project face certain financial ruin. A bond issue voted for a portion of the obligation of this project has proven absolutely unsalable.

The comfortable and easy thing for this administration to do would be to allow the problem to float through the coming four years just as has been done during the past four years, with no effort toward settlement. It would be easy to say that this is no affair of the present administration, since it is a condition not of our making. Thus during this four years we might permit the obligation to increase on the lands by $3,000,000 more for the interest alone, just as was done during the past four years, allow the warrants to further depreciate in value; let small investors holding unpaid warrants become financially ruined; permit the central Sacramento Valley to continue to lie under the cloud of impending disaster, its development stifled and strangled by an unfunded debt, and allow the farmer needing to secure new loans to be thwarted by the uncertainty of this existing lien and deprived of his land and his livelihood.

This may be the easy way, but it is not the right way. The problem must be faced squarely and unflinchingly. The steps necessary are staggering, even if the most effective help is afforded The purposes which must be achieved are the following

1. Relief to the land owners from the present uncertainty through an opportunity to pay the indebtedness as the productiveness of the land will permit.
2. Assurance to the warrant holders that an honest effort will be made to secure them against possibly complete financial loss
3. Provision of a means whereby the land owners may be actually relieved of a part of the present increasing indebtedness
4. Assistance to the land owners for the immediate future in meeting as much as possible of the annual burden for the maintenance of the project.

There seems only one way by which all this may be achieved· The present warrants with their high interest charges must be repurchased at satisfactory prices and refunded in low interest, long term bonds, which the land owner can amortize from his annual income, while the value of his land continues to grow through its future development

Senate Bill No 856 seeks to supply a basis for constructively commencing the solution of the problem While this measure can not cure all the existing troubles, at least it will be helpful and its operation may possibly point the way to a stable and permanent plan.

In addition it seems necessary as a temporary emergency measure to undertake at State expense the maintenance of the works already constructed for flood control

as distinct from reclamation. For this and for the administration of the project, special appropriations are recommended for your consideration in Senate Bill No. 217.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 834—An act to amend sections 11 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

FRY, Chairman.
KEATON.
FLYNN.
PARKMAN.
WRIGHT.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official plans and to appoint planning boards; describing the powers and duties of said planning boards, providing for the approval of plats; and providing that building permits shall conform to official plans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McDONOUGH, Vice Chairman.
BYRNE
ROCHESTER.
LITTLE
SEWELL
JACOBSON.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I of the constitution of said State, relating to the rights of private property—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of April at 3.30 o'clock p.m

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 40—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations for municipal improvements, and regulating the acquisition, construction, or completion thereof," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval on February 25, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 194 of that part of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 3, 1921, and in effect August 2, 1921, and relating to the qualifications and salary of the employees in the office of the probation officer in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 222—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the liens of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19*x*40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 611—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to amend section 2322*x*31 of the Political Code, relating to the creation of deputies of the horticultural commissioner for the counties of the thirty-first class and the fixing of their salaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No 707—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of public defender, to provide for the election of such officers and prescribing their duties and compensation," approved May 24, 1921, relating to the compensation of public defender;

Also: Assembly Bill No 741—An act to amend section 2322*x*15 of the Political Code, relating to salary and compensation of horticultural commissioner in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2178, limiting the liability of steam and electric railroad common carriers and sleeping car companies of property carried in trunks, valises, suit cases, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend sections 1113 and 1115, Political Code, relating to the preparation of registration books;

Also: Assembly Bill No 853—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 1724 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of identity of heirs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 1699 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jurisdiction of estate after final distribution;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act to add new sections to article II *b* of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered 361*e*, 361*f*, and 361*g*, creating in the Department of Agriculture a Division of Land Settlement, defining the powers and duties and providing for the administration thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*b*, prescribing the payment of compensation of judges of the superior court;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of April at 3 30 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 4267*a* to the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the thirty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 384*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of the Christmas red berry and Christmas tree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, relating to taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to amend section 1810*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attorney's fees against minors fixed by court and payment of judgments in actions by or on behalf of minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617*a*, relating to the sale or lease of real property by school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 2322*x*19 of the Political Code, relating to the horticultural commissioner of counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 4281 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 282—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 283—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Mrs. J. H. Newman against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 284—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Alex Fagerstrom against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 285—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. W. Sharp, treasurer of the county of Lassen, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 304—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book,

Also Assembly Bill No. 434—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Exchange Orange Products Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 19*r*6 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills;

Also. Assembly Bill No 532—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control;

Also: Assembly Bill No 615—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sessions of the superior court and to changes in place of holding the superior court, respectively;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 26, 32 and 36*f* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to water rights,

Also Assembly Bill No 704—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in

conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9a and 9b;

Also Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 628b of the Penal Code, relating to protection of black bass;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 72 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to presenting false or fraudulent claims to public officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4082, relating to lost or destroyed county warrants;

Also Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend sections 1631 and 1633 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounts of executors and administrators;

Also Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to amend section 1592 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to investment of moneys of estate pending settlement;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exemption of life insurance benefits from execution or attachment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to amend section 1590 and section 1733 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor

Also Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1, 2 and 5 thereof, and by adding four new sections thereto to be numbered 8¼, 8¾, 13½ and 14½, providing for testing the validity of bonds, the issuance of additional bonds, the adding new territory to water works districts and the ordering and contracting for work and acquiring property therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of F. O. Butler against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the propounding and prosecution of a claim by and in the name of the State of California against the government of the United States of America for the recovery, under the present laws of the United States or such as may be hereafter enacted, from said government of all moneys heretofore paid illegally into the federal treasury as a direct tax upon property situated in the State of California, providing for the recovery of same, authorizing the Governor of the State to employ counsel and enter into the necessary contracts and agreements for the carrying out of the object of this act, providing for notice to and procedure by claimants of such moneys and fixing a prescription period after which such moneys shall escheat to and become the absolute property of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. W. Booth against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to authorize the Attorney General to bring suit against the United States in the Court of Claims in behalf of the Indians of the State of California in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the support of certain cemeteries in Tehama County," approved April 1, 1872, and to provide for the disposition of moneys and funds heretofore collected under the provisions of said act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act providing for the investigation of the supplementary books used in the elementary schools of the State by the Board of Education and requiring a report thereon to be made by said board to the State Board of Control;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of April at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of board of parole commissioners for each county in this State and for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, amending section 1 of said act so as to make said act applicable to all jails and to all prisoners in prison for misdemeanors, whether in county

jails or in city prisons, by amending said act so as to provide that in cities where a municipal court has been established, the board of parole commissioners for such municipal court shall consist of the presiding judge of said court, the chief of police and the prosecuting attorney of such city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 542 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock p. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Wright.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 185 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Hornblower, Jacobson, Little, McDonough, Patterson, Sewell, Walters, and Williamson—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 89—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and annexation thereof within, municipal corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 89 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont Sewer District, for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 336 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 324 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 2145, 2153*a*, 2187, 2189, 2090 and 2191 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 254 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 860—An act creating the Angeles Forest Game Preserve in the counties of Los Angeles and San Bernardino, in the

State of California, providing for the prevention of the destruction of wild game within the boundaries thereof and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 860 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 3052 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of property by a lien holder, notice of sale and disposition of the proceeds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 267 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Hedges, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—42.

NOES—Fry—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 638, the following Senators: Young, Weller and Boggs, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 133, the following Senators: Johnson, Slater and Allen, J. M., to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 570 the following Senators: Johnson, Murphy and Jones, H. C., to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Young, Weller and Boggs, and that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed upon and recommends that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that Assembly Bill No. 638 be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 12 and 13, of the printed bill, as amended April 19, 1927, strike out the following: "required by Political Code 4022" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as required by the provisions of section 4022 of the Political Code."

REINDOLLAR,
NOYES,
LEYMEL,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

YOUNG.
WELLER,
BOGGS,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report and amendment adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*x*21 and 2322*x*2 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of the county horticulture commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class and second class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Johnson, Slater and Allen, J. M., and that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed, and recommends that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that Assembly Bill No. 133 be further amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 4 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to the salaries and expenses of the county horticulture commissioners, their deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the second and twenty-first classes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"SEC. 2. Section 2322*x*2 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, after the word "deputy", insert a comma.

PARKMAN,
JACOBSON,
OLIVA,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

JOHNSON,
ALLEN, J. M.,
SLATER,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Levmel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1129?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "thereof", and the following: "except appropriations,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", except appropriations and moneys received under the provisions of an act entitled 'An act establishing and creating a department of the state mining bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production; providing for the appointment of a state oil and gas supervisor, prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation; providing for the appointment of deputies and employees, providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act',". (Approved June 10, 1915, and all amendments thereto.)

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1129 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Asembly Bill No. 148?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 42 to 46, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
12. The surveyor, ten dollars per day for each day's service rendered.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 148 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 149?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"12. The surveyor, four hundred dollars per annum".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 149 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626o of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1201?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

3. Every person who in fish and game district number twelve and those portions of fish and game district number two embraced in that part of the Napa river, which extends from the junction of Mare Island strait and Carquinez strait northwesterly along Mare Island strait, approximately three miles to the Vallejo-Mare Island causeway, and thence in a northerly direction along the channel of Napa river to a point at the southerly end of Edgerly Island, approximately ten miles above the junction of Mare Island strait and Carquinez strait, shoots any kind of a water fowl from a scull boat, which is in open waters, is guilty of misdemeanor.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the words "from scull". Also strike out all of line 3 of said title, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1201 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

Senate Bill No. 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Woolwine moved that Senate Bill No. 266 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 266 to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 15 of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall", and substitute therefor the word "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 478, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code, and to add new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*i*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 5, 1927, after the word "commission", insert the following: "which commission is hereby continued in existence".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 5, 1927, strike out the word "hereafter", and insert in lieu thereof the words "continue to".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Feigenbaum as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 788, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FEIGENBAUM, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 7, authorizing the issuance and sale of 6,000 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and com-

pletely effective the California State Park Bonds Act of 1927 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29—Relative to an investigation of the subject of convict labor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29 read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 25½ of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into fish and game districts;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 10—Relating to the immigration policy of the United States.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 31 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No 556—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 556 read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 362—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals in habeas corpus cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass;

Also: Senate Bill No 586—An act to provide for the purchase by the State of California under certain conditions of certificates of sale of property sold for delinquent assessments of irrigation districts, and for the disposition through the State Land Settlement Board of property acquired by the State pursuant to the purchase of such certificates, and for the management by the California Bond Certification Commission, under certain conditions, of irrigation districts in which the State has so acquired an interest in lands;

Also: Senate Bill No 598—An act to amend section 9 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917;

Also: Senate Bill No 780—An act to amend section 122 of the "Bank Act," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to the location of the principal office of the State Banking Department;

Also: Senate Bill No. 819—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park in Contra Costa County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 890—A bill to amend the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, as amended, by adding two new sections to be known

as sections 36½ and 55½, relating to authorization to the State Compensation Insurance Fund to insure against liability under, and to the Industrial Accident Commission to assist in the enforcement of the United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Worker's Compensation Act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 362 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 474 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 586 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 598 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 780 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 819 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 890 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 887—An act to add a new section to be numbered 8*a* to an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers, providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications, fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended, relating to the payment of expenses of the sheriffs of the several counties incurred in the forwarding of copies of finger prints, descriptions of persons arrested or of fugitives from justice or other information to the State Bureau of Criminal Identification;

Also, Senate Bill No. 892—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant;

Also, Senate Bill No. 893—An act granting an easement for a pier at Pacific Beach, San Diego County, to the Crystal Pier Amusement Company, a corporation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 887 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 892 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 893 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923.

Also, Senate Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 738*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Tulare and Kings.

Also: Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating $200,000 to be expended by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works for the purpose of operating and maintaining such of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District as may by law be imposed upon the State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 314—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Earl Gates as executor of the last will and testament of P. H. Kerrigan, deceased, against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 457—An act to amend sections 15 and 37 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 32 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No. 208 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 217 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 269 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 314 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 418 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 457 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 605 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents;

Also: Senate Bill No. 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents;

Also: Senate Bill No. 583—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 626½, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 594—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*dd* and to repeal that certain section numbered 737*d* which was added to said code by chapter DCCCLI of the Statutes of 1921, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Diego;

Also: Senate Bill No. 651—An act to regulate the signing of criminal bonds by professional bondsmen, their agents or representatives, to regulate the fees charged for professional bonds by professional bondsmen, their agents or representatives; requiring reports of statements to be filed with certain public officers and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 691—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 410, relating to foreign corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 19*x*5 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 538 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 539 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 583 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 594 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 651 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 691 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 802 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 852—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate unappropriated waters of the State looking to the development of a general coordinated plan of utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 853—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Also: Senate Bill No 891—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended,

Also: Senate Bill No. 894—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes and correcting the lighting in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith;

Also: Senate Bill No. 895—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4276*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the forty-seventh class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 852 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation

Senate Bill No. 853 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 891 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 894 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 895 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No 885—An act providing for the investigation by the California Highway Commission of the operation of toll bridges in California and any matters connected therewith, and for the submission of a report thereon to the forty-eighth session of the Legislature embodying recommendations with reference to the taking over of any existing bridge or bridges by the State with a plan for financing acquisition of same and the amortization of the costs by tolls or the construction of toll bridges and any other pertinent matters relating to the same problem;

Also Senate Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing

probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 885 read first time, and referred to Committee on Rules.

Senate Bill No. 190 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 871—An act providing for the acquisition by the State, by purchase, condemnation, gift or other legal means, of any land or other property or right determined to be essential to the protection of the interests of the State for purposes of flood control, river flow control and equation, irrigation, reclamation, power development or any one or more of such or other public uses, defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments in valuation thereto and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Senate Bill No. 889—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to certain narcotic drugs.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 871 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 889 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted;

Also: Senate Bill No. 443—An act to amend sections 5 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry;

Also Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notice of administration proceedings and demand thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 714—An act to create a new section, to be numbered section 876a to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to depository funds of cities of the sixth class in banks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 763—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be known as section 7385½, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Mendocino County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 799—An act to amend section 592 of the Political Code, relating to the place of the office of the Insurance Commissioner;

Also. Senate Bill No. 859—An act to amend section 2533 of the Political Code, relating to the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 377 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Senate Bill No. 443 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 476 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 714 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 763 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 799 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 859 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following·

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the fifth class,

Also: Senate Bill No 708—An act to repeal that certain act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicles, to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses, to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925;

Also· Senate Bill No. 781—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L. B. Collins

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 66 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 708 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No. 781 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 429—An act to repeal sections 635*a*, 635*b*, 635*c*, 635*d*, 635*e*, 635*f*, 635*g*, 635*h*, 635*i*, 635*j*, 635*k* and 635*l* of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 364*d* of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee·

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 16 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 1, 1927, strike out the word "its", and insert in place thereof the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 16 and 17 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 1, 1927, strike out the words "head of each office or department", and insert in place thereof the following: "director of each department who is a member of the governor's council."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the word "section", in line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 25, 1927, strike out the remainder of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one thousand two hundred three of the Penal Code, defining the powers of the court in regard to probation of persons guilty of crime and relating to the probation of persons arrested for crime after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of the offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in certain counties and cities and counties and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in certain counties and cities and counties."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

After the numeral and period "1.", strike out all of lines 1 to 9, inclusive, on page 1, and all of page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1203 of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1203. After the conviction by plea or verdict of guilty of a public offense where discretion is conferred upon the court or any board or commission or other authority as to the extent of the punishment, the court or board or commission or other authority before judgment and sentence and except as hereinafter provided, may upon oral suggestion of either party or of its own motion when it appears that there are circumstances which may properly be taken into view either in aggravation or mitigation of the punishment, may in its discretion refer the same to the probation officer directing said probation officer to investigate and to report, recommending either for or against release upon probation at a specified time, and the court shall hear the same summarily at that specified time and upon such notice to the adverse party as it may direct. At such specified time if it shall appear from the report furnished by the probation officer or otherwise and from the circumstances, that any person over the age of eighteen years having either pleaded guilty or having been convicted of a public offense, that there are circumstances in mitigation of punishment or that the ends of justice shall be subserved thereby, the court may have power in its discretion to place the defendant upon probation as hereinbefore provided; *further provided, however,* that nothing contained in this section shall apply to cases of murder, robbery, burglary, or rape by force and violence, where in the perpetration of such crimes a deadly weapon is used, or the person committing any of the said crimes was armed with a deadly weapon or where, in the perpetration of any such crimes, great bodily injury or torture is inflicted, nor to any person who has been previously convicted of any of said offenses, nor where a public official or employee of the state, county, city, city and county, or other political subdivision

thereof in the discharge of the duties of his public office or employment accepts or gives or offers to accept or give a bribe or embezzles public moneys or is guilty of extortion in the discharge of his official duty.

(*a*) The court, judge or justice thereof, may suspend the imposing, or the execution of sentence and may direct that such suspension may continue for such period of time not exceeding the maximum possible term of such sentence, except as hereinafter set forth, and upon such terms and conditions as it shall determine, which terms and conditions may include, in the discretion of the court, the requirements of bonds for the appearance of the person released upon probation before the court, at any time that the court may require such appearance in the investigation of any alleged violation of said terms and conditions of probation and such bonds may be at any time by the court exonerated without affecting any of the other terms and conditions of such probation; and in the case of such suspension of imposition or execution of sentence, the court shall place such person on probation and under the charge and supervision of the probation officer of said court during such suspension; ***provided, however***, that where the maximum possible term of such sentence is less than two years, then such period of suspension of imposition or execution of sentence may, in the discretion of the court, continue for not over two years. Where the offense consists of a violation of section 270 or 270*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, such suspension of imposition or execution of sentence may, in the discretion of the court, continue for not over five years.

(*b*) If the judgment is to pay a fine, and the defendant be imprisoned until it be paid, the court, judge or justice upon imposing sentence, may direct that the execution of the sentence of imprisonment be suspended for such period of time, not exceeding the maximum possible term of such sentence and on such terms as it shall determine, and shall place the defendant on probation, under the charge and supervision of the probation officer during such suspension, to the end that he may be given the opportunity to pay the fine; *provided, however*, that upon the payment of the fine being made, judgment shall be satisfied and the probation cease.

(*c*) At any time during the probationary term of the person released on probation, in accordance with the provisions of this section, any probation officer may, without warrant, or other process, at any time until the final disposition of the case, rearrest any person so placed in his care and bring him before the court, or the court may, in its discretion, issue a warrant for the rearrest of any such person and may thereupon revoke and terminate such probation, if the interest of justice so requires, and if the court, in its judgment, shall have reason to believe from the report of the probation officer, or otherwise, that the person so placed upon probation is violating the conditions of his probation, or engaging in criminal practices, or has become abandoned to improper associates, or a vicious life. Upon such revocation and termination, the court may, if the sentence has been suspended, pronounce judgment after the said suspension of the sentence for any time within the longest period for which the defendant might have been sentenced but if the judgment has been pronounced and the execution thereof has been suspended, the court may revoke such suspension, whereupon the judgment shall be in full force and effect, and the person shall be delivered over to the proper officer to serve his sentence.

(*d*) The court shall have power at any time during the term of probation to revoke or modify its order of suspension of imposition or execution of sentence. It may, at any time when the ends of justice will be subserved thereby, and when the good conduct and reform of the person so held on probation shall warrant it, terminate the period of probation and discharge the person so held, but no such order shall be made without written notice first given by the court or the clerk thereof to the proper probation officer of the intention to revoke or modify its order, and in all cases, if the court has not seen fit to revoke the order of probation and impose sentence or pronounce judgment, the defendant shall, at the end of the term of probation, be by the court discharged.

(*e*) Every defendant who has fulfilled the conditions of his probation for the entire period thereof, or who shall have been discharged from probation prior to the termination of the period thereof, shall at any time prior to the expiration of the maximum period of punishment for the offense of which he has been convicted, dating from said discharge from probation of said termination of said period of probation, be permitted by the court to withdraw his plea of guilty and enter a plea of not guilty; or if he has been convicted after a plea of not guilty, the court shall set aside the verdict of guilty, and in either case the court shall thereupon dismiss the accusation or information against such defendant, who shall thereafter be released from all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offense or crime of which he has been convicted.

(*f*) The offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer, and deputy adult probation officer are hereby created; *provided*, that except as hereinafter specified the probation officers, assistant probation officers and deputy probation officers appointed under an act known as the juvenile court law and entitled "An act to be known as the juvenile court law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls and other institutions; establishing

probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the juvenile court law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, or under any laws amending or superseding the same shall be ex officio adult probation officers, assistant adult probation officers and deputy adult probation officers respectively except in the case of offenses committed in any city and county and also in those counties not operating under a freeholder's charter, and having a population of more than three hundred thousand, as the same is determined by the federal census taken in the year A. D. 1920, in which counties and cities and counties the adult probation officers, assistant and deputy adult probation officers, appointed under subdivision (*g*) of this section shall serve under this act, *provided, however*, that in all cases of offenses defined by section 21 of said act, known as the juvenile court law, and by section 270 of the Penal Code, the same probation officers, assistants and deputies shall serve under this act as are appointed under said juvenile court law.

(*g*) In any city and county and in any said county having a population of more than three hundred thousand and not operating under a freeholder's charter, the judges presiding in the departments designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases and proceedings by a majority vote shall by order entered in the minutes of the court appoint seven citizens of good moral character to be known as the adult probation board and shall fill all vacancies occurring in such board. The clerk of said court shall immediately notify each person appointed on said board and thereupon said person shall appear before a judge of the superior court and qualify by taking an oath, which shall be entered in said court record, to perform faithfully the duties of such adult probation board. The members of such adult probation board shall hold office for four years, and until their successors are appointed and qualify; *provided*, that of those first appointed one shall hold office for one year, two for two years, two for three years and two for four years, the terms for which the respective members shall hold office to be determined by lot as soon after their appointment as may be. When any vacancy occurs in any probation board by expiration of the term of office of any member thereof, the successor shall be appointed to hold office for the term of four years. When any vacancy occurs for any other reason the appointee shall hold office for the unexpired term of his predecessor. Any member of the probation board may be removed for cause at any time by an affirmative vote of four members of said board at a meeting called for the special purpose of considering the question of said removal and the subsequent written approval of a majority of the said judges designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases and proceedings, said written approval to be filed with the clerk of the court within thirty days after the written report of the said board has been received by said judges. Written notice as to said special meeting shall be served on each of the members of said board at least ten days prior to the date set therefor and shall specify the purpose thereof.

It shall be the duty of such adult probation board to exercise a friendly supervision of probationers when so directed by the court to furnish the court information and assistance whenever required upon the request of the court and from time to time to advise and recommend to the court any changes or modifications of the order made in the case of a probationer as may be for the best interests of such person.

Members of the adult probation board shall serve without compensation.

In any city and county there shall be one adult probation officer and nine assistant adult probation officers who shall receive salaries as follows: The adult probation officer three hundred fifty dollars per month, one assistant adult probation officer two hundred seventy-five dollars per month; seven assistant adult probation officers each two hundred ten dollars per month; and one assistant adult probation officer who shall act as cashier and clerk, one hundred ninety dollars per month.

In any county of more than three hundred thousand and not operating under a freeholder's charter, there shall be one adult probation officer, one assistant adult probation officer and two deputy adult probation officers who shall receive the following salaries: adult probation officer, three thousand dollars per annum; assistant adult probation officer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy adult probation officer two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy adult probation officer, six hundred dollars per annum. One deputy adult probation officer in such county shall be a woman and shall be a competent stenographer and typist of sufficient ability to perform the clerical and stenographic work of the office in addition to her other duties. The salaries of the adult probation officer, assistant and deputies herein provided shall be paid out of the treasury of the county or city and county in which they are appointed in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers. The said adult probation officer, assistant and deputies shall be allowed such necessary incidental expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as required by any law of the State of California as may be authorized by a judge designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal

cases and proceedings, or by the judge of a department to which criminal actions and proceedings are assigned, and the same shall be a charge upon the county and said expenses shall be paid out of the county treasury upon the written order of said judge, directing the county auditor to deliver his warrant upon the treasurer for the specified amount of such expenses. The adult probation officer shall keep a list of expenses and file a copy monthly with the board of supervisors.

In any city and county and in said counties having a population of more than three hundred thousand and not operating under a freeholder's charter, the adult probation officer, assistant and deputies hereinbefore provided shall be nominated by the adult probation board and shall be appointed by a majority vote of the judges presiding in the departments designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases. The term of office of the adult probation officer, assistant and deputies herein provided for shall be two years from the date of their appointment. The said officers may at any time be removed by a vote of a majority of the judges presiding in the departments designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases and proceedings for good cause shown and on the filing of written charges by the said judge or judges with the adult probation officer.

Each adult probation officer, assistant and deputy shall give a bond in the sum of not more than two thousand dollars to be fixed and approved by the judges of the superior court presiding in the departments designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of said office. If said bonds are furnished by a surety company licensed to transact business in the State of California, the premium thereon shall be paid out of the county treasury.

The adult probation officer may appoint as many additional deputies as he may desire; *provided, however,* that such deputies shall not have authority to act until their appointment shall be approved by a majority vote of the adult probation board and by a majority vote of the judges presiding in departments designated for the hearing and disposition of criminal cases. The term of office of such deputies shall expire with the term of the adult probation officer making such appointment, but the adult probation officer may at any time in his discretion revoke and terminate such appointment. Such deputies, except as herein provided, shall serve without compensation Board of supervisors of cities and counties and of counties having a population of more than three hundred thousand and not operating under a freeholder's charter, shall provide and maintain at the expense of such county or city and county in a location in the vicinity of the county jail suitable offices and quarters for the adult probation officer. Nothing contained in this subdivision shall apply to the offenses defined by section 21 of the said juvenile court law and by section 270 of the Penal Code.

(*h*) Whenever any person is released upon probation under the provisions of this act, the case may be transferred to any court of the same rank in any other county, or city, and county, of this state in which such person resides, or to which such person may remove, and such court shall thereupon commit such person to the care and custody of the probation officer of the county, or city and county to which such person has been transferred; such court shall thereafter have entire jurisdiction over such case, with like power to make transfer whenever to such court such transfer may seem proper.

(*i*) At the time of the plea or verdict of guilty of any crime of any person over eighteen years of age, the probation officer of the county of the jurisdiction of said crime shall, when so directed by the court, inquire into the antecedents, character, history, family environment, and offense of such person, and must report the same to the court, and file his report in writing in the records of said court. His report shall contain his recommendation for or against the release of such person on probation. If any such person shall be released on probation and committed to the care of the probation officer such officer shall keep a complete and accurate record in suitable books or other form in writing, of the history of the case in court, and of the name of the probation officer, and his acts in connection with said case; also the age, sex, nativity, residence, education, habits of temperance, whether married or single, and the conduct, employment and occupation, and parents' occupation, and condition of such person so committed to his care during the term of such probation and the result of such probation. Such record of such probation officer shall be and constitute a part of the records of the court, and shall at all times be open to the inspection of the court or of any person appointed by the court for that purpose, as well as of all magistrates, and the chief of police, or other head of the police, unless otherwise ordered by the court. Said books of record shall be furnished for the use of said probation officer of said county, and shall be paid for out of the county treasury

(*j*) Every probation officer, within fifteen days after the thirtieth day of June, and within fifteen days after the thirty-first day of December, of each year, shall make in writing and file as a public document with the county clerk a report to the superior court of the county or city and county in which such probation officer is appointed to serve, and shall furnish a copy of such report to each judge in said county or city and county who has released any person on probation who at the time of such report remains on probation; and a further copy to the secretary of the state board of charities and corrections Such report shall state, without

giving names, the exact number of persons, segregating male and female and segregating misdemeanors and felonies, who have been released on probation to such probation officer as such number exists, deducting all cases of expiration, discharge, dismissal, and restoration of rights, on said thirtieth day of June and said thirty-first day of December; and such report shall further segregate such person as having been released on probation, as the case may be, in 1903, 1904, 1905, and so on, up to and including the calendar year in which such report is made and filed.

(*k*) The probation officer shall furnish to each person who has been released on probation, and committed to his care a written statement of the terms and conditions of his probation unless such statement has been furnished by the court, and *shall report to the court, judge or justice, releasing such persons upon probation,* any violation or breach of the terms and conditions imposed by such court on the person placed in his care.

(*l*) Such probation officer shall have, as to the person so committed to the care of said probation officer, the powers of a peace officer.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 834—An act to amend sections 11 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 12, 13 and 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "such body or the cremated remains of such body without a removal or transit permit as in this act provided. He", and insert in lieu thereof the words "any interred body or the cremated remains of a body, unless a permit therefor has been issued by the local registrar of the district in which the said premises are located, and delivered to him. Any person entitled by law to remove an interred dead body or to remove the cremated remains of a dead body may apply to the local registrar for a permit to remove such interred body or the cremated remains of such body, as the case may be, and the local registrar shall forthwith issue such permit, retaining a copy thereof, for which he shall receive a fee of fifty cents to be paid him by the applicant for the permit, such fee to be in addition to the compensation provided in section 20 of this act; and the collection of such fee by the local registrar shall not be construed as in conflict with the provisions of section 5 of this act. Every person in charge of any premises on which interments or cremations are made".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "inter," insert the word "cremate,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or the cremated remains of such body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 36, strike out the words "or the cremated remains of such body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, lines 38 and 39, strike out the words "or from the cemetery or crematory to which such body has been delivered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 42, strike out the words "or cremation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 43, strike out the words "or the cremated remains of such body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 43, after the word "found;", insert the words: "or shall remove an interred human body or the interred cremated remains of a human body from the cemetery in which the interment occurred; or shall remove the cremated remains of a dead body from the premises on which the cremation occurred without the authority of a removal permit as provided in section 11 of this act;".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 26, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 26, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James, A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. Snyder was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Messrs. Henry Zentner and George W. Hatch of Oakland were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Jack A. Stoll, manager of Hotel Berry, Sacramento, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, April 26, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey,
Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

The Council of the city of Los Angeles in session assembled this day endorsed Assembly Bill No. 1242, introduced by Assemblyman Witter of Imperial Valley, providing for the creation of a Colorado River Commission.

(Signed) BOYLE WORKMAN,
President of the Council

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District," to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district, providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements, and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district, providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose, and declaring this act to be an emergency measure—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 162—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,

Also Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend section 1526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of property of decedents;

Also Senate Bill No. 686—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VIII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states,

Also Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 47 of the Civil Code, relating to privileged publications;

Also, Senate Bill No. 803—An act to amend chapter IV of title I of part III of the Political Code by amending section 726 thereof and adding thereto a new section to be known as 727, to relate to the Judicial Council and the duty of county clerks and clerks of the various courts,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 576—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace, sitting in courts other than their own under assignment thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 203—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 31, 35, 39, 40, 41 and 50 of an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 2, 1925, relating to providing estimates of cost, definite time of notice, effect of attack for lack of dedication, date of accrual of obligation of public body to contribute, abandonment of proceedings, mode of assessing and levying special assessment taxes, filing copies of specifications, fixing time for receiving bids, employment of attorney to prepare proceedings, time within which bonds are to be paid, time of payment of interest and manner of fixing rate thereof, sale of bonds, signers of objections, the including in acquisitions of removals, relocations and structural changes, and definition of terms, and to add two new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 28½ and 36½, relating to the interest rates and sale of acquisition bonds and immediate possession bonds;

Also Senate Bill No 238—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the issuance, renewal, supervision and revocation of real estate brokers' and salesmen's licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 342—An act requiring certain reports to be made concerning children with impaired hearing.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 20*b*, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with this amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend sections 2168 and 2171 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*x*21, 2322*x*2 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the twenty-first class, and second class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466, and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes; to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits; to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts," approved May 16, 1919, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 3 of the Prepared Milk Act relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 38—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State Employees, providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act authorizing the State Department of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the California Highway Commission certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Siskiyou County.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 637*c*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the board of supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 629 of the Penal Code, relating to the installation and maintenance of fish screens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executions in civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing who may bring actions for partition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*h*, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 768—An act granting to the Regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institution of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain lands bordering on the Pacific Ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California, and licensees of the Regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682.60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add two new sections to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad Bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a* authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department or either of them.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32 ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section, to be numbered 4, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State Highway System of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission.

Constitutional amendment read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 4 of the title of the printed constitutional amendment, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the printed constitutional amendment, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Bill No. 870—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 870 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 692—An act to amend section 2220 of the Civil Code, relating to the purposes for which trusts may be created.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 692 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. LELAND R. JACOBSON IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Leland R. Jacobson, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 694—An act to repeal sections 847 and 857 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts on real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 694 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 126—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 126 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger,

Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

AMENDMENT TO THE TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Reindollar moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 12 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "assessment for the cost", and insert in lieu thereof the following, "assessments for the costs".

Amendment adopted.

Title read, as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered to reprint and transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty-seven minutes a.m, Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 84—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 84 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to restraints upon alienation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 294 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and

for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 315 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 186 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Badham, and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 46—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Diego; to provide for the appointment of additional judges and for their compensation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 46 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the county of Alameda, and for the appointment of such additional judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 58 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 152—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to the public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 152 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 188—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer and fixing their salaries

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 188 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate

Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the creation of the State Real Estate Department and the powers and duties of the State Commissioner thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 239 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 312—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same; providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 312 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 319—An act to establish a division of school planning in the State Department of Education and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 319 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 441—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Park Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes; authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 441 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Melville, and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to numbering parcels on map, size of map, and making and filing thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 645 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 508—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 508 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter,

Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Deuel, Heisinger, Jespersen, Lyons, Melville, Murphy, Parkman, West, and Witter—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 759 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of reporters of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 571 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 459—An act to authorize the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 459 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 621—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Edward J. Kelly against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 621 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Ball, Bernard, Deuel, Heisinger, Jespersen, and West—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

Many of you probably wonder why we are opposed to those several claims against the State for services rendered by attorneys in connection with certain prosecutions. It was shown in the Ways and Means Committee that the total time consumed by all these attorneys was only a little in excess of six months; one or two of them only served the State about two or three weeks, yet the smallest claim is $5000 and in the aggregate the total for four men is $26.000. You will recall that a day or two ago an attorney on this floor said that such service as one of them rendered, if done in private practice, could easily have commanded $50,000 and would have been worth it. In a recent survey it is shown that less than 1 per cent of the population own more of the nation's wealth than all the other 99 per cent.

Of course these extremely wealthy people who live and get their property from the toil of the common people, can pay big fees; of course they can hire high-powered lobbyists who can put over special legislation through this and all other legislatures—even to the national capitol.

We desire also to call your attention to the governmental survey and report for 1924, which says the great mass of agricultural people of the nation, comprising almost one-third of the nation's population, with an average investment per family of $15,000, had, after expenses, taxes, labor charges, etc., were deducted from sales of products, an average of $715 per family for the year's work, including interest on investment.

We speak for this mass of overworked, underpaid, toiling, industrious, honest, economical class upon whom these burdens finally rest. Therefore can you blame us if we raise our voices in earnest protest against extravagance in public affairs?

S. L. HEISINGER.
VAN BERNARD.

Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443 and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 630 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 649—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Richard Kittrelle against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 649 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Ball, Bernard, Deuel, Heisinger, and Jespersen—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 807—An act to protect the reputation of the California fruit and vegetable industry by regulating the packing, shipping, storing, delivering for shipment, selling or offering for sale, any fresh or dried fruits or vegetables carrying spray residue or other added deleterious ingredient, providing penalties and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED SEVEN.

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Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 807 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williams, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 869 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—*Gaut, Melville, and Murphy*—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 875—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians; to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 875 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Cioter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Brock, Fisher, Jewett, Jones, Little, Lyons, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Williams, and Witter—17.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Mixter, Crittenden, Bernard and Adams: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16.

Referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

Honorable Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
Building.

DEAR MR. LEVEY: May I trouble you once more to request each member of the Assembly to send me promptly a full written explanation of whatever bills he expects to come down for executive consideration?

Please ask that the bills be explained on separate sheets of paper, in order that these comments upon them may be separately filed. I should also appreciate having handed in such communications from others regarding the bills as the members are

willing to hand over to me. This request also extends to all bills in which any Assemblyman is interested, either for or against, as well as to his own measures.

Finally, and very emphatically, may I ask that these comments on bills be handed to me at once. I am sorry to say that the normal work of bill-signing is being slowed up during this week, owing to the fact that I have failed to receive these comments and explanations of the author.

Even as to the bills passed during the final day or two of the session, it will be very necessary that I may be able to file away the communications from their respective authors before they leave Sacramento

In making this request, I would be remiss if I did not also ask you please to express to the members of the Assembly my real appreciation for the cooperation they are already according me in this matter.

Very sincerely yours,

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte;

Also: Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also: Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 856—An act transferring the operation and control of certain of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District to the Department of Public Works, and providing that the cost thereof shall be paid by the State and relieving said district and the Reclamation Board and its members from responsibility and liability for operation or maintenance of flood control works; providing for the cancellation of bonds of said district authorized but not sold; authorizing the Reclamation Board to levy a supplementary assessment and to order called assessments levied in connection with Project No. 6; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said district based on and secured by assessments upon the land within the boundaries of Project No. 6 of said district; authorizing the validation of said bonds; authorizing the State Board of Control to purchase and invest in warrants and bonds of said district; authorizing land owners within said Project No. 6 to pay assessments in warrants or bonds of said district; adding to, taking away from and altering an act known as the Reclamation Board Act, approved December 24, 1911, as amended, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict herewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relative to salaries in the Insurance Commissioner's office;

Also: Senate Bill No. 107—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making

the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office;

Also: Senate Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 412 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State;

Also: Senate Bill No. 439—An act to provide that the Department of Natural Resources, through the State Park Commission, shall have control of the State Park System; to establish and define the State Park System; to define certain powers and duties of the State Park Commissioner; to make an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act; and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 440—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey, and repealing an act entitled "An act relating to the acquisition by the State of forest land for park purposes; authorizing the State Board of Forestry to make a survey and report on all suitable forest park sites in the State; providing a method for procuring such parks by purchase, gift, devise, donation or condemnation proceedings, or proceedings in eminent domain and for procuring money for the acquisition and maintenance thereof, and prescribing the procedure therefor; reserving certain rights to the owners of land adjacent to the lands so acquired; providing for assistance by the Attorney General; vesting the State Board of Forestry with jurisdiction and control of such parks after their acquisition by the State and of any funds provided for the purchase or maintenance thereof; providing for the expenses of said board in carrying out the purposes of this act; and prescribing the procedure for carrying out the provisions of this act," approved May 29, 1923;

Also: Senate Bill No. 741—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf;

Also: Senate Bill No. 805—An act relating to the Supreme Court, to amend sections 749, 755 and 756 of the Political Code, and to provide for the appointment, employment and compensation of phonographic reporters, assistants, secretaries and librarian and other employees of the Supreme Court of the State of California, and for the salaries and expenses incurred by the said court under the provisions of this act and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend section 767 of the Political Code to provide for the salaries of the reporter and assistant reporters of the decisions of the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, and repealing sections 739, 751½, 769, 770, 2313, 2314, 2315 and 2316 of the Political Code, and sections 265, 266 and 268 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 19*r*5 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McDONOUGH, Vice Chairman.
BROCK.
ROCHESTER.
LITTLE.
WOOLWINE.
JONES.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 356—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation,

Also, Senate Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No. 583—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 626½, relating to the protection of game;
Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 602b of the Political Code, relating to compensation insurance—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of April at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED.)

Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 233 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 101 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 874 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to define the duties of and to license land surveyors,' approved March 31, 1891," approved March 16, 1907, by amending section 9 thereof, relating to the recordation of records of survey platting or subdividing land into lots for the purpose of sale.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 689 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 503—An act to amend section 319 of the Civil Code, relating to the place of corporate meetings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 503 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 566 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 670—An act to authorize the creation of county adjustment schools for the care of minors under eighteen years of age; to provide for the maintenance and management of same, and the making of commitments and transfer of said minors thereto, and the support of said minors therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 670 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 670 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 567—An act to amend section 1859 of the Political Code, relating to the length of the school term.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 567 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 637—An act to release any claim that the State of California may have to certain lands situate in the city of Oakland, State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 637 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 840—An act providing for the expenditure of money, appropriated by the Legislature of the State of California, for the rectification of the channel of the San Joaquin River in cooperation with the government of the United States in accordance with an act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes," approved by the President on January 21, 1927; authorizing the Board of Control to acquire rights of way therefor and authorizing the Governor on behalf of the State of California to convey said rights of way to the United States of America.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 840 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 876—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2527*a*, relating to the powers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners as to the construction and leasing of extensions of wharves or piers owned by the State of California and under the control of said board, and providing for the right of ingress to and egress from such extensions over such wharves or piers during the term of said lease.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 876 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to exemptions, refunds, appropriations for carrying out the provisions of said act, examination of records of distributors thereunder by the State Board of Equalization and correction of assessments of said distributors by said board.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 713 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 886—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to erroneously collected taxes, penalties and costs, and the refund of taxes collected on tax exempt property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 886 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones,

Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 569—An act to provide for the accomplishment of grade crossing separations over the highways of the State of California, providing that a certain per centum of all State funds hereafter raised by taxation for the construction of highways shall be used exclusively to defray the cost of grade crossing separations hereafter made over the said State highways and, providing further, that said funds so made available for such grade crossing separations shall be expended at such times and in such amounts and for the separation of such grade crossings as the California Railroad Commission in the exercise of its discretion shall direct.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 569 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 666—An act to reduce the fire insurance hazards of the business of clothes cleaning establishments, providing for the enforcement thereof by the State Fire Marshal, providing ways and means for enforcement and providing penalties for violations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 666 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—Gant and Smith—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 260—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2768, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of policies of life or endowment insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 260 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Senate Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder.
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 414 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 407—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State.
Bill read third time
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 407 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 371—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 371 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden,

Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 386—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institution for insane, in criminal case.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill:

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 386 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—56.

NOES—Bernard, Burns, Flynn, Hornblower, McDonough, Smith, and Williams—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State park, providing for the management of the same by a commission; prescribing the duties and powers of such commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 48 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Walters gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 48 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 368 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 413 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 412—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 412 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williams, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 366 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel,

Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 365 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

Mr. Mixter moved that consideration of Senate Bill No. 709 be made a special order for Wednesday, April 27, 1927, at eleven o'clock a m.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION.

Mr. Hornblower moved as a substitute motion that Senate Bill No. 709 be made a special order for Thursday, April 28, 1927, at eleven o'clock a.m.

The question being on the substitute motion to make Senate Bill No. 709 a special order for Thursday, April 28, 1927, at eleven o'clock a.m.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Williamson and Sewell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the substitute motion.

The roll was called, and the substitute motion lost by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wherrell, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—26.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Leymel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Wemple, West, and Witter—38.

The question being on the original motion to set Wednesday, April 27, 1927, as the day for special order to consider Senate Bill No. 709.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 709 made special order for Wednesday, April 27, 1927, at eleven o'clock a.m.

Senate Bill No. 429—An act to repeal sections 635*a*, 635*b*, 635*c*, 635*d*, 635*e*, 635*f*, 635*g*, 635*h*, 635*i*, 635*j*, 635*k*, and 635*l* of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 429 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 364*d* of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 800 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Wemple, Wherrell, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—31.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crawford, Davis, Easley, Eddy, Flynn, Hornblower, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, West, Williamson, Witter, and Wright—36.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. West gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 800 was this day refused passage.

Senate Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 19*b* of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 641 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 641 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 585 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 847—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the bridge across the Sacramento River at Rio Vista.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 847—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the bridge across the Sacramento River at Rio Vista.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 847 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETOES.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 4095 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of county auditors.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in the organization, formation and enlargement of Nevada Irrigation District.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

HON. BRADFORD S. CRITTENDEN IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and five minutes p.m., Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden, member of the Assembly from the Nineteenth Assembly District, in the chair.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Roland waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 302 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 302 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Smith moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 was adopted be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Roland waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 487 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 487 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 642 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 642 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Williamson waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 296 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 296 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and sixteen minutes p.m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service—repoits that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Johnson, Murphy and Jones, H. C., and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That Senate amendments be stricken out, and that the bill be amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "fifth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "third".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 18, of the amended printed bill, following the word "year", insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 19, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "in", and insert in lieu thereof the word "In".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 20, of the amended printed bill, strike out the "s" in the word "boards".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 50, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "as teachers", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in positions requiring certification qualifications".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 7 to 13, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(c) To classify as permanent employees all persons, except those hereinafter specified, who shall have been successfully employed by the district for two or three complete consecutive school years in positions requiring certification qualifications. Such classification shall be made at the end of either the second or third complete year of such employment at the option of the governing board of the district. No person employed in an administrative or supervisory position requiring certification qualifications shall be classified as a permanent employee other than as a classroom teacher.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 9, 10 and 11.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 22, of the amended printed bill, after the word "the", and before the word "person", insert the word "last".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 30, of the amended printed bill, strike out the period, and add the following: "and fact".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

Strike out all of the material on page 4 of the amended printed bill between lines 31 and 41, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Nothing in this act shall be construed so as to repeal or negate any provisions concerning employees of school districts contained in the charter of any city, county, or city and county heretofore or hereafter adopted and approved in conformity with article XI of the constitution of this state.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 51, of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "appeal", and insert in lieu thereof the word "repeal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4 of the amended printed bill, the order of the last two paragraphs shall be reversed: the paragraph now appearing in lines 46 to 52, inclusive, being inserted immediately after line 40, subsequent lines being properly enumerated.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, following line 52 of the amended printed bill, insert a new paragraph to read as follows:

Fifth—If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

LITTLE,
WILLIAMSON,
JACOBSON,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

JOHNSON,
MURPHY,
JONES, H. C.,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to reprint and enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article I thereof a new section to be numbered 14½, relating to the taking of parcels of land by eminent domain where such border upon public improvements.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 16.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the constitution of said state by adding to article I thereof, a new section to be numbered 14½, relating to the taking of parcels of land by eminent domain where such border upon public improvements.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California, that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article I thereof, a new section to be numbered 14½, and to read as follows:

Sec. 14½. The State, or any of its cities or counties, may acquire by gift, purchase or condemnation, lands for establishing, laying out, widening, enlarging, extending, and maintaining memorial grounds, streets, squares, parkways and reservations in and about and along and leading to any or all of the same, providing land so acquired shall be limited to parcels lying wholly or in part within a distance not to exceed 150 feet from the closest boundary of such public works or improvements; *provided,* that when parcels which lie only partially within said limit of 150 feet only such portions may be acquired which do not exceed 200 feet from said closest boundary, and after the establishment, laying out, and completion of such improvements, may convey any such real estate thus acquired and not necessary for such improvements, with reservations concerning the future use and occupation of such real estate so as to protect such public works and improvements and their environs and to preserve the view, appearance, light, air and usefulness of such public works.

The Legislature may, by statute, prescribe procedure.

Senate Bill No. 49—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco," approved March 15, 1878, as amended, relating to the State Board of Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 49 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy,

Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 416—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 416 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hedges, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of $100, said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the chief clerk's office.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $423.46 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

State Purchasing Department	$326 95
Department of Finance	19 73
Cascade Towel Supply	44 28
Cascade Towel Supply	15 00
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.	17 50
	$423 46

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

WHEREAS, The members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence, their bill-files, books of codes, stationery and other printed matter at the close of this session; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms, William J McQuillan, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other materials as are necessary for the purpose of shipping same, properly packed, to said members; and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in favor of said William J. McQuillan, in a sum not to exceed nine hundred dollars ($900), and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same; and it is further directed that said William J. McQuillan furnish to the Controller vouchers and receipts for all expenditures made by him.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 488—An act to repeal section 321 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to books of banks which shall be open to inspection.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 488 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hedges, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—Rochester, Smith, and Walters—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Smith moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "physicallly", and insert in lieu thereof the word "physically".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Smith as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 21, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SMITH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "lieu", insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "and", insert the word "stating" followed by a comma.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 544, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended April 22, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 12, inclusive, of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to amend section seven hundred thirty-seven of the Political Code prescribing the payment of salaries of judges of the superior court.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 22, 1927, strike out all of lines 8 and 9, and the figures and letter "736c" in line 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 737 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

737.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 22, 1927, strike out lines 22 to 46, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 236, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and the following: "and every deputy so appointed, receiving a salary of less than twenty-five dollars a month, except employees of the federal government and emergency employees for a limited period on a per diem basis, shall furnish to the State of California a surety bond in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) for the faithful performance of his duties and the premium on such bond shall be paid out of the fish and game preservation fund."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 605, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An Act to Promote Drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out lines 10 to 18, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "And all unpaid assessments shall bear interest at the rate of seven per cent from the date of the return of the list to said board, and shall thereafter be collected and paid in separate installments, of such amounts, and at such times, respectively, as the said board, from time to time, in its discretion, may, by order entered in its minutes may direct. Upon making such order the secretary shall also enter in the minutes of the board, a notice in substantially the following form ".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Bernard as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 855, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BERNARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced:

By Messrs Nielsen, Bernard, Foster, Duval and Eddy: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 37—Relative to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Bernard asked for and was granted unanimous consent to have Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 37 placed on file for adoption, without reference to committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 82—An act to amend section 817 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.
CARTER.
CLOWDSLEY.
DEUEL.
FEIGENBAUM.
ROCHESTER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 195 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 799—An act to amend section 592 of the Political Code, relating to the place of the office of the Insurance Commissioner—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.
JACOBSON.
CRITTENDEN.
MILLER.
WEST.
CRAWFORD.
BALL.
ADAMS.
SCUDDER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 764—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.
JACOBSON.
CRITTENDEN.
MILLER.
WEST.
BALL.
CRAWFORD.
ADAMS.
SCUDDER.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 714—An act to create a new section, to be numbered section 876*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to depository funds of cities of the sixth class in banks—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.
BYRNE.
SEWELL.
BROCK.
LITTLE.
CARTER.
ROCHESTER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by repealing the first numbered section 11 of article VI, proposed by the forty-fifth session of the Legislature as Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 2 and approved and ratified by the people at the general election held November 4, 1924,

by amending sections 3, 4, 5 and 13 of said article and by adding to said article new sections to be numbered 4*a*, 4*b*, 4*c* and 11*a*, relating to courts of record and inferior courts;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 7, authorizing the issuance and sale of six thousand bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State Park Bonds Act of 1927 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 12 ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 197—An act to provide for the acquisition by the State Department of Finance, upon behalf of the state, by gift, devise, grant or other conveyance, of the Donner Monument and lands contiguous thereto; and for the improvement of the same—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-fifth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District;" to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose, and declaring this act to be an emergency measure.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof", strike out the semicolon and the remainder of line 4, and strike out all of lines 5 to 12, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 12, line 24, of the printed bill, after "County", insert the following: There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 38, after the word "Rancho", strike out all in the printed bill down to "thence", in line 6, page 3, and insert the following in lieu thereof: "thence south approximately two and one-quarter miles along the section lines common to sections 62, 65, 63, 64, and its production southerly to the center line of the channel of the American river; thence following the said center line of the channel of the American river with its meanderings in an easterly direction to a point on said center line of said channel where the same would be intersected by the range line common to township eight north, range five east, and township eight north, range six east if the same were produced northerly; thence following said northerly produced range line in a southerly direction to the center line of the Placerville branch of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Strike out the following at the end of the title: "And declaring this act to be an emergency measure".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 162—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend section 1526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of property of decedents.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 686—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 47 of the Civil Code, relating to privileged publications.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 803—An act to amend chapter IV of title I of part III of the Political Code by amending section 726 thereof and adding thereto a new section to be known as 727, to relate to the Judicial Council and the duty of county clerks and clerks of the various courts.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 576—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace, sitting in courts other than their own under assignment thereto by the

chairman of the Judicial Council, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the words "the state" in line 6; also strike out all of lines 7 to 13, inclusive, on said page 2, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following:

(*a*) The state shall pay a portion of such extra compensation of a superior judge equal to the difference between the amount which the state pays toward the salary of such judge, and the amount which the state pays toward the salary of a judge of the superior court in the county to which such judge is assigned;

(*b*) The county to which a superior judge is assigned shall pay a portion of such extra compensation equal to the difference between the amount paid toward the salary of such judge by the county from which he is assigned, and the amount paid by the county toward the salary of a superior judge in the county to which he is assigned;

(*c*) Of the extra compensation of a justice of the peace or of a judge of a municipal or other court of lower jurisdiction than the superior court, assigned to a superior court, the state shall pay the same proportion that it pays of the salary of a judge of such superior court, the remainder of such extra compensation to be paid by the county in and for which is held the superior court to which such justice or judge is assigned;

(*d*) The expenses of each judge or justice of the peace assigned to a superior court in a county other than that in which he regularly sits shall be borne by the state and the county to which assigned, in the same proportions as the extra compensation of such judge or justice of the peace, and shall be audited and paid according to rules prescribed by the state board of control for the presentation, audit and payment of such expenses;

(*e*) The state controller and the auditor of each county or city and county shall be and are hereby authorized to draw their warrants in accordance with such rules, for the payment of extra compensation or expenses provided in this section;

(*f*) The payment by the state toward such extra compensation and expenses shall be made from the moneys appropriated for the support of the judicial council. The payment by the county or city and county toward such extra compensation and expenses shall be made from the same fund as salaries and expenses of officers of the county or city and county are made.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, in lines 25 and 26, strike out the words "its general fund.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the same fund as salaries and expenses of officers of the county or city and county are made."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, in lines 27 and 28, strike out the words "justices, judges and justices of the peace", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "justices and judges".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to add new sections to the Political Code to be numbered seven hundred thirty-seven *a*, seven hundred thirty-seven *b*, seven hundred thirty-seven *c*, seven hundred thirty-seven *d*, seven hundred thirty-seven *e*, seven hundred thirty-seven *f*, seven hundred thirty-seven *g*, seven hundred thirty-seven *h*, seven hundred thirty-

seven *i*, seven hundred thirty-seven *j*, seven hundred thirty-seven *k*, seven hundred thirty-seven *l*, seven hundred thirty-seven *m*, seven hundred thirty-seven *n*, seven hundred thirty-seven *o*, seven hundred thirty-seven *p*, seven hundred thirty-seven *q*, seven hundred thirty-seven *r*, seven hundred thirty-seven *s*, seven hundred thirty-seven *t*, seven hundred thirty-seven *u*, seven hundred thirty-seven *v*, seven hundred thirty-seven *w*, seven hundred thirty-seven *x*, seven hundred thirty-seven *y*, seven hundred thirty-seven *z*, seven hundred thirty-seven *aa*, seven hundred thirty-seven *bb*, seven hundred thirty-seven *cc*, seven hundred thirty-seven *dd*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ee*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ff*, seven hundred thirty-seven *gg*, seven hundred thirty-seven *hh*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ii*, seven hundred thirty-seven *jj*, seven hundred thirty-seven *kk*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ll*, seven hundred thirty-seven *mm*, seven hundred thirty-seven *nn*, seven hundred thirty-seven *oo*, seven hundred thirty-seven *pp*, seven hundred thirty-seven *qq*, seven hundred thirty-seven *rr*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ss*, seven hundred thirty-seven *tt*, seven hundred thirty-seven *uu*, seven hundred thirty-seven *vv*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ww*, seven hundred thirty-seven *xx*, seven hundred thirty-seven *yy*, seven hundred thirty-seven *zz*, seven hundred thirty-seven *aaa*, seven hundred thirty-seven *bbb*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ccc*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ddd*, seven hundred thirty-seven *eee*, seven hundred thirty-seven *fff*, and to repeal certain old sections of said code respectively numbered seven hundred thirty-seven *a*, seven hundred thirty-seven *b*, seven hundred thirty-seven *c*, seven hundred thirty-seven *d* as added by chapter eight hundred seventy-seven of the statutes of 1921, seven hundred thirty-seven *d* as added by chapter eight hundred sixty-four of the statutes of 1921, seven hundred thirty-seven *d* as added by chapter eight hundred fifty-one of the statutes of 1921, seven hundred thirty-seven *e*, seven hundred thirty-seven *g*, seven hundred thirty-seven *h*, seven hundred thirty-seven *j*, seven hundred thirty-seven *k*, seven hundred thirty-seven *m*, seven hundred thirty-seven *n*, seven hundred thirty-seven *o*, seven hundred thirty-seven *p*, seven hundred thirty-seven *r*, seven hundred thirty-seven *w*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ab*, seven hundred thirty-seven *eee*, seven hundred thirty-seven *ff*, seven hundred thirty-eight, seven hundred thirty-eight *a*, seven hundred thirty-eight *b* as added by chapter four hundred fifty of the statutes of 1925, seven hundred thirty-eight *b* as added by chapter four hundred fifty-five of the statutes of 1925, seven hundred thirty-eight *c* and seven hundred thirty-eight *d*, all relating to salaries of judges of the superior court.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*a*, and to read as follows:

737*a*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Alameda is nine thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*b* and to read as follows:

737*b*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Alpine is three thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 3. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*c* and to read as follows:

737*c*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Amador is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 4. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*d* and to read as follows:

737*d*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Butte is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*e* and to read as follows:

737*e*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Calaveras is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 6. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*f* and to read as follows:

737*f*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Colusa is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 7. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*g* and to read as follows:

737*g*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Contra Costa is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 8. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*h* and to read as follows:

737*h*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Del Norte is four thousand dollars.

SEC. 9. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*i* and to read as follows:

737*i*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of El Dorado is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 10. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*j* and to read as follows:

737*j*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Fresno is seven thousand dollars.

SEC. 11. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*k* and to read as follows:

737*k*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Glenn is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 12. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*l* and to read as follows:

737*l*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Humboldt is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 13. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*m* and to read as follows:

737*m*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Imperial is five thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 14. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*n* and to read as follows:

737*n*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Inyo is four thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 15. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*o* and to read as follows:

737*o*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Kern is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 16. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*p* and to read as follows:

737*p*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Kings is four thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 17. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q* and to read as follows:

737*q*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Lake is four thousand dollars.

SEC. 18. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*r* and to read as follows:

737*r*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Lassen is five thousand dollars

SEC. 19. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*s* and to read as follows:

737*s*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Los Angeles is nine thousand dollars.

SEC. 20. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*t* and to read as follows:

737*t*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Madera is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 21. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*u* and to read as follows:

737*u*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Marin is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 22. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*v* and to read as follows:

737*v*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Mariposa is four thousand dollars.

SEC. 23. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*w* and to read as follows:

737*w*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Mendocino is five thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 24. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*x* and to read as follows:

737*x*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Merced is five thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 25. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y* and to read as follows:

737*y*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc is three thousand six hundred dollars.

SEC. 26. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*z* and to read as follows:

737*z*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Mono is four thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 27. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*aa* and to read as follows:

737*aa*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Monterey is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 28. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*bb* and to read as follows:

737*bb*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Napa is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 29. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*cc* and to read as follows:

737*cc*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Nevada is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 30. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*dd* and to read as follows:

737*dd*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Orange is six thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 31. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ee* and to read as follows:

737*ee*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Placer is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 32. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ff* and to read as follows:

737*ff*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Plumas is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 33 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*gg* and to read as follows:

737*gg*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Riverside is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 34. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*hh* and to read as follows:

737*hh*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Sacramento is six thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 35. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ii* and to read as follows:

737*ii*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of San Benito is four thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 36. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*jj* and to read as follows:

737*jj*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Bernardino is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 37. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*kk* and to read as follows:

737*kk*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Diego is seven thousand dollars.

SEC. 38. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ll* and to read as follows:

737*ll*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the city and county of San Francisco is nine thousand dollars.

SEC. 39. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*mm* and to read as follows:

737*mm*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Joaquin is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 40. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*nn* and to read as follows:

737*nn*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of San Luis Obispo is five thousand five hundred dollars.

SEC. 41. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*oo* and to read as follows:

737*oo*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of San Mateo is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 42. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*pp* and to read as follows:

737*pp*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Barbara is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 43. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*qq* and to read as follows:

737*qq*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara is seven thousand dollars.

SEC. 44. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*rr* and to read as follows:

737*rr*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Cruz is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 45. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ss* and to read as follows:

737*ss*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 46. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*tt* and to read as follows:

737*tt*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sierra is three thousand dollars.

SEC. 47. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*uu* and to read as follows:

737*uu*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Siskiyou is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 48. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*vv* and to read as follows

737*vv*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Solano is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 49. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ww* and to read as follows:

737*ww*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Sonoma is six thousand dollars

SEC. 50. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*xx* and to read as follows:

737*xx*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 51. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*yy* and to read as follows:

737*yy*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 52 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*zz* and to read as follows

737*zz*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Tehama is five thousand dollars

SEC. 53 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*aaa* and to read as follows:

737*aaa*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Trinity is four thousand dollars.

SEC. 54 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*bbb* and to read as follows:

737*bbb*. The annual salary of each of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Tulare is six thousand dollars

SEC 55 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ccc* and to read as follows:

737*ccc*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Tuolumne is five thousand dollars.

SEC. 56 A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ddd* and to read as follows:

737*ddd*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Ventura is six thousand dollars.

SEC. 57. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*eee* and to read as follows

737*eee*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo is five thousand dollars.

SEC 58. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 737*fff* and to read as follows:

737*fff*. The annual salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba is five thousand dollars

SEC. 59. Sections 737*a*, 737*b*, 737*c*, 737*d* as added by chapter 877 of the statutes of 1921, 737*d*, as added by chapter 864 of the statutes of 1921, 737*d* as added by chapter 851 of the statutes of 1921, 737*e*, 737*g*, 737*h*, 737*j*, 737*k*, 737*m*, 737*n*, 737*o*, 737*p*, 737*r*, 737*w*, 737*ab*, 737*eee*, 737*vv*, 738, 738*a*, 738*b* as added by chapter 450 of the statutes of 1925, 738*b* as added by chapter 455 of the statutes of 1925, 738*c* and 738*d*, as the same existed immediately prior to the date upon which this act takes effect, are hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the word "two"; also strike out lines 6 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "are", strike out the word "seven", and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 856—An act transferring the operation and control of certain of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District to the Department of Public Works, and providing that the cost thereof shall be paid by the State and relieving said district and the Reclamation Board and its members from responsibility and liability for operation or maintenance of flood control works; providing for the cancellation of bonds of said district authorized but not sold; authorizing the Reclamation Board to levy a supplementary assessment and to order called assessments levied in connection with Project No. 6; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said district based on and secured by assessments upon the land within the boundaries of Project No. 6 of said district; authorizing the validation of said bonds; authorizing the State Board of Control to purchase and invest in warrants and bonds of said district; authorizing land owners within said Project No. 6 to pay assessments in warrants or bonds of said district; adding to, taking away from and altering an act known as the Reclamation Board Act, approved December 24, 1911, as amended, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 7 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 18, 1927, on page 1 of said bill after the word "state", insert the following: "for a limited period".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 11 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 18, 1927, on page 1 of said bill after the word "works", insert the following: "during said period".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, lines 24 and 25, of the printed bill, as amended April 18, 1927, strike out the words "Sacramento river drainage area.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 9 of the printed bill, as amended April 18, 1927, strike out the comma in line 39, and in lines 39, 40 and 41 strike out the following: "in so far as they may, a large number of the citizens of the state from financial disaster due to", and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 41, of the printed bill, between the words "to" and "three", insert the words "not less than".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 46 and 47, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to rescind and cancel its then existing order and to order that".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 865—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as pro chein ami or next friend acting for and on behalf of the Indians of California, to bring suit or suits against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same and making an appropriation to cover expenses incident thereto.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted to the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "thereto", add the following words: "from moneys appropriated to the attorney general".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill as amended, strike out lines 7 to 15, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 888—An act to provide for a survey of and works on the Santa Ana River Watershed and Basin for flood control and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 11 to 14, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of December, 1928; *provided, however*, that such sum shall be available when there is available or shall hereafter be made available by any political subdivision, or subdivisions of the State of California or by the federal government, or by other interested party, or parties an equal amount for such purpose."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relative to salaries in the Insurance Commissioner's office.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 107—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and

repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 412 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 439—An act to provide that the Department of Natural Resources, through the State Park Commission, shall have control of the State Park System; to establish and define the State Park System; to define certain powers and duties of the State Park Commissioner; to make an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act; and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 440—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey, and repealing an act entitled "An act relating to the acquisition by the State of forest land for park purposes; authorizing the State Board of Forestry to make a survey and report on all suitable forest park sites in the State; providing a method for procuring such parks by purchase, gift, devise, donation or condemnation proceedings, or proceedings in eminent domain and for procuring money for the acquisition and maintenance thereof, and prescribing the procedure therefor; reserving certain rights to the owners of land adjacent to the lands so acquired; providing for assistance by the Attorney General; vesting the State Board of Forestry with jurisdiction and control of such parks after their acquisition by the State and of any funds provided for the purchase or maintenance thereof; providing for the expenses of said board in carrying out the purposes of this act, and prescribing the procedure for carrying out the provisions of this act," approved May 29, 1923.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 741—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 805—An act relating to the Supreme Court, to amend sections 749, 755 and 756 of the Political Code, and to provide for the

appointment, employment and compensation of phonographic reporters, assistants, secretaries and librarian and other employees of the Supreme Court of the State of California, and for the salaries and expenses incurred by the said court under the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend section 767 of the Political Code to provide for the salaries of the reporter and assistant reporters of the decisions of the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, and repealing sections 739, 751½, 769, 770, 2313, 2314, 2315 and 2316 of the Political Code, and sections 265, 266 and 268 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, following the word "district", strike out the period and insert a comma and the following words: "*provided* that no such park, recreation or parkway district, shall embrace within the boundaries of such proposed park, recreation or parkway district, any land or lands lying nearer than one mile to the Pacific Ocean or any inlet, bay, estuary or arm of the ocean or shall any change be made in the boundaries of such proposed districts so as to embrace any such lands."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In section 2, on page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "known", insert "the use which it is proposed to make of such park".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In section 3, on page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "known", insert "and the use which it is proposed to make of such park".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Section 6 of the printed bill, shall be amended to read in line 40, page 5: "after such ordinance becomes effective, the land therein described shall be deemed to be held by such municipal corporation in fee, the sole limitation upon the use of such lands shall be that said lands shall be used only for municipal, charitable, or educational purposes; *provided, however*, that in the event that such land shall have been acquired for park purposes by the expenditure of moneys derived from the sale of bonds authorized for park purposes, and in the event the land so acquired for park purposes shall be placed in any other municipal use, they shall be transferred to such bond fund from such other municipal fund, as shall be determined upon by the legislative body of the city, the reasonable market value of such land

at the date of the ordinance discontinuing the use thereof for park purposes and the money so transferred shall be devoted only to the purposes for which such bonds were authorized. Moneys placed in any bond fund hereunder shall be subject to diversion to other use under the terms and limitations of any act of the Legislature, providing for the diversion of money derived from the sale of bonds devoted for a particular purpose to some other or different purpose.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, section 7, of the printed bill, strike out line 13.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 356—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 583—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 626½, relating to the protection of game.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 82—An act to amend section 817 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on March 22, 1927, strike out the comma following the word "California", and the balance of said line, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 22, 1927, strike out all of lines 11 and 12.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the fifth class.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "any", insert the word "such"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the words "city and county", strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "city", appearing the second time in said line, insert the words "or town", and strike out the following: "except cities of the fifth and sixth classes".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 799—An act to amend section 592 of the Political Code, relating to the place of the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 714—An act to create a new section, to be numbered section 876*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to depository funds of cities of the sixth class in banks.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 19*x*5 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 21, 1927, passed Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint

inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a Produce Dealers' License Fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State commission on voting machines, defining their powers and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section to be numbered section 8*a* conferring upon the State Department of Finance authority to invest and reinvest the moneys in the public school teachers' permanent fund and defining the powers and duties of said department in relation thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to laying out roads.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. A. Sloane against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 874—An act to amend section 2322*x*17 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation and expenses of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates;

Also Assembly Bill No 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No 1274—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency the following

Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library Fund, disposing of the balance in said fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend section 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

RECESS.

At five o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Flynn, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to regulate the method of nominating, voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purpose of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 718—An act to amend section 2322*x*13 of the Political Code, relating to salary and expenses of the county horticultural commissioner in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1027—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of water districts by the board of supervisors of the different counties of the State upon petition therefor by the land owners; providing for the joint government and control thereof by the land owners thereof and the board of supervisors of the county in which the same are formed; providing for the duties in connection therewith of the county officials of each county in which any of the lands contained in said district are located; providing for the acquisition and construction

by said district of irrigation works, for the irrigation of the lands embraced therein and for the distribution thereby of water for irrigation purposes; providing for the payment of the debts thereof by a tax levied on the lands embraced therein; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds thereby; providing for the transfer of the properties of such districts to any reclamation, drainage or irrigation project and the extension of contracts providing for such transfer in exchange for the right to receive and use waters; providing for the approval of the State Superintendent of Banks of such contracts or transfers; providing that said bonds and contracts or transfers may be investigated by an appointive board of three hydraulic engineers; providing for the approval of said bonds and such transfers or contracts providing therefor by the State Superintendent of Banks in case said investigation is favorably reported and that thereafter said bonds may be lawfully purchased, or received in pledge as security for any money or deposits or for the performance of any act, by banks, banking institutions, insurance companies, trust companies, guardians, executors, administrators and special administrators; providing in certain cases for the transfer of districts from the supervision of one county board of supervisors to another; and providing for the dissolution of said districts for nonuser of corporate power," approved June 13, 1913, as amended by amending sections 1, 1*a*, 2 and 8 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered 2*b*, 2*c* and 2*d*, relating to the formation of such districts, the selection of officers thereof and to district taxes or assessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to aid improvement, drainage and reclamation by authorizing certain improvements in and about the city of San Diego and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Bayside Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-sixth day of April, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend title X*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274*c*, providing for the appointment, qualifications, official oath, duties, certified transcripts and fees of phonographic reporters for municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 1381, relating to the rights of the United States government of a department or bureau thereof in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors in cases where compensation, pension, insurance, or other allowance is made;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of city of Los Angeles against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 743—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relative to fees and compensation of officers in the counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to amend sections 2 and 9 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products, and fixing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 2, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 882—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of C. G. Celio and Sons, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 653*d* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to retaining wages of employees upon public works;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend section 1401 of the Civil Code, relating to the disposition of community property on the death of either spouse;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define

real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the location of the office and branch offices of the Real Estate Commissioner and to the appointment of deputies in the Real Estate Department;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of Vina Rais against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Red River Lumber Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 3702 of the Political Code, relating to traveling expenses of the State Board of Equalization;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Chalfant Cooperative Power Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to amend sections 4, 7 and 10 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development, or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to surveys, appointment of employees and other appointees, management of work and payment of compensation of commission and claims against the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to provide for the formation, management, alteration of boundaries, and dissolution of sewer maintenance districts in unincorporated territory of counties, defining the powers of such districts and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health," approved May 23, 1925, relating to a Division of Cannery Inspection;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the parole of persons confined in city, county, or city and county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Pacific Employers Insurance Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John F. Huberty against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Division of Narcotic Enforcement under the direction and control of the State Board of Pharmacy;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act appropriating money for premiums at fairs or exhibitions held by the Forty-sixth District Agricultural Association during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-sixth day of April, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 18—An act to repeal section 476*a* and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts;

Also Assembly Bill No 26—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same,

Also: Assembly Bill No 42—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*e* relating to the purchase or sale of manufactured articles from which identification marks have been removed;

Also: Assembly Bill No 58—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*a*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors;

Also Assembly Bill No. 67—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John L. Berry, as county treasurer of the county of Siskiyou, against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 69—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. M. Hughes, as county treasurer of the county of Madera, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Gold Buckle Association against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Galen W. Morrill against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John M. Daly, as county treasurer of the county of Tulare, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be numbered 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to add six new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2979*b*, 2979*c*, 2979*d*, 2979*e*, 2982*a*, 4041*d*, relating to the care, treatment, transportation and physical rehabilitation of physically defective and handicapped persons, under the age of eighteen years, by the State of California, by and under the direction and supervision of the State Board of Health and by and under the direction of county boards of supervisors and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to permit the consolidation of elections and to provide a procedure therefor," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 1 and 4 thereof, and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 6, relating to special precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Salvatore Spingola against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Bernard Verbeck against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the California Highway Commission against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Moffatt Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Levy Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 275—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 276—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 278—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. J. and T. D. Borie against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 279—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Charles G. Johnson against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 280—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Niagara Fire Insurance Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pacific Tank and Pipe Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 286—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for the construction of electroliers upon that portion of Bancroft Way in said city of Berkeley, fronting upon property of the University of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and to school attendance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 473—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Jennie Martin against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to add five new sections to be numbered 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, and 16*e* to an act entitled "An act for preventing the manufacture,

sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a State laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, as amended, relating to the establishment of an alternative method of procedure for the enforcement thereof by means of the organization and establishment of local food inspection and enforcement divisions of the State Board of Health.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California, and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to quarantine rules;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to prohibit the possession of machine rifles, machine guns and sub-machine guns capable of automatically and continuously discharging loaded ammunition of any caliber in which the ammunition is fed to such guns from or by means of clips, disks, drums, belts or other separable mechanical device, and providing a penalty for violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their duties and powers and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereto and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to certificates licensing the practice of medicine, drugless healing and chiropody;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to provide for the organization and government of public park districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 627—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park and creating a board of five commissioners, with power to acquire land for the creation of said park, and for additions thereto and to manage and maintain said Tamalpais State Park and to appoint a guardian therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-sixth day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 489—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 3265*f*, relating to actions for paying checks after payment has been stopped.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 489 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 177—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 177 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Keaton—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 184 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter, to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980 to division III, part I, title XIV of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 349 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 173 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Sewell—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 428 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Witter, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Deuel, Flynn, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, McPherson, Patterson, Rochester, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, and Woodbridge—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 478 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Dillinger, Jones, Miller, Eleanor; Rochester, and Walters—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 527 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—Burns, and Jewett—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 696—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 696 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 695—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 695 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office; prescribing the number

and fixing the salaries thereof and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 528 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 570—An act to amend sections 2337, 2338, 2341, 2344 and 2346 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Department of Public Welfare

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 570 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violation hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 533 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Parkman, Roberts, Scudder, Spalding, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—29.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, and Woolwine—37.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 595—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation, and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer, and deputy adult probation officer, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 595 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Flynn, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, and Woolwine—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 2620 of the Political Code, relating to the width of highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 864 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Coombs—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended by adding two new sections thereto, to be numbered $2\frac{1}{2}$ and $50\frac{1}{2}$, relating to certification of warehousemen.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 523 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Baum, Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Leymel, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Witter, and Wright—26.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 36, 41, 55, 58, 60, 63, 69, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 142, 147, 148, 151, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered $19\frac{1}{2}$ and $45\frac{1}{2}$, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators and chauffeurs, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of this act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Nielsen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 19 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 20, 1927, strike out lines 39 to 45, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 24, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 20, 1927, strike out the word "shall", and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Nielsen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 638, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NIELSEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 659—An act providing for the exchange of certain lands of the State, situate in a national park, and for the management and control of the lands acquired in exchange.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 659 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Duval, the consideration of Senate Bills Nos. 639 and 521 were made a special order for Wednesday, April 27, 1927, at two o'clock p m.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 857 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—55.

NOES—Fisher, McDonough, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Witter, and Mr Speaker—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and

prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28. 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 33 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Mixter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 33 was this day passed

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 261?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, following the word "thereof", insert the following ", except pupils living within the limits of any city,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 261 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 757?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "be", insert the following "one undersheriff at two thousand four hundred dollars per annum to be paid in equal monthly installments,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and semicolon "installments,", insert the following: "one chief criminal deputy sheriff at two thousand four hundred dollars per annum to be paid in equal monthly installments:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 19 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "equal monthly installments, one chief criminal deputy sheriff"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 757 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1247?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word and comma "construction,", add the following "alteration or relocation,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1247 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 764?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "annum", strike out the period, and insert a colon and add the following: "*provided, however*, the treasurer shall retain all fees now or which may hereafter be legally collected by his office, and that said sum or sums of money so collected as fees shall not be considered or construed as an increase of compensation."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 764 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of State.
By W. L. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 260?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, following the period, insert the following: "All money received from such sale shall be placed to the credit of the fund from which the original expenditure for the purchase of such property was made."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 260 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on April 20, 1927, passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within

municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 412?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "municipalities", strike out the comma, and add the following "or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1927, after the word "municipalities", strike out the comma, and add the following: "or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 412 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 889?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the amended printed bill, as of March 25, 1927, after the words "or community", insert the words "or creameries.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 25, of the amended printed bill, as of March 25, 1927, strike out the word "written", and in lieu thereof insert the words "in force".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 3, of the amended printed bill, as of March 25, 1927, strike out the word "farm", and in lieu thereof insert the word "country".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 8, of the amended printed bill, as of March 25, 1927, strike out the word "county", and in lieu thereof insert the word "country"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6 lines 51 and 52, of the amended printed bill, as of March 25, 1927, strike out the words "deemed cancelled and shall be void", and in lieu thereof insert the word "suspended", and after the word "effect", line 52, page 6, insert the words "until reinstated by the payment of all delinquent charges or fees."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 14, of the amended printed bill, strike out all of said line after the comma following the word "churches", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "community, creamery".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 3, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "become void", and insert in lieu thereof the words "be suspended".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 889 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exaction of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property under certain restrictions, or unless said cash put up as a bond is deposited in a savings account in a bank under certain restrictions, and providing penalties for violation of the act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 414?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the following ", or is to be entrusted,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the following ", or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "agreement", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", or the fulfillment of the

contract or agreement in cases where no money, goods or other property is entrusted to the employee or applicant for employment, subject only to such deduction as may be necessary to balance accounts between said employer and said employee or applicant for employment."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 414 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 401?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "conclusive", add the word "evidence."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "all", add the word "other".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 401 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 3 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed measure, as amended April 11, 1927, strike out the words "wasteful use or wasteful", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "unreasonable use or unreasonable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed measure, as amended April 11, 1927, strike out the words "wasteful use or wasteful", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "unreasonable use or unreasonable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 24, of the printed measure, as amended April 11, 1927, strike out the word "wasteful", and insert in lieu thereof the word "unreasonable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed measure, in line 3 of the title, strike out the words "two new", and strike out all of lines 4, 5 and 6 of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section three of article fourteen thereof, relating to water rights."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed measure, strike out the words "two new sections to be", and strike out all of line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a new section to be known as and numbered section 3, be added to article".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 27?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 30 and 31, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "two", strike out the words "three and four", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two and one-half and three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sixteenth", and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 46 and 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sixteenth day of August and the thirtieth day of April", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixth day of September and the thirty-first day of May".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the word "June", and insert in lieu thereof the word "August".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or kills", and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", kills or has in possession".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "August", and insert in lieu thereof the word "June".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "July", and insert in lieu thereof the word "May".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "beds", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or in any stream on which there is located a salmon spawn-taking station".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "with", add the following: "spear or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "salmon", insert the following: "or who at any time takes, catches or kills more than two salmon during any one calendar day,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out that part of line 9 following the comma after the word "included", and strike out all of lines 10 and 11, and that part of line 12 preceding the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "spears any salmon,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 27 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaten, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4257*a*, relating to the compensation of the surveyor, his deputy and surveying crews in counties of the twenty-eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 141?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 36 to 50, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

4257*a*. In counties of the twenty-eighth class, the surveyor shall receive one thousand seven hundred fifty dollars for the balance of the calendar year of 1927, and shall be allowed one deputy at a salary of one thousand four hundred dollars for the same period to be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers. The surveyor shall also be paid the actual and necessary expenses of transportation of himself, his deputy and surveying crews, and subsistence of himself and deputy, all while in the field. He shall also be allowed four helpers at a wage of five dollars per diem, each, when actually and necessarily engaged in assisting the surveyor in the discharge of his duties. The county shall also provide for the use of the surveyor, a suitable office, office furniture, field and office equipment, lights and care for said office, office and record books, and other necessary materials for the performance of his duties.

After the first day of January, 1928, the surveyor and his deputy shall each receive ten dollars per diem while engaged in the discharge of the duties of the office, and the surveyor shall be furnished the supplies and equipment and shall be allowed the same expenses and help as hereinabove provided. In computing the per diem of the surveyor, his deputy and crews, the time spent in traveling shall be included.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 141 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 998?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out line 5, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "commission, *provided, further*, that any resident of this state lawfully killing a deer in any other state, may ship or transport into this state such deer, if the same is legal in this state, *provided* that permission has been secured from the proper authorities of the state in which the deer was killed, *and provided further*, that such person has complied with the rules and regulations that may be hereafter prescribed by the fish and game commission."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 998 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 807?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, following the colon after the word "mammals", insert the following: "black and brown bear,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words: "Nothing in this act shall apply to or in any manner restrict the killing or destroying or capturing of bears in fish and game districts one, one and one-half, two and two and one-half, until the first day of July, 1930."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 807 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 31, 36, 45, 48, 49, and 60 of the "State Housing Act" approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 829?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 16, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all of line 29, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "vertical flue, vent or chimney leading to the outer air. Such vertical flue, vent or chimney shall be constructed of brick, terra cotta tile, terra cotta patent chimney masonry, or of other similar material which will not disintegrate from the effects of gas fumes and other products of combustion. The internal area of any such flue, vent or chimney shall not be less than twelve square inches and any such flue, vent or chimney of a rectangular shape shall not be less than two inches in any internal dimension."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "except", add "railroad cars, sleeping cars,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 829 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1209?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 28, 29 and 30.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "12", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, after line 36, add a new paragraph as follows:

12. To pay premiums on bonds of contractors required under any contract wherein the amount payable to the contractor exceeds five million dollars provided that the specifications in such cases shall specifically so provide and state that the bidder shall not include in his bids the cost of furnishing the required bonds.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1209 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management of community real property—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 519?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 3, 4 and 5, of the printed bill, insert the following: "The husband has the management and control of the community real property, but the wife, either personally or by duly authorized agent, must join with him".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "The", strike out the remainder of line 5, all of lines 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, including the comma following the word "agent" in line 12.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "section", insert the following: "affecting any property standing of record in the name of the husband alone,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 519 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 533—An act to amend sections 1598 and 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the conveyance of property of decedents by executors or administrators, and the filing of petitions therefor, and the giving of notice thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 533?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 25, 1927, strike out the comma and word ", or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 13, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections one thousand five hundred ninety-eight and one thousand five hundred ninety-nine of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the conveyance of property of decedents by executors or administrators, and the filing of petitions therefor, and the giving of notice thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 13, 1927, before the word "petition", insert the following: "verified".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 13, 1927, strike out the word "must", and all of lines 7 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall fix a time and place for hearing the petition".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 13, 1927, strike out all of lines 1 to 4, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "When the executor or administrator is not the petitioner, notice of such hearing shall be served upon him or his attorney at least ten (10) days before the hearing.

SEC. 2. Section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

1599. At the time and place appointed for the hearing, or at such other time to which the same may be postponed, upon satisfactory proof by affidavit or otherwise, of the service of such notice as may have been required, the court shall proceed to hear said petition, and the court may examine, on oath, the petitioner and all who may be produced before him for that purpose, and the executor or administrator may, if he is not the petitioner, appear and contest such petition by filing his objections in writing."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 533 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 529?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "thereof", insert the following: "for a longer term than one (1) year,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "thereof", insert the following: "for a longer term than one (1) year,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "thereof", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, that the executor or administrator or guardian of any estate may, without order of court, make and enter into a lease of any real property, or any part thereof, of his decedent or ward, for a period not exceeding one (1) year".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 529 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to add a new section to be numbered 626*da* to the Penal Code, providing for the taking of rabbits in fish and game district four and three-quarters in any number and at any time of the year—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 244?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out lines 1 and 2 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new section to be numbered 626*da* to the Penal Code, providing for the taking of rabbits in fish and game district four and three-quarters in any number and at any time of the year.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 27, both inclusive, and strike out all of page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered section 626*da* is hereby added to the Penal Code to read as follows:

626*da*. Brush, cottontail or any other rabbits may be hunted, taken or killed, in fish and game district four and three-quarters in any number and at any time of the year.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 244 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor;

Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State to lease or grant franchises in real property for such purpose and to construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1232?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, in line 21, strike out the comma after the word "for", and all the balance of the line, and all of line 22 down to and including the word "or" the second time it occurs.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, in line 25, strike out "or for the improvement thereof,", and in line 26 strike out "acquiring or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, in line 27, strike out "acquired or", and strike out the comma after "improved".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1927, in line 35, strike out "any", and insert in lieu thereof "and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1232 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379c, relating to the joinder of parties defendant—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 378?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the word "to" following the word "defendants", and insert in lieu thereof the word "with".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 378 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacooson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 377?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "common".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "arise", insert the following words: "which are common to all the parties to the action".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 377 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520 and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1522—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1120?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, following line 29 of the amended printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, insert the following:

"The state board of education shall have power and it shall be its duty:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 30, of the amended printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, before "(*a*)" insert the following: "First—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the last line of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 14, 1927, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered one thousand five hundred twenty-two."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "assistants", and insert in lieu thereof the word "persons".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, before the word "The", insert the following: "1520. First—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the following: "First—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a period; and strike out the words "but such salaries", and also strike out all of lines 45 and 46.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 8 of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, following line 5, add the following:

SEC. 7. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 1522 to read as follows

1522. From and after the date upon which this act takes effect, the department of education shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered to expend the moneys in any appropriation heretofore or hereafter made for the support of the state board of education.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1120 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 305?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, after the word "labeling", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, after the word "custard", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 10, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, after the words "ice cream", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 10, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, after the word "dollars", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "except for ice cream, ice milk, and all similar frozen products which shall be as hereinbefore provided"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 305 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1045?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "1927", and in lieu thereof insert the figures "1917".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1045 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 267?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "mayor", and before the word "conditioned", insert the following: "or, if the clerk's salary is paid by the county, shall be approved as provided for county officers,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "treasury", and before the word "all", insert a comma and add the following: "or into the county treasury if the salary of the clerk is paid by the county.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "council", and before the word "an", insert the following "or county board of supervisors where the salary of the clerk is paid by the county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the words "out of the treasury of said cities", and in lieu thereof insert the following: "by warrants drawn each month upon the salary fund, or if there be no salary fund, then upon the general fund, of such city or county as the case may be, such warrants to be audited and paid as salaries of any other city or county officials respectively,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 267 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund and providing for an appropriation therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 958?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "and providing for an appropriation therefor".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 958 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where estab-

lished and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 629?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 51, of the amended printed bill, and page 4, lines 1 and 2, of the amended bill, strike out the words "whatever part of the regularly established school term the high school board of the district shall determine.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such time as they are unemployed."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 629 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 630?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, following the word "of", insert the words "November of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, following the comma after the word "October", insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "November", insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "or eleventh day of November".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the comma at the end of the line, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, lines 9 to 16, inclusive, of the printed bill, strike out all of the printed bill beginning with the word "but", in line 9, to and including the word "days" and the period immediately following, in line 16.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 630 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor;

Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 716?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the colon, strike out the balance of line 14 and down to and including the word "annum" in line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand five hundred fifty dollars per annum, two deputies at a salary of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars each per annum, three deputies at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "capacity", strike out the balance of the paragraph, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The provisions herein contained shall apply to the deputies of the present encumbent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "aggregate", insert the words "per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six thousand", and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand eight hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 5, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 11th, after the period after the word "county", insert the following: "The provisions herein contained shall apply to the deputies of the present encumbents"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the words "six thousand", and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand eight hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 9, line 3, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "and", strike out the balance of the paragraph.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 9, after line 30, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraphs:

Judicial township number thirteen, estimated population one thousand thirty-eight, one justice of the peace with a salary of three hundred dollars per annum; one constable at a salary of three hundred dollars per annum

Judicial township number fourteen, estimated population two hundred, one justice of the peace at a salary of two hundred forty dollars per annum; one constable at a salary of two hundred forty dollars per annum.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 716 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor;

Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to add a new section to be numbered 50½ to the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the status of territory, for the purpose of this act when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of improvement work in or on, or the aquisition of, public ways in such territory—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put. Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 311?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the entire title of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new section to be numbered 50½ to the "Acquisition and improvement act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the status of territory, for the purpose of this act when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of improvement work in or on, or the acquisition of, public ways in such territory.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out all of lines 1 to 28, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1 A new section to be numbered 50½ is hereby added to the "Acquisition and improvement act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, to read as follows:

Sec. 50½. If the validity of the annexation or purported annexation of unincorporated territory to a municipality or city is questioned in any suit, action or proceeding brought in or before a court of competent jurisdiction, such territory, for the purposes of each and every provision of this act shall be deemed not to have been annexed to such municipality or city but shall be deemed to be unincorporated territory of the county until a judgment declaring such annexation valid or invalid shall have become final; and any and all proceedings under the provisions of this act for the acquisition of any public way or ways or the doing of improvement work in or on any public way or ways in such territory or any part thereof, commenced subsequent to the institution or filing of any such suit, action or proceeding and prior to the date upon which judgment becomes final, shall be commenced and carried on to final completion by the county, which is hereby given full power and jurisdiction to do the same, and such proceedings so taken hereunder shall be as valid and legal in every respect as if such unincorporated territory had not been annexed to such municipality or city; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body of such municipality or city shall first be obtained thereto and to the assessment of property in such territory.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 311 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to

add a new section to be numbered 79*m* to an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the status of territory, for the purposes of this act, when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of any work or the making of any improvement in, on, along or under any street or place in such territory, under the provisions of said act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 670?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the following: "amend section seventy-nine of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "add a new section to be numbered seventy-nine *m* to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out the last line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to the status of territory, for the purposes of this act, when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of any work or the making of any improvement in, on, along or under any street or place in such territory, under the provisions of said act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 31, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 19, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 2 to 4, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered 79*m* is hereby added to "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the costs thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, to read as follows:

Sec. 79*m*. If the validity of the annexation or purported annexation of unincorporated territory to a municipality or city is questioned in any suit, action or proceeding brought in or before a court of competent jurisdiction, such territory for the purposes of each and every provision of this act shall be deemed to have been annexed to such municipality or city and shall not be deemed to be unincorporated territory of the county until a judgment declaring such annexation valid or invalid shall have become final; and any and all proceedings under the provisions of this act for the doing of any work or the making of any improvement in, on, along or under any street or place in such territory or any part thereof, commenced subsequent to the institution or filing of any such suit, action or proceeding and prior to the date upon which such judgment becomes final, shall be commenced and carried on to final completion by the municipality or city, which is hereby given full power and jurisdiction to do the same, and such proceedings so taken hereunder shall be as valid and legal in every respect as if such unincorporated territory had been annexed to such city or municipality; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body of such county shall first be obtained thereto and to the assessment of property in such territory.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 670 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities or cities and counties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 468?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, following the word "cents", insert "nor more than one dollar".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 468 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 25, 27, 61, 62 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section XIV of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1091?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "and sixty-two," and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", sixty-two and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, immediately preceding the word "There", insert quotation marks.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended, following the word "foreclosure", insert quotation marks.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended, following the word "separate", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 3, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "delinquent", and insert in lieu thereof the word "unpaid".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1091 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 584?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "two thousand", and insert in lieu thereof "eighteen hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "fifteen", and insert in lieu thereof "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "four thousand", and insert in lieu thereof "thirty-eight hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "eight", and insert in lieu thereof "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "eight", and insert in lieu thereof "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "eight", and insert in lieu thereof "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "four", and insert in lieu thereof "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "two thousand one", and insert in lieu thereof "one thousand nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "eight", and insert "six" in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, lines 20 and 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ten dollars per day for each and every day actually engaged in the performance of the duties of such office".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "three", and insert in lieu thereof "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "one thousand", and insert in lieu thereof "nine hundred".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 584 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1242?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out words "the chairman", at the end of the line, and all of lines 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out small "e" in the word "each", and insert the capital "E".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "commission", reinsert the strikeout, which is as follows: "The chairman of the commission shall be regarded as the executive officer thereof and shall receive as compensation a per diem of fifteen dollars per day when actually engaged upon the work of the commission, and the other two commissioners shall each receive as compensation a per diem of ten dollars per day when actually engaged upon the work of the commission and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, in the word "Each", first appearing therein strike out the capital "E", and insert in lieu thereof the small letter "e".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "interested", strike out the balance of line 10, all of line 11 and line 12, and to and including the word "advisable" in line 13.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1242 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to

amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 899?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "seven hundred fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six hundred dollars", and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the words "one thousand", add the words "two hundred fifty".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 899 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-fifth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 417?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the words "said deputy to be employed", in line 26; also strike out all of lines 27 and 28 and the words "visors may fix by resolution", in line 29 of said page, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "said deputy to receive a salary of fifteen hundred dollars for the period beginning with the date upon which this act becomes effective and ending December 31, 1927, and thereafter a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, in line 21, strike out the words "The population", also strike out lines 22 to 26, inclusive, on said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Justices of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1927, between lines 22 and 23 on said page, insert the following:

20. The surveyor shall receive the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00) for the period beginning with the date upon which this act becomes effective and ending December 31, 1927, and thereafter a salary of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00) per annum, for all work performed for the county, and in addition thereto he shall receive his actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred by him while engaged in work for the county; said salary shall be paid in the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out lines 1 and 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the word "fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, lines 15 and 16, of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the following "one hundred seventy-five", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out lines 13 and 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

12. The surveyor shall receive the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) for the period beginning with the date upon which this act becomes effective and ending December 31, 1927, and thereafter a salary of four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum, for all work performed for the county, and in addition thereto he shall receive his actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred by him while engaged in work for the county; said salary shall be paid in the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the word "justices", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Justices".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out lines 31 to 40, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the words "per month each", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "per month, each, and a sum not to exceed six hundred dollars in any one year for such additional clerk hire as may be necessary,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended, after the figures "298", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, further*, that the said salaries of the clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county auditor is paid."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 417 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 740—An act to amend an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 5*a*, 9*a*, 28*a*, 33*b*..33*c*, 36*a*, and 372, relating to rate of interest on bonds, the construction of improvements in portions, the issuance of immediate possession bonds, the entering of stipulated judgments in condemnation suits and hearings thereon, the issuance of bonds for acquisitions and improvement, and the entering of more than one final judgment in a condemnation action.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 740 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No 29—Relative to an investigation of the subject of convict labor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

KELSEY, Chairman.
LITTLE.
DAVIS.
CARTER.
LEYMEL.
FRY.
WRIGHT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29 ordered on file for adoption.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 27, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 27, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J. Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Williams was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr Badham, Mrs. Alyce C Norman, teacher of the River Bank School of Bryte, California, and the following pupils of the seventh and eighth grades. Christinia Lauer, Jane Samborsky, Frances Murray, Hannah Surphlis, Raymond Fisher, Mary Silva, Mary Hale, Nada Samcoff, Adele Samborsky, Thelma Lee, Zona Sales, Nellie Garibaldi, Fannie Alaskin, Tessie Long, Alice Salincoff, James Shevchenko, Ida Mae Freese, Dolores Cognasi, Nicholas Krestoff, Bessie Pratt, Mary Verasoff, Raymond Bell, Lois Marston, Alvera Fernandez, Alec Alaskin, Boris Nazaroff, Felicca Carpenter and Vera Salincoff were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, the following: Harry B. Allen of San Francisco, J. B. Clayton of San Jose, Cappy Ricks of Martinez, Glen Willaman of Los Angeles, Grover T. Oaks of Redding, Harry Knight of Oakland and Ed Huston of Sacramento were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Messrs. Clarence S. Potter, Keaton Arnett and Harold Byron of Pasadena were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Feigenbaum, Mr. Oliver Dibble, Jr., of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mrs Edgar C. Levey of San Francisco, wife of Speaker Edgar C Levey, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mrs Leland Jacobson of San Francisco, wife of Assemblyman Leland R. Jacobson, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a commission to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 443—An act to amend sections 5 and 12 of an act entitled

"An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 893—An act granting an easement for a pier at Pacific Beach, San Diego County, to the Crystal Pier Amusement Company, a corporation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 724—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1751*a*, relating to attendance at high school—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BYRNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Senate Bill No 885—An act providing for the investigation by the California Highway Commission of the operation of toll bridges in California and any matters connected therewith, and for the submission of a report thereon to the forty-eighth session of the Legislature embodying recommendations with reference to the taking over of any existing bridge or bridges by the State with a plan for financing acquisition of same and the amortization of the costs by tolls, or the construction of toll bridges and any other pertinent matters relating to the same problem—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 701—An act to amend Political Code by adding thereto a section to be known as section 633*aa*, relating to license to act as life insurance broker—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 259—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group life insurance;

Also: Senate Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 629*a* of the Political Code, relating to group life insurance and valuation thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies;
Also: Senate Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 605 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents;
Also: Senate Bill No 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

ROLAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29—Relative to an investigation of the subject of convict labor.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 29.

Relative to an investigation of the subject of convict labor.

WHEREAS, Men foremost in the study of crime and of criminals and prison reform throughout the country are advocating the employment of every convict during his commitment, and

WHEREAS, Other states in the Union seeing the advantage of the employment of criminals as a means of keeping them more contented mentally and in better condition physically and rendering them better able to cope with the world when they are released and thus going a long way in preventing them from violating the law and again returning to prison, and again

WHEREAS, Employment of prison labor on State highways and on county highways has already proven a success in California; and

WHEREAS, The prison population of California is constantly increasing at a net increase of 60 per month; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That a committee of five be appointed, consisting of three members of the Senate and two of the Assembly, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, to investigate the advisability of a more extended employment of convicts in all our penal institutions and to report its findings to the Legislature meeting in 1929; and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of $1,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid weekly from the contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw the warrants in favor of the chairman of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

Senate Bill No. 579—An act to authorize the Director of Agriculture to provide for the certification of fruits, vegetables and other farm products, to cooperate with the United States Department of Agriculture in carrying out the provisions of this act, to provide for the payment of fees, to establish a fruit and vegetable certification fund and revolving fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 579 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 355—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Parkman moved that Senate Bill No. 355 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 355 to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25 and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. HENRY E. CARTER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Henry E. Carter, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-first Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER NINETY.

Senate Bill No. 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25 and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Feigenbaum moved a call of the House

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—69.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fourteen minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 90 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Ball, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Leymel, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—31

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Carter, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Gant, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, West, Woolwine, and Wright—41.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Feigenbaum gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 90 was this day refused passage.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED NINE.

Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, after line 28, of the printed bill, as amended on March 16, 1927, add the following:

Provided, however, that taxicabs, hotel buses, motor drays and transfer vehicles which do not operate upon the state or county highways but operate exclusively within the limits of incorporated cities or between incorporated cities, where no state or county highway is traversed shall pay one-half of the fees specified in subdivision *c* of this section.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 709, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

The question being on the adoption of the report of the Select Committee of One and amendment.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Heisinger, Williamson and Lenehan, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of the Select Committee of One and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report of the Select Committee of One and amendment refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little Lyons, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—32

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jesperson, Jones, Keaton, Levmel, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—41

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED NINE.

Senate Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 77 of "The California Vehicle Act," relating to registration fees.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 709 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—51.

NOES—Bishop, Burns, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes Hornblower, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—22.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Jacobson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 709 was this day passed.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Mixter moved that Senate Bill No. 708 be withdrawn from the Committee on Motor Vehicles and placed on file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 708 from the Committee on Motor Vehicles and place on file for passage.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 708 from the committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Leymel, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Wright—45

NOES—Bishop, Burns, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Kelsey, McDonough, Miller, James A, Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—22.

Senate Bill No. 708 ordered on file for passage.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m , the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 16—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution Number 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, statutes of 1927;

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 37—Relating to the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter of providing a new residence for the Governor of California;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 36 and 37 ordered on file for adoption.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 510—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, pleasure piers, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way and easements of the public, including any right of way of which immediate possession and use has been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvement; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BYRNE.
NIELSEN.
HEISINGER.
SNYDER.
FOSTER.
EASLEY.
WELLER.
JONES.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 823—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*j*, providing for the supervision of ports by the Department of Public Works—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 884—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*ag*, inclusive,

and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notice of administration proceedings and demand thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 691—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 410, relating to foreign corporations,

Also Senate Bill No. 889—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to certain narcotic drugs;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 740—An act to amend an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 5*a*, 9*a*, 28*a*, 33*b*, 33*c*, 36*a*, and 372, relating to rate of interest on bonds, the construction of improvements in portions, the issuance of immediate possession bonds, the entering of stipulated judgments in condemnation suits and hearings thereon, the issuance of bonds for acquisitions and improvements, and the entering of more than one final judgment in a condemnation action—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WOOLWINE, Chairman.
JACOBSON.
BROCK.
JONES.
BYRNE.
McDONOUGH
SEWELL.
ROCHESTER.
KELSEY.
CARTER.
WALTERS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments in criminal cases,

Also Senate Bill No. 362—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals in habeas corpus cases;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

ROCHESTER, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 594—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*dd* and to repeal that certain section numbered 737*d* which was added to said code by chapter DCCCLI of the Statutes of 1921, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Diego;

Also: Senate Bill No. 763—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be known as section 738½, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Mendocino County:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted:

Also: Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 208—An act to amend section 738*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Tulare and Kings—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 725—An act to regulate and license the maintenance and operation of commercial hunting clubs and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game protection and restoration—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

OLIVA, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 780—An act to amend section 122 of the "Bank Act," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to the location of the principal office of the State Banking Department—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WILLAMSON, Chairman.
BYRNE.
HAWES.
MILLER, JAMES A.
PARKMAN.
REINDOLLAR.
WOOLWINE.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 11—Relating to securing the aid of the United States

government in establishing a basis for execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WITTER, Chairman.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 855 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 607—An act to authorize and empower the Fish and Game Commission to close fishing streams and lakes, and in emergency to restrict the open season for hunting in any fish and game district or portion thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 607 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger,

Jacobson, Kelsey, Leymel, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Bernard, Byrne, Carter, Easley, Fisher, Fry, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, James A., Mixter, Reindollar, and Williamson—16.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Parkman gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 607 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 19, 28, 36, 41, 55, 58, 60, 63, 69, 78, 96, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 142, 147, 148, 151, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 19½ and 45½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators and chauffeurs, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of this act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles and to the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 638 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "hereafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "Legislature", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*and provided further*, that nothing in this section shall apply to any stockholder's liability already

incurred against stockholders in corporations created prior to the adoption of this amendment. Nothing in the preceding paragraph of this section shall be held to apply to any exposition company organized to promote and carry on any fairs, sports, games or exhibitions authorized or to be held under authority of the constitution or laws of California."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or both, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the landowner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the landowner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 83 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to

be numbered 7, authorizing the issuance and sale of 6000 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State Park Bonds Act of 1927, as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No 33.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 7, authorizing the issuance and sale of 6000 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State Park Bonds Act of 1927 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 7 and to read as follows:

Sec. 7. The issuance and sale of 6000 bonds of State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, and the use and disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds, all as provided in the California State Park Bonds Act of 1927 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor, authorizing the issuance and sale of State bonds in the sum of $6,000,000 for the purpose of providing a fund to be used and disbursed for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes, is hereby authorized and directed and the said California State Park Bond Act of 1927 is hereby approved, adopted, legalized, ratified, validated and made fully and completely effective. All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action. Nothing in this constitution contained shall be a limitation upon the provisions of this section.

Senate Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 226 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 35—An act to regulate employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State, and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDonough moved that Assembly Bill No. 35 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 35 to the Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No 44—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in application therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke, suspend or refuse to grant licenses, providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the Commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question, prohibiting the conducting of agencies in connection with pool halls and soft drink parlors and more specifically defining what are employment agencies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 44 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 499—An act to authorize the repayment of money paid or collected by error or mistake or under an unconstitutional law.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 499 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J., Badham, Ball Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, Leymel, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 132—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 132 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P, Badham, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—63

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., and Walters—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The hour of two o'clock having arrived, the special orders heretofore set were taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE.

Senate Bill No 639—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 639 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Clowdsley Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Witter, and Woodbridge—31.

NOES—Adams, Badham, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne Carter, Crawford, Croter, Davis, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Keaton, Lenehan, Little Lyons, McDonough, Miller Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No 521—An act to amend section 9 of and to add a new section to be numbered 4*m* to an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the licensing of dealers in seeds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 521 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Foster, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Scudder, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, and Witter—27

NOES—Adams, Badham, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Croter, Davis, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 731—An act to provide for the establishment of setback lines by any county, city or city and county along any present or proposed street or highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 731 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Little—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article I thereof, relating to jurisdiction of and divisions of supreme and appellate courts.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy. Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones. Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding. Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 12.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by repealing the first numbered section 11 of article VI, proposed by the forty-fifth session of the Legislature as Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2 and approved and ratified by the people at the general election held November 4, 1924, by amending sections 3, 4, 5 and 13 of said article and by adding to said article new sections to be numbered 4*a*, 4*b*, 4*c* and 11*a*, relating to courts of record and inferior courts.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-seventh session, commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California the following amendments to the constitution of the State of California:

First—Section 11 of article VI proposed by the forty-fifth session of the Legislature as Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2 and approved and ratified by the people at the general election held November 11, 1924, is hereby repealed.

Second—Section 3 of article VI is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The chief justice and the associate justices shall be elected by the qualified electors of the State at large at the general elections, at the time and places at which State officers are elected, except as provided by section 2¾ of article II of this constitution, and the term of office shall be twelve years from and after the first day of January next succeeding their election. If a vacancy occur in the office of a justice, the Governor shall appoint a person to hold the office until the election and qualification of a justice to fill the vacancy, which election shall take place at the next succeeding general State or primary election after the first day of April next succeeding the occurrence of such vacancy: the justice then elected shall hold office for the unexpired term: *provided*, that whenever the term of the justice whose place is filled by appointment is fixed by law to expire on the first day of January after the next or such succeeding general election, then the person so appointed to fill the vacancy shall hold office for the remainder of such unexpired term.

Third—Section 4 of article VI of said constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4. The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction on appeal from the superior courts in all cases in equity, except such as arise in municipal or justices' courts; also, in all cases at law which involve the title or possession of real estate, or the legality of any tax, impost, assessment, toll, or municipal fine; also, in all such probate matters as may be provided by law; also, on questions of law alone, in all criminal cases where judgment of death has been rendered; the said court shall also have appellate jurisdiction in all cases, matters and proceedings pending before a District Court of Appeal, which shall be ordered by the Supreme Court to be transferred to itself for hearing and decision, as hereinafter provided. The said court shall also have power to issue writs of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition, and habeas corpus, and all other writs necessary or proper to the complete exercise of its appellate jurisdiction. Each of the justices shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus to any part of the State, upon petition by or on behalf of any person held in actual custody, and may make such writs returnable before himself or the Supreme Court or before any District Court of Appeal, or before any justice thereof, or before any superior court in the State, or before any judge thereof.

Fourth—A new section to be numbered section 4*a* of article VI is hereby added to said constitution to read as follows

Sec. 4*a*. The State is hereby divided into three appellate districts, in each of which there shall be a District Court of Appeal, consisting of such number of divisions having three justices each as the Legislature shall determine; and until so determined otherwise, the courts of appeal for the First and Second Appellate Districts shall each consist of two divisions, and the court of the Third Appellate District shall consist of one division.

The Legislature may from time to time create and establish additional district courts of appeal and divisions thereof and fix the places at which the regular sessions thereof shall be held and may provide for the maintenance and operation thereof. For that purpose the Legislature may redivide the State into appellate districts, subject to the power of the Supreme Court to remove one or more counties from one appellate district to another as in this section provided.

Each of such divisions shall have and exercise all of the powers of the District Court of Appeal.

The District Court of Appeal as existing immediately prior to the approval and ratification of this amendment by the people shall not be affected thereby as to the officers or terms of office of the justices thereof.

Upon the creation of any additional division of the District Court of Appeal the Governor shall appoint three persons to serve as justices thereof until the first day of January after the next general election. The justices of said division elected at such general election shall so classify themselves by lot that one of them shall go out of office at the end of four years, one of them at the end of eight years, and one of them at the end of twelve years, and entry of such classification shall be made in the minutes of said division, signed by the three justices thereof, and a duplicate thereof filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

The justices of the district courts of appeal shall be elected by the qualified electors within their respective districts at the general State elections except as provided in section 2¼ of article II; and the term of office of said justices shall be twelve years from and after the first day of January next succeeding their election.

If any vacancy occur in the office of a justice of the district courts of appeal, the Governor shall appoint a person to hold office until the election and qualification of a justice to fill the vacancy. Such election shall take place at the next succeeding general State or primary election after the first day of April next succeeding the occurrence of such vacancy; the justice then elected shall hold office for the unexpired term; *provided*, that whenever the term of office of the justice whose place is filled by appointment is fixed by law to expire on the first day of January after the next or such succeeding general election, then the person so appointed to fill the vacancy shall hold office for the remainder of such unexpired term.

One of the justices of each of the district courts of appeal and of each division of said courts, shall be the presiding justice thereof, and as such shall be appointed or elected, as the case may be.

In cases wherein the presiding justice is not acting, the other justices shall designate one of their number to perform the duties and exercise the powers of presiding justice.

The presence of two justices shall be necessary for the transaction of any business by such court except such as may be done at chambers, and the concurrence of two justices shall be necessary to pronounce a judgment.

No appeal taken to the Supreme Court or to a District Court of Appeal shall be dismissed for the reason only that the same was not taken to the proper court, but the cause shall be transferred to the proper court upon such terms as to costs or otherwise as may be just, and shall be proceeded with therein as if regularly appealed thereto.

All statutes now in force allowing, providing for or regulating appeals to the Supreme Court shall apply to appeals to the district courts of appeal so far as such statutes are not inconsistent with this article and until the Legislature shall otherwise provide.

The First District shall embrace the following counties: San Francisco, Marin, Contra Costa, Alameda, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Fresno, Santa Cruz, Monterey and San Benito.

The Second District shall embrace the following counties: Tulare, Kings, San Luis Obispo, Kern, Inyo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Orange, Riverside, San Diego and Imperial.

The Third District shall embrace the following counties: Del Norte, Siskiyou, Modoc, Humboldt, Trinity, Shasta, Lassen, Tehama, Plumas, Mendocino, Lake, Colusa, Glenn, Butte, Sierra, Sutter, Yuba, Nevada, Sonoma, Napa, Yolo, Placer, Solano, Sacramento, El Dorado, San Joaquin, Amador, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Mariposa, Madera, Merced, Tuolumne, Alpine and Mono.

The Supreme Court, by orders entered in its minutes, may from time to time remove one or more counties from one appellate district to another, but no county not contiguous to another county of a district shall be added to such district.

Said district courts of appeal shall hold their regular sessions respectively at San Francisco, Los Angeles and Sacramento, and they shall always be open for the transaction of business.

Fifth—A new section to be numbered section 4*b* of article VI is hereby added to said constitution to read as follows:

Sec. 4*b*. The district courts of appeal shall have appellate jurisdiction on appeal from the superior courts (except in cases in which appellate jurisdiction is given to the Supreme Court) in all cases at law in which the superior courts are given original jurisdiction; also, in all cases of forcible or unlawful entry or detainer (except such as arise in municipal, or in justices' or other inferior courts); in proceedings

in insolvency; in actions to prevent or abate a nuisance; in proceedings of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition, usurpation of office, removal from office, contesting elections, eminent domain, and in such other special proceedings as may be provided by law; also, on questions of law alone, in all criminal cases prosecuted by indictment or information, except where judgment of death has been rendered.

The said courts shall also have appellate jurisdiction in all cases, matters, and proceedings pending before the Supreme Court which shall be ordered by the Supreme Court to be transferred to a District Court of Appeal for hearing and decision. The said courts shall also have power to issue writs of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition and habeas corpus, and all other writs necessary or proper to the complete exercise of their appellate jurisdiction. Each of the justices thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus to any part of his appellate district upon petition by or on behalf of any person held in actual custody, and may make such writs returnable before himself or the District Court of Appeal of his district, or before any superior court within his district, or before any judge thereof.

Sixth—A new section to be numbered section 4*c* of article VI is hereby added to said constitution to read as follows:

The Supreme Court shall have power to order any cause pending before the Supreme Court to be heard and determined by a District Court of Appeal, and to order any cause pending before a District Court of Appeal to be heard and determined by the Supreme Court. The order last mentioned may be made before judgment has been pronounced by a District Court of Appeal, or within fifteen days in criminal cases, or thirty days in all other cases, after such judgment shall have become final therein. The judgment of the district courts of appeal shall become final therein upon the expiration of fifteen days in criminal cases, or thirty days in all other cases, after the same shall have been pronounced.

The Supreme Court shall have power to order causes pending before a District Court of Appeal for one district to be transferred to the District Court of Appeal for another district, or from one division thereof to another, for hearing and decision.

Section 5 of article VI of said constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. The superior courts shall have original jurisdiction in all civil cases and proceedings (except as in this article otherwise provided, and except, also, cases and proceedings in which jurisdiction is or shall be given by law to municipal or to justices or other inferior courts); in all criminal cases amounting to felony, and cases of misdemeanor not otherwise provided for, and of all such special cases and proceedings as are not otherwise provided for; and said courts shall have the power of naturalization and to issue papers therefor.

The superior courts shall have appellate jurisdiction in such cases arising in municipal and in justices' and other inferior courts in their respective counties or cities and counties as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature may, in addition to any other appellate jurisdiction of the superior courts, also provide for the establishment of appellate departments of the superior court in any county or city and county wherein any municipal court is established, and for the constitution, regulation, jurisdiction, government and procedure of such appellate departments. Superior courts, municipal courts and justices' courts in cities having a population of more than forty thousand inhabitants shall always be open, legal holidays and nonjudicial days excepted. The process of superior courts shall extend to all parts of the State; *provided*, that all actions for the recovery of the possession of, quieting the title to, or for the enforcement of liens upon real estate, shall be commenced in the county in which the real estate, or any part thereof, affected by such action or actions, is situated. Said superior courts, and their judges shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition, quo warranto, and habeas corpus on petition by or on behalf of any person in actual custody, in their respective counties. Injunctions and writs of prohibition may be issued and served on legal holidays and nonjudicial days. The process of any municipal court shall extend to all parts of the county or city and county in which the city is situated where such court is established, and to such other parts of the State as may be provided by law, and such process may be executed or enforced in such manner as the Legislature shall provide.

Upon stipulation of the parties litigant or their attorneys of record a cause in the superior court or in a municipal court may be tried by a judge pro tempore who must be a member of the bar sworn to try the cause, and who shall be empowered to act in such capacity in the cause tried before him until the final determination thereof. The selection of such judge pro tempore shall be subject to the approval and order of the court in which said cause is pending and shall also be subject to such regulations and orders as may be prescribed by the Judicial Council.

Seventh—A new section to be numbered 11*a* of article VI is hereby added to said constitution to read as follows:

Sec. 11*a*. The Legislature shall determine, according to population, the number and jurisdiction of each of the inferior courts in incorporated cities or towns wherein there is no municipal court, and in townships, counties or cities and counties, and the number of judges or justices thereof and their qualifications and compensation, and shall fix by law the powers, duties and responsibilities of each of such courts and of the judges or justices thereof; and may provide that the jurisdiction of such courts shall be exclusive.

Eighth—Section 13 of article VI is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 13. Notwithstanding any provision contained in this article, the Legislature may fix by law the jurisdiction of municipal courts and inferior courts in cities having municipal courts which may be established in pursuance of this article, and may fix by law the powers, duties, qualifications and responsibilities of judges thereof.

Any action heretofore taken by the Legislature in fixing exclusive jurisdiction of municipal courts in cases at law is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Senate Bill No. 25—An act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled "An act declaring property infested with certain rodents to be a public nuisance; requiring owners, occupants and persons having possession of or dominion over such property to endeavor to exterminate and destroy such rodents; providing for the inspection of property by boards of health and health officers; authorizing boards of supervisors and other governing bodies to purchase materials and employ inspectors to prosecute such work of extermination; authorizing State and local health authorities to prosecute such work in certain cases; providing for the payment of the expense thereof; making the amount of such expense a lien on the property; providing for the collection of such amount by foreclosure of such lien and declaring any violation of the provisions thereof to be a misdemeanor," approved March 13, 1909, relating to the extermination of certain rodents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 25 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Duval, Eddy Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 343—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 343 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1663 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the partial distribution of estates of deceased persons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 700 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204*e* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 688 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 1691 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the assignment for distribution of estates to nonresident persons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 705 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Clowdsley—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 1522 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sales of personal property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 866 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Bryne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy,

Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section, to be numbered 4, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State highway system of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, four o'clock and forty minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jesperson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add two new sections to be numbered 24 and 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a

system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the street improvements—and appointed Senators Lyon, Evans and Boggs, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Rochester, Little and Byrne as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 157.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add two new sections to be numbered 2½ and 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the street improvements—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Lyon, Evans and Boggs, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed

ROCHESTER,
LITTLE,
BYRNE,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Woolwine, Sewell and Carter as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 157.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. West moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 800 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Rochester, and Walters—2.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED.

Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 364*d* of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

Bill read third time previously.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 800 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Rochester, and Walters—2.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Hornblower.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bishop, Carter, Deuel, Easley, Fisher, Kelsey, Mixter, Scudder, Snyder, West, Wherrell, and Witter—15.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 18 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 18.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 6, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State highway system of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said state be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 6, reading as follows

Sec. 6. Immediately upon the adoption of this section the State Treasurer shall prepare 10,000 suitable bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, to be numbered from 1 to 10,000, inclusive, to bear such date and provide for such interest as may be determined by the Highway Finance Board which is created by section 3 of this article. Said interest shall be fixed by said board according to the then prevailing market conditions, but shall at no time exceed 6 per cent per annum, and the determination of said board as to the rate of interest shall be conclusive as to the then prevailing market conditions, and said interest shall be payable on the third day of January and the third day of July of each and every year after the sale of said bonds, and said bonds shall become due and payable in annual parcels of $1,000 bonds, commencing July 3, 1934, and ending July 3, 1959.

There is hereby created in and for the State treasury, a fund to be known and designated as the "State railroad grade separations fund," and immediately after the sale of bonds the Treasurer of the State shall pay into the State treasury and cause to be placed in said fund the total amount received for said bonds, except such amount as may have been paid as accrued interest thereon. The amount that shall have been paid at such sale as accrued interest on the bonds shall be, by the Treasurer of the State immediately after such sale, paid into the treasury of the State and placed in the "State railroad grade separations interest and sinking fund" which is hereby created.

Moneys shall be drawn from said State railroad grade separations fund for the purposes herein designated upon warrants duly drawn by the Controller of the State upon demands made by the California Highway Commission and allowed and audited by the State Board of Control; *provided, however*, that out of the proceeds of the first sale of bonds made hereunder the State Controller and the State Treasurer shall transfer upon their respective books the sum of $100,000 to the credit of the "State railroad grade separations revolving fund" which fund is hereby created in the State treasury.

The moneys in said State railroad grade separations revolving fund or such part thereof as the California Highway Commission shall deem necessary, may be expended from time to time upon the demands of the California Highway Commission, approved by the State Board of Control, for the purpose of making cash payments in advance for such expenditures as are necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of this section. Upon receipt of such demands, so approved, it shall be the duty of the State Controller to draw his warrant upon said State railroad grade separations revolving fund in favor of the person, firm, corporation or association therein named, and the State Treasurer shall pay the same. On or before the tenth day of each month thereafter, the California Highway Commission shall submit to the State Board of Control a verified, itemized statement, showing all expenditures during the preceding calendar month of the money so drawn from said State railroad separations revolving fund, accompanied by proper vouchers and receipts therefor. Said statements shall be audited by the State Board of Control in the same manner that claims against the State are audited, and if found to be correct shall be approved by the State Board of Control and transmitted to the State Controller with such approval endorsed hereon. The State Controller shall thereupon draw his warrant upon the State railroad grade separations fund in favor of the California Highway Commission for the aggregate amount of such expenditures, and upon the surrender of such warrant, properly endorsed, the State Treasurer shall transfer the amount thereof upon the books of his office from the said State railroad grade separations fund to the said State railroad grade separations revolving fund to be expended as aforesaid.

There is hereby appropriated from the general fund of the State treasury, such sum annually as will be necessary to pay the principal of and the interest on the bonds issued and sold pursuant to the provisions of this section, as said principal and interest becomes due and payable.

There shall be collected annually in the same manner and at the same time as other state revenue is collected such a sum, in addition to the ordinary revenues of the State as shall be required to pay the principal and interest on said bonds as herein provided, and it is hereby made the duty of all officers charged by law with any duty in regard to the collection of said revenue, to do and perform each and every act which shall be necessary to collect such additional sum.

The Treasurer of the State shall on the first day of January, 1929, and on the first day of each July and the first day of each January thereafter transfer from the general fund of the State treasury to the State railroad grade separations sinking fund such an amount of the moneys by this section appropriated as shall be required to pay the interest on the bonds sold hereunder, until the interest on all the said bonds so sold shall have been paid or shall become due in accordance with the provisions of this section.

There is hereby created in the State treasury a fund to be known and designated as the "State railroad grade separations sinking fund." The Treasurer of the State shall on the third day of July, 1934, and on the third day of July of each and every year thereafter, in which a partial of the bonds sold pursuant to the provisions of this section shall become due, transfer from the general fund of the State treasury to the State railroad separations sinking fund such an amount of moneys appropriated hereunder as may be required to pay the principal of the bonds so becoming due and payable in such years.

The principal of all of said bonds sold shall be paid at the time the same becomes due from the State railroad grade separations sinking fund and the interest on all bonds sold shall be paid at the time said interest becomes due from the State railroad grade separations interest and sinking fund. Both principal and interest shall be so paid upon warrants duly drawn by the Controller of the State upon demands audited by the State Board of Control and the faith of the State of California is hereby pledged for the payment of the principal of said bonds so sold and the interest accruing thereon.

For the purposes of this section, a railroad grade separation is defined to be any crossing and the approaches leading thereto and therefrom between a State highway and the tracks of any commercial interurban or other railway by whatsoever power operated.

The moneys in said State railroad grade separation fund shall be used by the California Highway Commission to pay that portion of the cost of the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations and the acquisition, construction and improvement of railroad grade separations upon State highways within the State highway system of the State of California as may be assigned to the State by order of and as apportioned by the State Railroad Commission.

When requested by the Highway Finance Board the State Treasurer shall prepare such number of bonds so dated and bearing such interest rate thereon, all as so determined by said board. The said bonds and the interest thereon shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of value either at the office of the Treasurer of said State or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency for the State of California, in the city of New York, in the state of New York. The interest accruing on any of said bonds that may be sold shall be payable as herein provided on the third day of January and the third day of July of each and every year after the sale of any of the said bonds. Said bonds shall mature at the times herein specified and the principal of said bonds shall be payable at either of the above designated places at such times. All bonds remaining unsold shall at the date of the maturity thereof be, by the Treasurer of the State, canceled and destroyed. All bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this act shall be signed by the Governor of this State, countersigned by the State Controller and endorsed by the State Treasurer, and the said bonds shall be so signed, countersigned and endorsed by the officers who are in office on the date of the issuance of any parcel of bonds hereunder and each of said bonds shall have the great seal of the State of California impressed thereon. The said bonds signed, countersigned, endorsed and sealed as herein provided, when sold, shall constitute a valid and binding obligation upon the State of California, though the sale thereof be made at the date or dates after the person so signing, countersigning and endorsing, or either of them, shall have ceased to be the incumbents of said office or offices.

Appended to each of said bonds there shall be interest coupons so attached that the same may be detached without injury to or mutilation of said bond. The said coupons shall be consecutively numbered and shall bear the lithographed signature of the State Treasurer who shall be in office on the third day of July, 1929. No interest shall be paid on any of said bonds for such time as may intervene between the date of said bond and the date of sale thereof, unless such accrued interest shall have been by the purchaser of said bond, paid to the State at the time of such sale.

There is hereby appropriated from the general fund of the State treasury such sum annually as will be necessary to defray all expenses that shall be incurred by the State Treasurer in the preparation of said bonds and in the advertising of the sale thereof, as in this section provided. When the bonds authorized by this section to be issued shall have been signed, countersigned, endorsed and sealed as provided herein the State Treasurer shall sell the same in such parcels and numbers not inconsistent with the provisions hereof, as the Governor of the State shall direct to the highest bidder for cash. The Governor of the State shall issue to the State Treasurer such direction immediately after being requested so to do by the California Highway Commission. Such request shall specify the amount of money which in the judgment of said commission shall be required at such time and the Governor of the State shall direct the State Treasurer to sell such number of said bonds as may be required to raise said amount of money and that said bonds shall be sold in consecutive numerical order. The State Treasurer shall not accept any bid which is less than the par value of the bond plus the interest which has accrued thereon between the date of sale and the last preceding interest maturity date. The State Treasurer may at the time and place fixed by him for said sale continue such sale as to the whole or any part of the bonds offered to such time and place as he may at the time of such continuance designate. Before offering any of said bonds for sale, the said Treasurer shall detach therefrom all coupons which have matured or will mature before the date fixed for such sale. The State Treasurer shall give notice of the time and place of sale by publication in two newspapers published in the city and county of San Francisco and in one newspaper published in the city of Oakland, and in one newspaper published in the city of Los Angeles and in one newspaper published in the city of Sacramento once a week for four weeks next preceding the date fixed for such sale. In addition to the notice last above provided for, the State Treasurer may give such further notice as he may deem advisable, but the expenses and cost of such additional notice shall not exceed the sum of $500 for each sale so advertised.

In the event that any bonds prepared as herein provided can not, in the judgment of said State Highway Finance board be sold at the time fixed for the sale thereof, or thereafter, said board may withdraw said bonds from sale and direct the State Treasurer to cancel and destroy the same, and may at said time or thereafter, at its option, direct the preparation and sale, as hereinbefore provided, of the same or a different number of bonds but not to exceed in all the amount herein authorized and at the same or a different rate of interest, but not to exceed 6 per cent per annum.

All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action; and all expenses that shall be incurred by the State Treasurer in the preparation of bonds herein provided for and in the advertising and sale thereof, and all expenses incurred by any officer in reference thereto shall be paid from the general fund of the State. Nothing in this constitution contained, except as in this section provided, shall be a limitation upon the provisions of this section,

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Feigenbaum waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 641 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 641 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Walters moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 48 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 48 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Senate Bill No. 48 ordered on file for passage.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Williamson moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 670 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Mixter moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No 33 was passed be reconsidered

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 33 was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Senate Bill No 33 ordered on file for passage.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, Statutes of 1927.

REQUEST TO TAKE UP BILL.

Mr. Mixter moved that the Assembly grant permission to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 at this time.

The question being: Will the Assembly grant permission to take up for consideration Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 under provision of Assembly Rule 43?

The roll was called, and permission to consider Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 was granted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 ordered on file for adoption

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code, and to add new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*i*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Patterson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the last line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period and substitute in lieu thereof the following: ", and the management of the state insurance fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "industrial accident commission", and substitute in lieu thereof the words "department of finance".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Patterson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 778, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

PATTERSON, Select Committee.

The question being on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Lyons, Little and Patterson, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Sewell moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Sewell, Davis and Little, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Noyes, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, and Walters—31.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—36.

The question being on the adoption of the report of the Select Committee of One and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendments refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, and Walters—29.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—39.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT.

Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code, and to add new sections to said act, to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*i*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 788 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielson, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Little, Sewell, Walters, and Woolwine—5

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
April 27, 1927.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 598 is herewith returned without my approval.

It is proposed in this bill to add a new section to the Penal Code to be known as section 383*a*, apparently designed to prevent fraud in the sale of certain meat and

meat preparations. It provides, among other things, that anyone who "sells or exposes for sale in a restaurant, or other place, both kosher and non-kosher food or food preparations for consumption on the premises, not prepared in accordance with the Jewish ritual, or not sanctioned by the Hebrew orthodox religious requirements, and who fails to display on his window signs in all display advertising, in block letters at least four inches in height, 'Kosher and non-kosher food served here,' is guilty of a misdemeanor," and is subject to fine or imprisonment or both.

While I have the greatest respect for the motives which impelled the introduction of this bill, I cannot help feeling that its enactment into law would do violence to certain fundamental principles which underlie our constitution and government. In our State there is assured to every individual complete religious liberty. The constitution in express terms guarantees "the free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship, without discrimination or preference." I cannot, however, recall any law designed to aid the observances or ordinances of one particular religious faith as distinguished from all others, and I feel certain that to make such a law would be to create an unwise precedent.

In this view I find myself in accord with many of the co-religionists of those who have asked for this legislation. For instance, although I have received two very excellent letters from Jewish rabbis who favor this measure, I have also received letters from four other Jewish rabbis who do not favor it. A quotation or two from these letters will show the broad principle of their objections.

One of these rabbis writes as follows: "Assembly Bill No. 598 would create a new State law for one religious group, and through this special legislation would place within the sphere of State jurisdiction the whole matter of Jewish dietary law and custom. Such procedure seems unwise in policy and contrary to the American principle of complete separation of church and state. I see no circumstances which warrant this special legislation, and believe that legislation of this character, designed for a particular religious group, is not in accord with the best American principles."

Another rabbi from another city writes: "I fear that were the law applied, the civil courts would be the scene of controversies over what appears to me to be purely sectarian and ecclesiastical matters. On general principles I am opposed to any measures which would involve the State in the religious affairs of any one or more groups . . . . I believe that even laws which may have some merit are better sacrificed in order to maintain strict adherence to the principle of the separation of church and state."

These and similar letters have convinced me that, however excellent the motives or sincere the purpose of the adherents of this measure, it has no proper place in California law. The one idea which could justify it as a State law is, of course, the prevention of fraud—a fraud consisting in the selling, or offering for sale, of one kind of meat or meat preparation, under the pretense that it is a different kind.

Fortunately the subject matter of such legislation is already covered by provisions in the Penal Code which deal generally with the fraudulent sale of food. I would particularly call attention to paragraph (*b*) of section 383 of the code, which expressly prohibits the sale of any article of food, "if it is an imitation of, or sold under the name of, another article." I believe that this would cover the fraud complained of, without the necessity of a special law to meet the needs of a particular religious faith.

Incidentally, I might also mention that although this bill seeks to add a new Penal Code section to be known as section 383*a*, there already exists another law on another subject which bears this same section number of 383*a*. To enact another section 383*a* in the same code would be only to invite confusion. For the reasons specified above I feel compelled to withhold approval of this bill.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. YOUNG, Governor.

RPEPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolutions by Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of $100; said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office;

Also: *Resolved*, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of

$423.46 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

State Purchasing Department	$326 95
Department of Finance	19 73
Cascade Towel Supply	44 28
Cascade Towel Supply	15 00
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company	17 50
	$423 46

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

MELVILLE, Chairman.
EDDY.
FRY.
NIELSEN.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolutions by Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $6.20 in favor of William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	$2 45
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	3 00
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, cab hire	75
	$6 20

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $95.85 in favor of William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amount as below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Hart's Lunch, Incorporated	$95 85

Also:

WHEREAS, The members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence, their bill-files, books of codes, stationery and other printed matter at the close of this session; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms, William J. McQuillan, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other materials as are necessary for the purpose of shipping same, properly packed, to said members; and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in favor of said William J. McQuillan, in a sum not to exceed nine hundred dollars ($900), and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same; and it is further directed that said William J. McQuillan furnish to the Controller vouchers and receipts for all expenditures made by him,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

MELVILLE, Chairman.
EDDY.
FRY.
NIELSEN.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolutions.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolutions.

The roll was called, and the report and resolutions adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

ON ATTACHES.

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches respectfully reports and recommends as follows, to wit

Resolved, That the following named person be stricken from the roll, dating from and including April 27, 1927, to wit:

Beatrice Mark Stearn, Judiciary Clerk at $6.00 per day; and

WHEREAS, After adjournment the services of the officers, attaches and employees of the Assembly will not be required with the exceptions hereinafter noted; and

WHEREAS, The Journals must be corrected and properly indexed, the final calendar of legislative business arranged and published, and a great number of bills be printed, and other details pertaining to this session of the Legislature taken care of, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to complete, compare, and have printed after final adjournment, one thousand (1,000) copies of the final calendar of the legislative business of the forty-seventh session (or such number as may be necessary to fill the demand), and any other information that will create a permanent and complete guide and history of the session's business.

When the Governor shall have completed the consideration of all measures presented to him and the final calendar is prepared, the Chief Clerk is hereby directed to mail or express two (2) copies of the final calendar to each member of the Assembly.

The Chief Clerk is further authorized and directed to mail or express to each member a copy of the completed Journal and to have printed one thousand (1,000) copies of each bill, resolution or constitutional amendment which has passed both houses and been signed by the Governor, and to mail or express two sets of said chaptered laws to each member of the Assembly

For the purpose of carrying out the object of this resolution, be it further

Resolved, That the name of each of the officers, attaches, and employees heretofore employed by this forty-seventh session of the Legislature for the position and at the per diem provided by law be and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Saturday, April 30, 1927, save and except the following:

Arthur A. Ohnimus, not to exceed 70 days at $10.00 per day	$700 00
Madge Cross, not to exceed 70 days at $6.00 per day	420 00
C. Wm. Booth, not to exceed 3 days at $9.00 per day	27 00
Ed. C. Lynch, not to exceed 14 days at $7.00 per day	98 00
Louis Erb, not to exceed 3 days at $9.00 per day	27 00
Chas. Erb, not to exceed 1 day at $7.00 per day	7 00
Thos. Robinson, not to exceed 1 day at $7.00 per day	7 00
Ethel McCarthy, not to exceed 3 days at $7.00 per day	21 00
R. C. Hageman, not to exceed 3 days at $7.00 per day	21 00
W. J. Gunlock, not to exceed 3 days at $5.00 per day	15 00
Lydia C. Williams, not to exceed 3 days at $7.00 per day	21 00
Myrtle Dwyer, not to exceed 3 days at $5.00 per day	15 00
Total	$1,379 00

And the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants weekly upon the fund for the payment of the foregoing officers and employees of the Assembly, upon the authorization of Arthur A. Ohnimus Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed one thousand three hundred seventy-nine dollars, and the said Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

REINDOLLAR, Chairman.

Mr. Reindollar moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Clowdsley, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes,

Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following joint resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. McPherson, Mixter and Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects.

Referred to Committee on Conservation.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Thursday, April 14, 1927, Friday, April 15, 1927, Monday, April 18, 1927, Tuesday, April 19, 1927, Wednesday, April 20, 1927, and Thursday, April 21, 1927, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. McPherson:

Resolved, That the State Printer be and he is hereby directed to print five hundred additional copies of the corrected Assembly Journal of April 21, 1927.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226 and 227 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 224*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jones moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the amended printed bill, after the word "add", strike out the word "two", and insert in lieu thereof the word "a", and strike out the word "sections", and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: ", and two hundred twenty-six *m*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 10, of the amended printed bill, after the word "when", strike out the word "deciding", and insert the word "reciting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of lines 24 to 52, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "immediately notify the state department of public welfare at Sacramento in writing of the pendency of the action. In all cases in which consent is required, unless a society licensed by the state department of public welfare to find homes for children and place children in homes for adoption join in the petition for adoption, a copy of the consent for adoption on a form to be prescribed by the state department of public welfare must be signed in the presence of and filed with the clerk of a superior court. The clerk shall immediately file a certified copy of such consent to adoption with the state department of public welfare.

In all cases of adoption in which no agency licensed to place children for adoption is a party it shall be the duty of the department of public welfare to verify the allegations of the petition and to ascertain whether the child is a proper subject for adoption and to determine whether the proposed foster home is a suitable home for the child and shall submit to the court a full report of the facts disclosed by its inquiry with a recommendation regarding the granting of the petition.

No hearing shall be held or action taken within ninety days after filing of the petition unless the department of public welfare shall have submitted a report."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jones as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 573, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JONES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title of the amended printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new section to be numbered seven hundred thirty-six *c* to the Political Code prescribing the payment of salaries of judges of the superior courts.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 3 and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered 736*c* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended printed bill, strike out the figures "737", and insert in lieu thereof "736*c*".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 236, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the amended printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, following the words "respectively numbered" in the 24th line, insert the following: "seven hundred thirty-seven.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8, line 16, of the amended printed bill, following the word "sections", insert the following "737,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8, line 17, of the amended printed bill, strike out "DCCCLXXVII", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "877".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8, line 18, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following "DCCCLXIV", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "864".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 8, line 19, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following "DCCCLI", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "851".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 8 line 21, of the amended printed bill, strike out "CDL", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "450".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 8, line 22, of the amended printed bill, strike out "CDLV", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "455".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 103, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*cc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 5 to 8, inclusive, of the amended printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Trinity is four thousand dollars."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 105, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose, and declaring this act to be an emergency measure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. West moved that Senate Bill No. 883 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 883 to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 443—An act to amend sections 5 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 893—An act granting an easement for a pier at Pacific Beach, San Diego County, to the Crystal Pier Amusement Company, a corporation.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 724—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1751*a*, relating to attendance at high school.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, after the word "examination", strike out the words "or treatment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall", and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 885—An act providing for the investigation by the California Highway Commission of the operation of toll bridges in California and any matters connected therewith, and for the submission of a report thereon to the forty-eighth session of the Legislature embodying recommendations with reference to the taking over of any existing bridge or bridges by the State with a plan for financing acquisition of same and the amortization of the costs by tolls or the construction of toll bridges and any other pertinent matters relating to the same problem.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 701—An act to amend Political Code, by adding thereto a section to be known as section 633*aa*, relating to license to act as life insurance broker.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, in the last line of title of the printed bill, after the word "life", insert the words "accident or health", and strike out the word "broker", and in lieu thereof insert the word "agent".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "as", insert the words "a *life, health or accident*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 18 and 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words ", but he may act as a life insurance broker.", and insert the following: "without obtaining a license hereunder".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "issued", and in lieu thereof insert the word "issue".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "life", insert the words "or health".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1927, after the word and period "misdemeanor", begin a new paragraph to read as follows:

Nothing in this section shall be construed to apply to mutual benefit and life insurance associations organized and operating under sections 452*a* and 453 of the Civil Code, their solicitors or agents.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 259—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group life insurance.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 629*a* of the Political Code, relating to group life insurance and valuation thereof.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 605 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, in line 14, strike out the word "fifteen", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 510—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, pleasure piers, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way and easements of the public, including any right of way of which immediate possession and use has been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within

two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 823—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*i*, providing for the supervision of ports by the Department of Public Works.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 5, 1927, strike out the word "ports", and insert in lieu thereof the word "port".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notice of administration proceedings and demand thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 708—An act to repeal that certain act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 691—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 410, relating to foreign corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 889—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to certain narcotic drugs.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 740—An act to amend an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 5*a*, 9*a*, 28*a*, 33*b*, 33*c*, 36*a*, and 372, relating to rate of interest on bonds, the construction of improvements in portions, the issuance of immediate possession bonds, the entering of stipulated judgments in condemnation suits and hearings thereon, the issuance of bonds for acquisitions and improvements, and the entering of more than one final judgment in a condemnation action.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "five *a*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "nine *a*, twenty-eight *a*," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty-eight and three-quarters, thirty-three *a*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out all of line 6 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following "six and three-quarters, and thirty-seven *a*, relating to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

Strike out all of line 7 of the title of the printed bill, as amended.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "tions,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 18, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 38, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 39 to 41, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 1. That act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the 'Acquisition and improvement act of 1925,' approved May 23, 1925, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 28¾, and to read as follows:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures and letter "28*a*", occurring after the word "Sec." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "28¾".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "damage", add the following new matter: "and damages".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill as amended, insert a comma after the word "affected".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended, insert the word "thereto" after the word "party".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "stipulation", insert the following new matter: "and for the entry of an interlocutory judgment in accordance therewith".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "time", and insert in lieu thereof the word "date".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "except the plaintiff".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the first word in said line, said word being "such", and insert in lieu thereof the word "all".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the period following the word "stipulation", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "; *provided, however*, that such notice given by the clerk of the court shall recite the names of the parties to whom payments are proposed to be made for interests in the land sought to be condemned, together with the amount of money so proposed to be paid to each of such parties, and a reference to the parcel of land for which such payment is proposed to be made, as said parcel is designated in the complaint."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out "After hearing such", and insert in lieu thereof the following:

At or after the time of said hearing, if no objections are filed to the entry of such interlocutory judgment, the court may, without taking any evidence, enter an interlocutory judgment in accordance with such stipulation, adjudging that upon payment in accordance therewith, the property therein mentioned shall be condemned to the use of the plaintiff and dedicated to the use specified in the complaint.

If objections are filed against the entry of such interlocutory judgment, the court may similarly, after hearing such objections and any testimony above referred to, enter an interlocutory judgment if the court finds that the amounts stipulated as the value of the property taken and the damages to property not actually taken but injuriously affected constitute just compensation.

Whether objections are filed to the entry of such interlocutory judgment or whether no such objections are filed, no findings of fact or conclusions of law need be prepared or filed, but in the event that the court finds that the amounts set forth in such stipulation constitute more or less than just compensation, no interlocutory judgments shall be entered and the action shall proceed as to the parcel of land as to which such stipulation is made, in accordance with the provisions of section 29 of this act; *provided, however*, that if the amounts set forth in such stipulation are, in the opinion of the court, in excess of just compensation, the court may find what amounts constitute just compensation and enter an interlocutory judgment therefor, if the parties to such stipulation all consent thereto in open court or in writing

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all of lines 44 to 52, inclusive. within ten days after such finding.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all of lines 1 to 11, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "any" preceding the word "reason", and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 4, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figure "5", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

Strike out all of line 43, on page 4, of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "defendant may waive a trial by a court or jury and permit the matter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 5, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended, insert a comma after the word "for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 5, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended, insert the word "no" before the word "exceptions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 23 and 24, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "acquisition may proceed prior to the final determination of compensation and damages with respect to those parcels as to which exceptions have been filed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "tions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 5, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figure "6", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figure "7", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5", and capitalize the letter "s" in the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures and letter "36*a*", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "36¾".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out all of lines 38 and 39, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 36¾. Upon the entry of any interlocutory judg-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 5, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended, insert the following after "ment": "or judgments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the words "a single".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE

On page 5, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "the" following the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 5, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the period following the word "judgment", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or judgments."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 5, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the comma following the word "judgment", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or judgments,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended, insert the words "or judgments" after the word "judgment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the period following the word "judgment" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or judgments."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

Strike out line 15 on page 6 of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "interlocutory judgment or judgments, except the interlocutory judgment or judgments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections", and insert the following new matter after the figure "36": "and 36½".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO

On page 6, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections", and insert the following new matter after the figure "36": "and 36½".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 6, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "conform with", and insert in lieu thereof the words "carry out".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 7, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "which", and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 7, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "reduces", and insert in lieu thereof the word "reduce".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

Strike out all of lines 35 to 52, inclusive, on page 6 of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following

In the event that acquisition bonds or immediate possession bonds are issued at more than one time, as permitted under this section, then each series shall be designated in a convenient manner, following the provisions of section 39 hereof, as, for example Series A-one, A-two, and similarly in sequence in the order in which bonds are ordered issued.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

Strike out all of lines 1 to 18, inclusive, on page 8 of the printed bill, as amended.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figure "8", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 8 of the printed bill, as amended, add the following new matter after line 33

It is hereby expressly provided that the procedure provided by sections 33*a*, 33*b*, 33*c*, 36*a* and 37*a*, taken in conjunction with other provisions of this act not inconsistent therewith, constitutes an alternative and supplementary procedure authorizing the entry of separate interlocutory judgments by stipulation with respect to the various parcels of land sought to be acquired, and authorizing the issuance of bonds at different times to pay for the acquisition of the various parcels under such separate interlocutory judgments, but such alternative and supplementary procedure shall be, and is hereby authorized only in those cases where that which is to be done consists solely of the acquisition of land for the widening of a public way or ways in existence at the date of the initiation of the proceedings for such acquisition, or the acquisition of land for the opening or extension of a public way or ways in cases where such land to be acquired, together with land theretofore in use as a public way or as to which a final judgment has theretofore been entered condemning the same for a public way, will constitute a continuous public way Such procedure is not authorized when that which is to be done includes the construction of any improvement in a public way.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments in criminal cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 362—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals in habeas corpus cases.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 594—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*dd* and to repeal that certain section numbered 737*d* which was added to said Code by chapter DCCCLI of the statutes of 1921, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of San Diego.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 763—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be known as section 738*b*1, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Mendocino County.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended April 19, 1927, strike out the comma following the word "imprisonment", and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended April 19, 1927, strike out the following: "provided that the judge must," and strike out lines 11 to 15, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended April 19, 1927, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended April 19, 1927, strike out the word "ten", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "of a felony", and strike out lines 4, 5, 6 and the words "prison for life; *provided, however*, that", in line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "upon charges separately brought and tried, either in this state or elsewhere, for the crime of robbery, burglary, burglary with explosives, rape with force or violence, arson, murder, assault with intent to commit murder, grand theft, bribery of a public official, perjury, subornation of perjury, train wrecking, feloniously receiving stolen goods, felonious assault with a deadly weapon, or any of them, shall be adjudged an habitual criminal and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for life and shall not be eligible for release on parole until he shall have served a minimum of at least twelve years. Every person convicted in this state of any felony who shall have been previously three times convicted, either in this state or elsewhere, of any felony, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not less than life and shall not be eligible to parole."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "nothing", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Nothing".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 738*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Tulare and Kings.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate on April 21, 1927, strike out the words "five thousand five hundred dollars", and insert in lieu thereof the words "six thousand dollars".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 725—An act to regulate and license the maintenance and operation of commercial hunting clubs and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game protection and restoration.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 780—An act to amend section 122 of the "Bank Act," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to the location of the principal office of the State Banking Department.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a commission to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed measure, strike out the words "one member", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two members".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, lines 13 and 14, of the printed measure, strike out the words "one member", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two members".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed measure, strike out the words "as like", and insert in lieu thereof the words "in the same manner as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 1, line 20, of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed measure, strike out the words "legislative assembly", and insert in lieu thereof the words "session of the Legislature".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed measure, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "committee".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11—Relating to securing the aid of the United States government in establishing a basis for execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed resolution, omit the words "the coordinated", and insert in lieu thereof the words "some comprehensive".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed resolution, omit lines 5, 6 and 7, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "realized that many features of any comprehensive plan for the development of the water resources of California involve".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2 of the printed resolution, omit the word "establish" in line 10 and all of line 11, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "working out some approved and comprehensive plan for".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 read, ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Smith moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 was adopted be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL.

Mr. Bernard asked for and was granted unanimous consent to withdraw Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 37.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 37 withdrawn and ordered stricken from the file.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and fifty-five minutes p m , on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock and thirty minutes a m., Thursday, April 28, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 28, 1927.

At nine o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva,

Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—74.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Hon. Crowell D. Eddy, Assemblyman from the Eightieth Assembly District.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Kelsey, Mr. Badham was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Reindollar, Mr. Leymel was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Mr Hedges was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Keaton, Mr. Williams was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Mr S. Lawrence Heisinger of Selma, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, members of the International Order of the Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, which assembled in union meeting yesterday at Roseville, representing five of the western states—Washington, Oregon, Utah, Arizona and California—Mrs. Hazel Foster and Mrs. Carl Dependener, presidents of their respective lodges of Roseville, and Mrs. Stena Ward, international grand vice president, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mr. Mack J. Koblick of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

BUREAU OF POWER AND LIGHT

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, April 27, 1927.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

It appears from news reports that the legislative Assembly of California through false and misleading representations of a self-constituted committee of Assemblymen has been led to pass resolutions condemning the Bureau of Power and Light

of Los Angeles in connection with Owens Valley conditions The fact is that the Bureau of Power and Light has no connection whatever with the valley water question and reliable records of events will reveal that no department of Los Angeles city has been guilty of ruthless devastation or responsible for unjust and unnecessary acts in the valley. Such records will show that disturbance of the Bishop farming community in Owens Valley has resulted directly from selfish individual and private power company interests responsible for a program of vilification for the purpose of extorting millions of dollars from the city of Los Angeles for lands and other property which the city does not require and which would not be useful in working out the mutual interests of Owens Valley and the city.

Los Angeles' operations in Owens Valley have been constructive and beneficial to the valley. A large portion of the valley previously without electric service was provided such service by the city at rates slightly over one-half the private company rates in Bishop. Los Angeles caused the construction of a standard gauge railroad and worked for improved highway into Owens Valley. The city has built and contributed to roads from the valley into the Sierras, and contributed to a road from Owens to San Joaquin Valley Los Angeles officials fostered legislation enabling cities to pay taxes on property owned in other counties and now pays 43 per cent of Inyo County taxes. Los Angeles worked out with an Owens Valley committee an agreement concerning the storage and use of Owens River water, only to have the agreement destroyed through coercion and misrepresentation of a small selfish group in the valley Failure of such agreement made necessary the purchase of valley lands for which most liberal prices have been paid

Land purchases were made openly and in response to the demands of valley landowners. It has not been shown that business in the valley has suffered as loosely charged, but on the contrary business there is destined to increase and prosper. Los Angeles rather than submit to the urgings of selfish interests that it buy and take water from Mono Basin or water and power from Sespe Creek is seeking a water supply from the Colorado River, and offering to make such water available to dozens of other communities needing water, and at the same unit costs obtainable through the large Los Angeles project

It seems the Assembly's recommendations are inconsistent in that they condemn Los Angeles for taking water from Owens Valley but urge the city to take water from Mono Basin, and certainly the people of Mono County and the Santa Paula district would object to the latter proposal. The action of the Assembly, if allowed to stand, can only aid and abet private interests and do great injustice to the public institutions of the State and to the State itself.

E F. SCATTERGOOD.
Chief Electrical Engineer and General Manager.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 32—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 795 of the Political Code, relating to the protest of a notary as evidence;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County," approved May 18, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No 761—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W A Sloane against the State of California;

Also. Assembly Bill No 768—An act granting to the Regents of the University of California for the use of the University of California in connection with scientific research and investigation at the Scripps Institution of Oceanography the sole and exclusive right of possession, occupation, and use of certain lands bordering on the Pacific Ocean in the county of San Diego, State of California, and State waters adjacent thereto, forbidding entry upon said lands and State waters of any persons other than officers, employees, students of the University of California,

and licensees of the Regents of the University of California, making every violation of certain provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and providing for the punishment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of teachers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 921—An act to amend section 1775 of the Political Code, relating to certification of teachers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend section 3678 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act to reserve a part of San Francisco Bay and lands bordering thereon, for park purposes only;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend section 635 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for bridges across navigable streams, and across estuaries, fords, swamps, or arms of bays that may be outside of the line of navigable waters," approved March 14, 1881, relating to the notification of the State Engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, providing for judgment, fine and imprisonment;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1128—An act to appropriate $5,682 60 to be used for the improvement of the street or streets on and fronting on the property of the State of California, located at the Chico State Teachers College in the city of Chico;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau Fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to the liability of innkeepers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to amend the title of and to add two new sections to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* to an act entitled "An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof," approved May 25, 1925, providing for the erection of a marker on the Victory Highway and by appropriating and allocating a part of said moneys in order to erect said marker;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the shooting of water fowl;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of L. E. Hallowell, as county clerk of the county of Ventura, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to add new sections to article IIc of chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code to be numbered sections 362*g*, 362*h* and 362*i* of said code, creating a Division of Libraries in the Department of Education and providing for the administration thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act relating to the holding of the Tenth Olympiad in California, providing for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California Tenth Olympiad Bonds," providing for and creating a fund for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, authorizing the expenditure of the moneys in said fund for the said purposes, creating a commission to be known as the "California Olympiad Commission," creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $2,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Agriculture;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the construction and furnishing of the administration building at the Santa Barbara State Teachers College;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act to amend section 366 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Institutions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*a* authorizing counties to provide and maintain buildings, halls, meeting places and supply stations for the use of the United States War Department and the Navy Department or either of them;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 25—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also Assembly Bill No 38—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State Employees, providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act authorizing the State Department of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the California Highway Commission certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Siskiyou County,

Also: Assembly Bill No 68—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to amend sections 2322*x*21 and 2322*x*2 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of the county horticulture commissioners, their deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the second and twenty-first classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 865 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to payments of claims and registration of warrants upon nonpayment of such claims;

Also Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding a new section thereto, relating to the expenses of judges of the superior courts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to amend section 1161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the unlawful detainer by tenants of real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1161*a*, relating to persons holding over in case of the sale of real property by virtue of execution, foreclosure of mortgage or under a power of sale contained in a deed of trust.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to amend section 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 20*b*, relating to a reservation of a portion of the waters originating within a county for use within said county of origin and providing for the appropriation and use of such water, declaring all portions of said "Water Commission Act" not inconsistent with this amendment to be applicable thereto, and declaring the provisions of section 46 of said "Water Commission Act" to be applicable to this amendment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to the organization of school districts in incorporated cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to confirm, validate and legalize assessments of property and taxes due thereunder entered and contained in assessment books or rolls from which assessment books or rolls the clerk of the Board of Supervisors and auditor omitted to attach and enter the affidavit or certificate, or both such certificate and affidavit, required by the provisions of sections 3682 and 3732 of the Political Code, and to confirm, validate and legalize all sales, certificates of sale, tax deeds, or other tax conveyances issued under and based upon any such assessments and taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 629 of the Penal Code, relating to the installation and maintenance of fish screens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend section 1650 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the clerks of school districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 688 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executions in civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 752 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing who may bring actions for partition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, in relation to judgments in partition actions and the procedure thereunder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 781 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the action of the court where property is sold in partition suits and there are contingent future rights or estates or life estates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 2322*x*41 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the horticultural commissioner, inspectors and clerks in counties of the forty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend sections 4276 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to appeals by defendants and the granting of certificates of probable cause;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to fees to be collected by the Secretary of State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 3 of the Prepared Milk Act relating to the preparation of certain products for poultry or stock feed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the limit of deer that may be taken, killed, destroyed or possessed in any one open season;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 682—An act to amend sections 2168 and 2171 of the Political Code, relating to insane persons;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend sections 3457, 3465, 3466 and 3480 of the Political Code and section 3480½ thereof, as enacted by chapter 287 of the Statutes of 1923 of the State of California, relating to reclamation districts, and to add a new section, 3468, providing for an annual levy or call of assessment to pay warrants of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*a*, providing for payment of expenses of county treasurers in proceedings to collect assessments to pay principal or interest of bonds of said districts, and to add a new section, 3493*b*, providing for issuance of duplicate bonds and warrants for lost, destroyed, mutilated, and defaced bonds and warrants of said districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 2322*x*12 of the Political Code, relating to expenses, fees and salaries of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, assistants and inspectors and fixing the number thereof, in counties of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 37 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of conservancy districts for certain specified purposes; to provide for the issuance, sale and hypothecation of district bonds to pay the costs and expenses incurred in relation thereto, and to provide for the retirement of such bonds; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes to pay the annual installment of principal and interest on said bonds; to provide for levying and collecting special assessments for special benefits and to issue improvement warrants to represent such special assessments for special benefits; to provide for the effect and enforcement of such improvement warrants and the application of moneys derived from the enforcement thereof; and to provide a method of dissolving such districts," approved May 16, 1919, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1927, at 4 o'clock p.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions, prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 585?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 585 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D P, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Davis, Baum and Oliva as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 585.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 327?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 327 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Snyder, Fisher and Brock as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 327.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 26, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of counties of the fourth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 36.

Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, Statutes of 1927.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the sum of $289.68 be, and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses of and

the cost of the investigation by the committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, Statutes of 1927; said sum to be paid equally from the contingent funds of the Assembly and Senate, the same being for the purpose of meeting a deficiency in the funds heretofore made available for the purpose of defraying said cost and expenses, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 460 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 605 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Baum, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 610—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to hunt, take, pursue or kill wild birds or mammals, and/or to angle for, take, catch or kill game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and twenty-two minutes a m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 742—An act to amend section 548 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property under attachments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 742 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 685—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 685 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 767—An act to amend sections 5 and 6½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys,

courts, places and sidewalks and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 767 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for the creation of a commission for the study of the problem of public education beyond the high school grade in California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 822 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 544 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 4024 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the appointment of deputies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 679 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 1094 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 88 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 394—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 394 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 372—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 372 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes,

Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 858—An act to provide for the formation, powers, duties, government and maintenance of health and sanitary districts in the State; the acquisition, maintenance, improvement and disposal of property thereby; the acquisition, construction, maintenance and disposal of certain public improvements therein; the alteration of boundaries and dissolution of such districts; and the reorganization of existing sanitary districts in the State under the provisions of this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 858 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. THOMAS J. LENEHAN IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. Thomas J. Lenehan, member of the Assembly from the Twenty-fourth Assembly District, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 21 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, and Woolwine—48.
NOES—Burns, Clowdsley, Feigenbaum, Hawes, Heisinger, Jewett, Lenehan, Miller, James A., Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Snyder, Spalding, West, Williamson, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Approving two certain amendments to the charter of the city of San Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2675*a*, relating to records of county road districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of and to add two new sections to be designated sections 2 and 3 to an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across

any railway, canal, ditch or flume, and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies, of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City;

Also Assembly Bill No 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California, declaring the same created, fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 651—An act to amend section 2322a26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof

Also Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tidelands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Also Assembly Bill No 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4264b, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 294—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the lease of tidelands, submerged lands and lands adjacent thereto.

Also: Senate Bill No 336—An act to authorize and empower the Department of Institutions to grant a right of way across and through certain lands at the Pacific Colony, to the city of Pomona for the Pomona-La Verne-Claremont outfall sewer for the purpose of a right of way for sewer pipes And specifying conditions under which they shall be laid and maintained,

Also: Senate Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority;

Also: Senate Bill No. 441—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Park Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the acquisition of lands and other properties in California for State park purposes, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Park Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation, therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also: Senate Bill No. 535—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 369b of the Penal Code, relating to the transportation of live stock on railroads;

Also: Senate Bill No. 96—An act to add fifty-five new sections to be numbered 16x4 consecutively to 16x58 to and to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 126—An act to amend sections 1 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to street improvements;

Also: Senate Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled, 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to boundary lines of fish and game districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 158—An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements; and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements;

Also: Senate Bill No. 173—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 186—An act authorizing and providing for an investigation and report upon the matter of revenue and taxation, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and

changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 233—An act to amend section 1513 of the Penal Code, relating to compelling jurors and witnesses to attend;

Also: Senate Bill No. 296—An act to provide for the apportionment and assessment upon the district or districts benefited of the cost or a portion of the cost of the separation of the crossing of a railroad or street railroad by a street, highway or public way and for the letting of contracts for the said work and for the enforcement and collection of such assessments, and providing for the issuance and effect of bonds therefor, whether said street or highway or the district to be benefited, lies entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or entirely within a municipality, or within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or within two or more municipalities, or where such highway or street forms a portion of the boundary of a municipality; and providing for the payment of a portion of the expenses for such improvement by counties or municipalities at their election;

Also: Senate Bill No. 302—An act to amend the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relating to street improvements, and to provide for the continuance of proceedings and actions for improvements under said act commenced prior to and pending at the time of the taking effect of this act and for the validation of such proceedings;

Also: Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 324—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities and by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 18*d* relating to the withdrawal of territory;

Also: Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 4310, providing a special fund for the sheriff, for the manner of making disbursements thereunder, for the use of the fund, and for the manner of accounting therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 349—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980 to division III, part IV, title XIV, of the Civil Code, relating to conditional sales;

Also: Senate Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge;

Also: Senate Bill No. 383—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089, and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 412—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 413—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Senate Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder;

Also: Senate Bill No. 462—"An act to authorize and regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of trout or other fish, by persons engaged in the business of propagating and rearing such fish, and by persons who transport such fish, and by persons who purchase fish so reared," approved March 17, 1911, as amended, relating to domestically raised fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 2322*x*24 of the Political Code, relating to the office of the horticultural commissioners in counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 478—An act to amend section 1349 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of executors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 102 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to headlights;

Also: Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 2322x8 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county horticultural commissioners, deputies, clerks and inspectors in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 522—An act providing for the maintenance and operation in whole or in part of any street lighting system or systems within municipalities; providing for the letting of contracts therefor; providing for the formation of lighting maintenance districts in such municipalities to pay all or any part of the expenses of such maintenance and operation; providing for the levying of special assessment taxes on lands within such districts; and providing for municipalities paying any part of such expenses and making advances to the district fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended by adding two new sections thereto, to be numbered 2¼ and 50¼, relating to certification of warehousemen;

Also: Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No 527—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office, fixing the salaries of such assistant and of the chief deputy and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent;

Also: Senate Bill No. 542—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of and to add two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the board of parole commissioners;

Also: Senate Bill No. 566—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 595—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443, and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to fish and game districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 645—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to the method of recordation of maps, providing additional conditions on which maps may be recorded, and providing civil and criminal liabilities for the violation thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 655—An act to amend sections 15 and 17 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the purchase of materials and supplies and providing for cooperation of said flood control district with public and private corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 703—An act to amend section 453*bb* of the Civil Code, and to add a new section thereto, to be numbered 453*gg*½, relating to mortgage insurance;

Also: Senate Bill No 713—An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to exemptions, refunds, appropriations for carrying out the provisions of said act, examination of records of distributors thereunder by the State Board of Equalization and correction of assessments of said distributors by said board;

Also Senate Bill No 774—An act to amend the title and section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks; to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 833—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 844—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 2643, relating to powers and duties of supervisors respecting roads;

Also: Senate Bill No 857—An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detective and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915;

Also: Senate Bill No. 860—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 19, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 870—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class;

Also: Senate Bill No 46—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Diego; to provide for the appointment of an additional judge and the manner of payment of his compensation;

Also: Senate Bill No 254—An act to amend sections 2145, 2153*a*, 2187, 2189, 2090, 2191, and 2192 of the Political Code relating to the Department of Institutions;

Also: Senate Bill No. 430—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein"

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That in order to pay the necessary expenses for the disposition of the closing business of this Assembly after adjournment, and for the payment of all bills, such as supplies from the purchasing department, telephoning, telegraphing, expressage, postage, etc., and for such other bills that may be presented, accompanied by

proper vouchers covering such expenses, the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), or such portion of said amount as may be necessary to carry out the above, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $31.34 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

Western Union Telegraph Co.	$2 34
Virginia Crossan, illuminating memorials	29 00
	$31 34

The above resolutions read and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 834—An act to amend sections 11 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 834 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 162—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 162 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons,

McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend section 1526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of property of decedents.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 620 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 686—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 686 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 47 of the Civil Code, relating to privileged publications.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 761 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 803—An act to amend chapter IV of title I of part III of the Political Code by amending section 726 thereof and adding thereto a new section to be known as 727, to relate to the Judicial Council and the duty of county clerks and clerks of the various courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 803 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Gant, Melville, and Murphy—4.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 576—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace, sitting in courts other than their own under assignment thereto by the chairman of the Judicial Council, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 576 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., and Carter—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 3—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license

taxes, and adopting those provisions, not inconsistent herewith, of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, and approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 3 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Byrne, Carter, Davis, Lyons, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, and Walters—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 518—An act to provide for the acquisition of rights of way for and the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways, classifying the highways in the State system and allocating and directing the expenditure of funds for the construction, maintenance and improvement of State highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 518 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Carter, Murphy, Spalding, and Walters—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following joint resolution was introduced:

By Mr. Feigenbaum: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to federal taxation of community property in California

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Feigenbaum asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17, at this time, without reference to committee.

REQUEST TO TAKE UP BILL.

Mr Feigenbaum moved that the Assembly grant permission to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17 at this time.

The question being: Shall the Assembly grant permission to take up for consideration Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17 under provision of Assembly Rule 43?

The roll was called, and permission to consider Assembly Joint Resolution No 17 was granted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson. Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17 ordered on file for adoption.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Melville.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 610 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Snyder, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bishop, Brock, Carter, Deuel, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Hawes, McDonough, McPherson, Smith, Spalding, Walters, and Witter—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Sewell, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No 16—Relative to cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

NOYES, Chairman.
MIXTER
ANDERSON.
BALL.
MURPHY.
WHERRELL.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 417—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 819—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park in Contra Costa County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000 by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose;

Also: Senate Bill No. 894—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes and correcting the lighting in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith;

Also: Senate Bill No. 871—An act providing for the acquisition by the State, by purchase, condemnation, gift or other legal means, of any land or other property or right determined to be essential to the protection of the interests of the State for purposes of flood control, river flow control and equation, irrigation, reclamation, power development or any one or more of such or other public uses; defining the powers and duties of state officers and departments in valuation thereto and making an appropriation therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating $200 000 to be expended by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works for the purpose of operating and maintaining such of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District as may by law be imposed upon the State;

Also Senate Bill No. 314—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Earl Gates, as executor of the last will and testament of P. H. Kerrigan, deceased, against the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No. 586—An act to provide for the purchase by the State of California under certain conditions of certificates of sale of property sold for delinquent assessments of irrigation districts, and for the disposition through the State Land Settlement Board of property acquired by the State pursuant to the purchase of such certificates, and for the management by the California Bond Certification Commission, under certain conditions, of irrigation districts in which the State has so acquired an interest in lands;

Also Senate Bill No 764—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also Senate Bill No 781—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L B Collins,

Also: Senate Bill No 859—An act to amend section 2733 of the Political Code, relating to the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund

Also: Senate Bill No 873—An act to provide for the impounding and utilization of the waters of the American River for flood control, river flow control and equation, domestic use, irrigation, reclamation, power development, or any one or more of

such or other public uses; authorizing the State Department of Finance to acquire for the State property useful in connection therewith; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments and of public and private agencies in relation thereto, authorizing the leasing of property of the State for any one or more of such uses and specifying certain terms and conditions to which said lease shall be subject; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith;

Also Senate Bill No. 895—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4276*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Also Senate Bill No. 891—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WRIGHT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 892—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 141—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4257*a*, relating to the compensation of the surveyor, his deputy and surveying crews in counties of the twenty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 199—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the bonding, licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create a produce dealers' license fund; to define the purpose of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to provide for the revocation of produce dealers' license, to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; and to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 626*da*, to the Penal Code, providing for the taking of rabbits in Fish and Game District 4¼ in any number and at any time of the year;

Also: Assembly Bill No 260—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the sale of the personal property belonging to school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 1741 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of high school boards;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of W. H. Stitt against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 298—An act to promote the apicultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, their brood, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with disease, vesting the enforcement hereof in the State Director of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners, and defining their powers and duties hereunder, providing for the establishment of quarantines to prevent the introduction and spread of disease, declaring box hives and infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances to be a public nuisance and providing for the abatement thereof, providing for the registration of apiaries, prohibiting the sale or removal of infected bees, their brood, hives and appliances without permit, providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing an act entitled "An act to promote the apicultural interests of the State of California by providing county

inspectors of apiaries, and defining their duties, and providing for their compensation, and repealing the act entitled 'An act to authorize the boards of supervisors of the several counties of this State to appoint inspectors of apiaries, and provide for their compensation, and defining their duties, and for the further protection of bee culture,' approved March 13, 1883," approved February 20, 1901, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers and providing for the use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote in one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, as amended, relating to the use of voting machines;

Also Assembly Bill No 377—An act to amend section 378 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also Assembly Bill No 378—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379c, relating to the joinder of parties defendant;

Also Assembly Bill No 401—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, and relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to require employers to pay the cost of bonds and photographs required of and furnished by employees or applicants for employment," approved April 20, 1917, so as to prohibit the exaction of cash bonds unless employees are entrusted with goods, money or property under certain restrictions, or unless said cash put up as a bond is deposited in a savings account in a bank under certain restrictions, and providing penalties for violation of the act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare plans and to select a site for a separate penal institution for women offenders;

Also Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund and also a Public School Teachers' Permanent Fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section to be numbered section 8a conferring upon the State Department of Finance authority to invest and reinvest the moneys in the Public School Teachers' Permanent Fund and defining the powers and duties of said department in relation thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to amend section 1714 of the Political Code, relating to school library funds in cities or cities and counties;

Also Assembly Bill No 557—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 276, relating to abortion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code;

Also Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code relating to laying out roads;

Also Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers in counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 874—An act to amend section 2322e17 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation and expenses of county horticulture commissioners, deputies, inspectors and clerks in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 932—An act to validate all proceedings taken under the provisions of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to provide for an actuarial investigation of the Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 992—An act to amend sections 8, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13a to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of

sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917," as amended, by repealing section 25 thereof, relating to principal and contracting employers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the State Library Fund, disposing of the balance in said fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended, relating to statements of candidates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4272*a*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the surveyor of counties of the forty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend section 2322*x*27 of the Political Code, relating to the salary and expenses of the horticultural commissioner, his deputies, and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act increasing the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of San Bernardino, and providing for the appointment of an additional judge and for his compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4256*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of county surveyors, their deputies, assistants and employees, in counties of the twenty-seventh class.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-eighth day of April at 3 o'clock p. m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to federal taxation of community property in California—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 157 the following Senators: Pedrotti, Handy and McKinley, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend section 1552 of the Political Code, relating to the expenses of the superintendent of schools and his assistants.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor, and creating a revolving fund and providing for the apportionment of school funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants in counties of the thirty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 9a13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed $100,000, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24 and 26 and to repeal sections 12 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange Fund and a revolving fund;

to provide penalties for violations of this act to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act.

Also Assembly Bill No 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act to amend section 594¼ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take Pismo clams for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of Pismo clams, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1103—An act to amend section 3664c of the Political Code, relating to the State Board of Equalization;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Pacific Colony Act' to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems, to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions, to prescribe penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of funds.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully receded from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of counties of the fourth class.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add two new sections to be numbered 2¼ and 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess

the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the street improvements.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No. 681—An act appropriating money to be used for the purchase of dam sites and other necessary land to restrain tailings from hydraulic mining operations and for engineering investigations in connection therewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 21—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Also: Senate Bill No. 44—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the commissioner of labor the power to revoke, suspend or refuse to grant licenses, providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question, prohibiting the conducting of agencies in connection with pool halls and soft drink parlors and more specifically defining what are employment agencies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or both, assist in felling, preparing, or transportating logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs, providing for means by which the owner of such logs and products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor and making such liens prior to all other liens, claims or encumbrances, except the landowner's claim for a reasonable stumpage in cases where the landowner himself is not the direct employer or contractor, as the case may be; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4300*h* of the Political Code, relating to coroners' fees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 544—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds, creating or increasing bonded indebtedness, and increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 576—An act providing for the manner of payment of the extra compensation of justices, judges and justices of the peace, sitting in courts other than their own under assignment thereto by the chairman of the judicial council, and for the manner of payment of the necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging of such justices and judges incurred in the discharge of such assignments;

Also: Senate Bill No. 605—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the fish and game commissioners

Also: Senate Bill No 638—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, as amended and approved May 16, 1925, by amending sections 7, 12, 19, 28, 31, 36, 42, 46, 47, 55, 57, 58, 60, 63, 69, 73, 78, 85, 90, 96, 100, 101, 104, 108, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 142, 147, 148 151, 154, and 159, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 7½, 19½, 45½, 77½, and 159½, relating to the use and operation and the equipment of vehicles operated upon public highways, the registration of motor vehicles, the licensing of operators, the reporting of accidents and stolen or embezzled motor vehicles, the location of signs to give notice of the provisions of the act, the injuring of or tampering with vehicles, the driving or pasturing of live stock on highways, and to the enforcement of said act and the disposition of fees collected under said act.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, defining the powers of the court in regard to probation of persons guilty of crime and relating to the probation of persons arrested for crime after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of the offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in certain counties and cities and counties and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in certain counties and cities and counties.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 4024 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to appointment of deputies;

Also: Senate Bill No. 688—An act to amend section 204*e* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury commissioners in counties or cities and counties where there is a secretary of the judges of the superior court;

Also: Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1663 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the partial distribution of estates of deceased persons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 1691 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the assignment for distribution of estate to nonresident persons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 767—An act to amend section 6¼ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 788—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said code to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*j*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 349 of the Political Code, relating to the location of the offices of the departments and the residence of the heads thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 834—An act to amend sections 11 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the

State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 855—An act revising and amending section 14 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, providing for the collection by the county treasurer of assessments, for the paying in cash or warrants of such district, for the calling of assessments, for the service of notice thereof, for the payment of interest thereon, for the publishing of notice of sale and the sale of the property for delinquent assessments, for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale, for the issuance of certificate and a period of redemption and for the issuance of a deed, and for subsequent sales thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 858—An act to provide for the formation, powers, duties, government, and maintenance of sanitary districts in the State; the acquisition, maintenance, improvement, and disposal of property thereby; the acquisition, construction, maintenance, and disposal of certain public improvements therein; the alteration of boundaries and dissolution of such districts; and the reorganization of existing sanitary districts in the State under the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No 866—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Constitutional Amendments No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 6, relative to the issuance of bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 for the acquisition of rights of way for railroad grade separations on the roads within the State Highway System of the State of California, and for the construction of said railroad grade separations by the California Highway Commission.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add new sections to the Political Code to be numbered *737a*, *737b*, *737c*, *737d*, *737e*, *737f*, *737g*, *737h*, *737i*, *737j*, *737k*, *737l*, *737m*, *737n*, *737o*, *737p*, *737q*, *737r*, *737s*, *737t*, *737u*, *737v*, *737w*, *737x*, *737y*, *737z*, *737aa*, *737bb*, *737cc*, *737dd*, *737ee*, *737ff*, *737gg*, *737hh*, *737ii*, *737jj*, *737kk*, *737ll*, *737mm*, *737nn*, *737oo*, *737pp*, *737qq*, *737rr*, *737ss*, *737tt*, *737uu*, *737vv*, *737ww*, *737xx*, *737yy*, *737zz*, *737aaa*, *737bbb*, *737ccc*, *737ddd*, *737eee*, *737fff*, and to repeal certain old sections of said code respectively numbered *737*, *737a*, *737b*, *737c*, *737d* as added by chapter DCCCLXVII of the Statutes of 1921, *737d* as added by chapter DCCCLXVIV of the Statutes of 1921, *737d* as added by chapter DCCCLI of the Statutes of 1921, *737e*, *737g*, *737h*, *737j*, *737k*, *737m*, *737n*, *737o*, *737p*, *737r*, *737w*, *737ab*, *737eee*, *737vv*, 738, *738a*, *738b* as added by chapter CDL of the Statutes of 1925, *738b* as amended by chapter CDLV of the Statutes of 1925, *737c* and *738d*, all relating to salaries of judges of the superior court;

Also: Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to be numbered *736c* to the Political Code prescribing the payment of salaries of judges of the superior courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Keaton:

WHEREAS, Honorable Dan E. Williams, our esteemed fellow member is ill in this city, therefore be it

Resolved, That Honorable Dan E. Williams be excused for the remainder of this session and that the sympathy of this House be extended to him.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Keaton unanimously adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add two new sections to be numbered 2¼ and 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the street improvements—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate consisting of Senators Handy Pedrotti and McKinley, and that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed and recommends that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that Assembly Bill No. 157 be further amended to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out line 2 of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "add a new section to be numbered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 20 of the title of the printed bill following the word "the", insert the following "making of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 9, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the following "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 10, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 10, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 10, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 10, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 10, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and/or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

WOOLWINE,
CARTER,
SEWELL,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

HANDY,
PEDROTTI,
McKINLEY,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor;

Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess for the purpose of introducing the following members of the Colorado River Commission: Senator A. H Favour, Arizona Senate; Senator T. S. Kimball, Arizona Senate; Representative M. F. Murphy, Arizona House; Speaker A. M. Crawford, Arizona House, and H. S. McCluskey, Governor's member.

APPOINTMENT OF ESCORT.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Jones, Byrne and Carter as a Select Committee to escort the members of the Colorado River Commission to the bar of the House.

During the recess the members of the Colorado River Commission addressed the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY RECONVENED.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 281—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*b*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Little moved a call of the House

Motion carried.

Time, two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-nine minutes p m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Wright moved that Senate Bill No. 890 be withdrawn from the Committee on Insurance and placed on file for passage.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION ON MOTION TO WITHDRAW.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 890 from committee.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 890 carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Brock, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Melville, Mixter, Patterson, Scofield, Sewell, and Walters—17.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll-bridge franchises by boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Easley moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty-five".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Easley as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 846, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EASLEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four thousand five hundred", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five thousand"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 103, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment refused adoption.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 103 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 236—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior courts of the county of Riverside.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 236 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court, and to repeal sections 737*b*, 737*c*, 737*d*, 737*e*, 737*g*, 737*h*, 737*j*, 737*k*, 737*m*, 737*n*, 737*o*, 737*p*, 737*v*, 737*a*, 737*w*, 737*ab*, 737*vv*, 737*eee*, 738, 738a, 738*c*, 738*d*, and 738*b*, of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 804 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 737*w* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 809 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 2—An act to amend section 738*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 2 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Pat-

terson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 105 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 594—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of San Mateo.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 594 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,.D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 763—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be known as section 738*b*1, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Mendocino County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 763 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,.D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton,

Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 738*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Tulare and Kings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 208 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson,,D. P., Anderson. Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrel, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 298—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 298 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Wemple, West, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Burns, Croter, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, McDonough, Morrison, Noyes, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wherrell, and Wright—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 299—An act to amend sections 1817, 1830, 1836, 1838, and 1840 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to elementary and district school funds and taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 299 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons,

McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—Burns, Gant, Hornblower, McDonough, Smith, Spalding, and Wright—7.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 1612*a* of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the time of preparing and filing school budgets.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 300 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—Burns, Gant, Parkman, Spalding, and Wright—5.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 578—An act granting to the La Jolla Beach and Yacht Club, a corporation, a perpetual easement for a channel across certain tidelands in the city of San Diego.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 578 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Bernard, Burns, Clowdsley, Heisinger, Roland, Smith, Snyder, and Spalding—8.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accountants; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 3; by repealing sections 3*a*, 4 and 5; and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, relating to issuance of certificates, suspension of certificates and violations thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Kelsey moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended on April 25, 1927, strike out the comma at the end of line 9, and all of line 10, and in lieu thereof insert a period at the end of line 9 after the word "examination".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Kelsey as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 234, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

KELSEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, so as to require the keeping of records of the names and hours worked by female employees in all occupations subject to the provisions of the act, which records shall be accessible at all reasonable hours to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, his deputies and agents, to whom is delegated the duties of enforcing the provisions of the act, and making proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act, at the time any female is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof, prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said female to so work, so as to bring him within the penal provisions of the said act; also making the records required by this act prima facie evidence, sufficient to sustain a conviction, if they show a violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 76 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Croter, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rochester, Spalding, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—30.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, and Wright—37.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S VETO.

Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 383*a*, to the Penal Code, relating to the sale of kosher meats and meat preparations, and kosher food, defining the word "kosher" and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstarding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Rochester—1.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—62.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Smith waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 was adopted

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Williamson waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 670 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 670 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article IV thereof, relating to the election and term of office of members of the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W R LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No 1221—An act to add a new section to be numbered 5½ to an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said map unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, relating to subdivision of land bounded on any side, or in any way, by the ocean, or by an inlet, bay, estuary, or arm thereof

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage of Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tidelands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'industrial accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River Outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 327 the following Senators: McKinley, Murphy and Chamberlin, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill

No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by intiative act at the election of November 3, 1914—recommending the appointment of a Free Conference Committee, and the following Senators were appointed: Baker, Handy and Evans, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 585 the following Senators: Weller, Evans and Kline, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties—recommending the appointment of a Committee on Free Conference and the following Senators were appointed: Gray, Wagy and McKinley, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators McKinley, Murphy and Chamberlin, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

SNYDER,
FISHER,
BROCK,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Sewell, Jacobson and Roland as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 327.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties—reports that it has

met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Weller, Evans and Kline, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

DAVIS,
BAUM,
OLIVA,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Woolwine, Sewell and Little as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 585.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Feigenbaum moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 90 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Fisher, Hornblower, Kelsey, Lyons, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, and Smith—19.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER NINETY.

Senate Bill No. 90—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25 and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 90 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Hornblower, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, and Woolwine—26.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Parkman waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 607 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 607 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior judge in Contra Costa County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Reindollar moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Commitee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 26, 1927, strike out the word "Penal", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Political".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 26, 1927, strike out the word "Penal", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Political".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Reindollar as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 597, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

REINDOLLAR, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williams:

WHEREAS, The Honorable Howard Davis and the Honorable William Byrne of Los Angeles, California, are candidates for the offices of councilmen in the city of Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, The said Honorable Howard Davis and the Honorable William Byrne are members of the Forty-seventh session of this Assembly and have at all times held the respect and admiration of their fellow members for their faithful endeavors in behalf of their constituency and the State which they serve; and

WHEREAS, Said Honorable Howard Davis and Honorable William Byrne are compelled by their duties to remain in Sacramento and are thereby unable to attend to their political campaigns in the furtherance of their interests in their election; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of this Forty-seventh session go on record as endorsing the candidacy of the said Honorable Howard Davis and the said Honorable William Byrne for the offices of councilmen of the city of Los Angeles as a tribute of their respect and admiration for their faithful performance of their duties rather than the furthering of their own individual interests.

Resolution unanimously adopted.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1284—An act to add two new sections to be numbered 9 and 10 to an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of act in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, relating to the status of prisoners at prison road camps and making an appropriation for the maintenance of such road camps—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1284?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out line 1 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to add two new sections to be numbered nine and ten to an act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 14 to 21 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "approved June 9, 1923, relating to the status of prisoners at prison road camps and making an appropriation for the maintenance of such road camps."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

Beginning with line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 42 on page 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered 9 is hereby added to an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on state highways or state roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or relase or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 4, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7½", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, following line 51 of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 2. A new section to be numbered section 10 is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

SEC. 10. The sum of six hundred thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the compensation, provided by section 1 of this act, to convicts employed in the construction of portions of the state highway system in accordance with the provisions of this act.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1284 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to issuance of licenses to marry—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 662?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 662 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1031?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 20, 1927, strike out the word "commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 20, 1927, strike out the word "or".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1631 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1271?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the numerals "XVIII", and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "VIII".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1271 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633a of the Political Code, relating to insurance brokers and agents—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1208?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1927, strike out the words "licensing of insurance brokers", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "insurance brokers and agents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8 of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1927, in line 3, preceding the word "reciprocal", insert the word "licensed"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "insurer", insert the following: ", excepting all insurance pertaining to loss, damage or liability incident to and/or incurred by or through the ownership, maintenance, operation and use of any vehicle required by law to be registered with the state authorities as a condition precedent to its operation on the state highway"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "section", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "; *provided, however,* that for the purposes of this act, all insurance pertaining to loss, damage or liability incident to and/or incurred by or through the ownership, maintenance, operation and use of any vehicle required by law to be registered with the state authorities as a condition precedent to its operation on the state highways, is expressly excepted from class 8 of section 594 of the Political Code, hereinabove referred to."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1208 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1285?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "city", strike out the word "of", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1285 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 578?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the proviso in subdivision 2, of the printed bill, that is to say, all of subdivision 2 after the semicolon on page 1, line 19.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, after the words "by the", insert "chairman of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 52, of the printed bill, after the words "by the", insert "chairman of the".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 578 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1146?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out the word "seven", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1927, strike out the words "of ten cents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill as amended March 16, 1927, after the word "mile", insert the following: "fixed by the county board of supervisors".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1146 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1044?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 18 of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty", and insert in lieu thereof the word "seventy-five".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1044 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 229?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "behind", insert the words "and easterly of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 13 of the printed bill, after the word "navigation", strike ou the words "of fisheries", and insert in lieu thereof the words "and fishery".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 229 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 52?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all thereof from lines 6 to 41, both inclusive, and insert the following in lieu thereof

13. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of justices of the peace, the townships of counties of this class are hereby classified according to population, as follows.

Townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of one thousand one hundred seventy-five and less than two thousand five hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class, townships having a population of eight hundred and less than one thousand one hundred seventy-five shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a population of less than eight hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

For the purpose of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors by multiplying by three the number of registered voters in each township at the last general election

14. Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries: In townships of the first class the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; in townships of the second class the sum of six hundred dollars per annum; in townships of the third class the sum of two hundred forty dollars per annum; in townships of the fourth class the sum of twelve dollars per annum.

Such salaries shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid and shall be compensation in full for all services rendered.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 52 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J. Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 430?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 31 and line 32 up to and including the word "law", and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"12. The surveyor the sum of ten dollars per day for all services performed by him by virtue of his office and his necessary traveling expenses when performing official work in the field, such compensation and expenses to be allowed by, and paid on the order of, the board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 430 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 79?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "thirty-two", strike out the letter "*a*."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, correct the spelling of the word "instruments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "act", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the words "as amended", insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "tolerance", and insert in lieu thereof the word "tolerances".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "produce", and insert in lieu thereof the word "product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the following: "Said compensation and expenses shall be a county charge against the county wherein said sealer of weights and measures is employed and the board of supervisors shall allow and pay the same out of the general fund of the county in the same manner as other claims against said fund are allowed and paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, after the numeral "32", strike out the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 7 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 32. Any person who, by himself, or his employee or agent, or as the employee or agent of another, shall use, in the buying or selling of any commodity, or retain in his possession a false weight or measure or weighing or measuring instrument; or who shall offer or expose for sale, or sell, except as heretofore specifically allowed in section 27 of this act, or use or retain in his possession any weight or measure or weighing or measuring instrument in any county, city, town, or city and county, in which there has been appointed a sealer of weights and measures in accordance with the provisions of this act, which has not been sealed by a sealer within one year; or who shall use or dispose of any condemned weight or measure, or weighing or measuring instrument contrary to law, or who, by himself, or his employee or agent, or as the employee or agent of another, shall sell or offer or expose for sale or use or have in his possession for the purpose of selling or using

any device or instrument to be used or calculated to falsify any weight or measure; or who, by himself, or his employee or agent, or as the employee or agent of another, shall sell or offer or expose for sale any commodity, product, article or thing in a less quantity than he represents it to be or contain; or shall buy or offer to buy any commodity, product, article or thing on any other than the correct weight thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Possession of any false weight or measure or weighing or measuring instruments or records thereof shall be prima facie evidence of the fact that they were intended to be used in the violation of law.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 79 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1720, 1750*a* and 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 924?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 8, of the re-engrossed bill, strike out the word "course".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "course".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "course".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "course".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "course".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 924 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 316?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "On and after January 6, 1919, all", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 8 to 12, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty dollars per annum, and nine librarian custodians at a salary of fifteen dollars each per month and eight librarian custodians at a salary of ten dollars each per month. The county libra-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 23 to 26, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and two additional clerks at a salary of five dollars per day when actually employed, which salaries shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per annum. Said clerks shall be paid by the county at".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1927, strike out lines 35 to 52, inclusive; also strike out lines 1 to 16, inclusive, on page 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following

12. The surveyor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the surveyor, one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, two draftsmen who shall each receive a salary of one dollar and twenty-five cents per hour; four draftsmen who shall each receive a salary of one dollar per hour; one transitman who shall receive a salary of one dollar and twenty-five cents per hour; two transitmen who shall each receive a salary of one dollar per hour; three rodmen who shall each receive a salary of seventy-five cents per hour; twelve chainmen who shall each receive a salary of seventy-five cents per hour and four inspectors who shall each receive a salary of one dollar per hour, which offices are hereby created. It is further provided that the county surveyor shall be and he is hereby allowed all necessary expenses for work performed for the county by virtue of his office, and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field. Whenever the county surveyor is directed by the board of supervisors or assessor to plat, trace or otherwise prepare maps, plats or block books for the use of the county assessor or said board, he shall be and he is hereby allowed only the actual cost of preparing the same

The said county surveyor shall render to the auditor of said county a sworn statement, showing therein the kind and nature of work performed, the dates, amounts to be paid to assistants and the amounts paid for expenses.

The deputy, stenographer, draftsmen, transitmen, rodmen, chainmen and inspectors herein provided for shall be appointed by the county surveyor and their salaries shall be paid by said county, in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as are the salaries of the county officers of this class.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "one hundred fifty", and insert in lieu thereof "one hundred seventy-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "ninety-five dollars", and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "one hundred twenty dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following words: "seventy-five dollars", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ninety-five dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 50 to 52, both inclusive, and on page 7 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 13, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "16", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "17", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 7, line 37, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "18", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 8, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "19", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "20", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the figures "21", and insert in lieu thereof the figures "20".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 316 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, inclusive of the Political Code, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 320?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, line 15, of the re-engrossed bill, strike out the word "one", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 9 of the re-engrossed bill, between the lines 49 and 50, insert a new paragraph as follows:

In any township or townships of the second or third class when, in the opinion of the board of supervisors, it is necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the justices of the peace of any of the township courts, the supervisors shall have the power to provide court room space and the rental thereof shall be a proper charge against the county.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 320 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322½6 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the sixth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 474?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 12 to 17 of the printed bill, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

(b) One clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred dollars during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in one year for such clerk shall not exceed one thousand two hundred dollars

(c) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed one inspector at a monthly salary of one hundred and sixty dollars, during the time actually employed, three inspectors at a monthly salary of one hundred and fifty dollars each, during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in one year for all such inspectors shall not exceed seven thousand three hundred twenty dollars.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 474 was concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Seofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, relating to cemetery districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 291?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "treasurer" insert the following: "of the county in which the district was organized,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 291 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish; and to repeal section 633 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 650?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "first", and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, following the words "Dolly Varden", insert the words "or steelhead".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, following the words "Dolly Varden", insert the words "or steelhead".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 650 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536c, relating to the handling of funds received for farm products sold on consignment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 255?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "of", add the following: "funds received for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "products", add the word "sold".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following in lines 6 and 7: "separate and distinct", and insert in lieu thereof the word "special".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "to", strike out the following: "indicate its source or origin", and insert in lieu thereof the words: "identify it as a growers' trust fund;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "or", and insert in lieu thereof the word "and", and after the word "products", in said line 20, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following words: "milk and milk products, hay, field grains and dried beans."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 255 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1080?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 21, 1927, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1080 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and

to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 803?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 20, in line 14, strike out the word "from", and all of lines 15 to 23, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "due east from the south side of the mouth of Novato creek to the westerly shore of Mare Island shall be included in fish and game district number two."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 803 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 607?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1927, in lines 10, 11 and 12, strike out the words "and he must also have such compensation for his services as the court in which his accounts are settled deems just and reasonable.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "without fees for his services,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 607 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general or coordinated plan; authorizing the State Department of Finance to

release or assign such appropriations; authorizing the State Department of Finance to request other departments of the State or State officers to furnish service or assistance to make investigations in connection with the development of a general or coordinated plan for the utilization or conservation of the water resources of the State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1288?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, between the word "general" and the word "coordinated", insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill strike out the period following the word "plan", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "; authorizing the state department of finance to release or assign such appropriations; authorizing the state department of finance to request other departments of the state or state officers to furnish service or assistance to make investigations in connection with the development of a general or coordinated plan for the utilization or conservation of the water resources of the state."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "preserve", insert a comma and the following: "as of the date of such publication,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, further*, notwithstanding anything in this act contained the state department of finance shall have power, in its discretion, to release from priority or to assign any portion of or all of any of the appropriations that may be filed under the provisions of this act when such release or assignment is for the purpose of development not in conflict with such general or coordinated plan."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "thereof", insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "thereof", insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "thereof", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1288 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J. Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 5 of the Hide and Brand Law, relating to revocation of licenses—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 171?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1927, strike out all of line 7, and the word "county" in line 8, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "supervision of a city or county meat inspection department where regular inspection is conducted by employees who have passed a civil service meat inspector's examination."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "cattle", insert the folowing: "bred and raised by him."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, lines 32 and 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "for his own consumption."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 171 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 959—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of San Bernardino for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in San Bernardino—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 959?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "institutions", insert the following: "subject to the approval of the department of finance".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 959 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the land title law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November

3, 1914—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Baker, Handy and Evans, and that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Following the word "property", in line 3 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1927, strike out the comma and all the rest of the title, and insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1927, following the word "property", strike out the period, and insert a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, that debts owing to the defendant by a banking corporation or association maintaining branch offices, or credits or other personal property, whether or not the same is capable of manual delivery, belonging to the defendant and in the possession of or under the control of such banking corporation or association, must be attached by leaving a copy of the writ and the notice with the manager or any other officer of such banking corporation or association, at the office or branch thereof at which the account evidencing such indebtedness of the defendant is carried, or at which such banking corporation or association has credits or other personal property belonging to the defendant in its possession or under its control; and no attachment shall be effective as to any debt owing by such banking corporation or association if the account evidencing such indebtedness is carried at an office or branch thereof not so served, or as to any credits or other personal property in its possession or under its control at any office or branch thereof not so served."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 15, 1927, strike out the word "or", after the comma after the word "defendant", and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

SEWELL,
JACOBSON,
ROLAND,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

BAKER,
HANDY,
EVANS,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Cuter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 281 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Bishop, Gant, Jost, Keaton, and Patterson—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At five o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Levey in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Robinson reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Little moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and ten minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P, Ball, Baum Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crawford, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED)

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Rochester—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 5.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors.

The Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that section 3 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. Each stockholder of a corporation, or joint-stock association, shall be individually and personally liable for such proportion of all its debts and liabilities contracted or incurred, during the time he was a stockholder, as the amount of stock or shares owned by him bears to the whole of the subscribed capital stock or shares of the corporation or association. The directors or trustees of corporations and joint-stock associations shall be jointly and severally liable to the creditors and stockholders for all moneys embezzled or misappropriated by the officers of such corporation or joint-stock association, during the term of office of such director or trustee.

Nothing in the preceding paragraph of this section shall be held to apply to any corporation organized under the laws of this State which shall adopt and use as the last word of its corporate name, the word "Limited" or its abbreviation, "Ltd"; but the stockholders of such corporation shall be subject to such liabilities as may be provided by the Legislature; *and provided, further,* that nothing in this section shall apply to any stockholder's liability already incurred against stockholders in corporations created prior to the adoption of this amendment. Nothing in the preceding paragraph of this section shall be held to apply to any exposition company organized to promote and carry on any fairs, sports, games or exhibitions authorized or to be held under authority of the constitution or laws of California.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a commission to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 20.

Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a committee to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters.

WHEREAS, The misuse of habit forming drugs constitutes a grave menace to society; and

WHEREAS, There is great need for more vigorous action on the part of the State of California to combat this evil; and

WHEREAS, The states of Washington, Oregon and California are particularly subject to the illegal traffic in narcotic drugs on account of their accessibility through the various ports; and

WHEREAS, A united action on the part of these states is essential in order to combat this evil; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Legislature of the State of California, the Assembly concurring, That there shall be and hereby is created a committee to consist of two members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, two members of the Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, and one citizen of the State of California, to be appointed by the Governor, said committee to act in the same manner as commissions from the states of Washington and Oregon, for the purpose of considering the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing traffic in narcotic drugs; be it further

Resolved, That the committee hereinabove named shall also consider the advisability of harmonizing state laws with federal narcotic laws in order to make possible closer cooperation between state and federal law enforcing officials; be it further

Resolved, That the committee shall also make a complete study pertaining to the proper treatment of narcotic drug addicts and shall gather such other necessary information, formulate recommendations, and prepare and submit to the next session of the Legislature of the State of California their findings therein; be it further

Resolved, That the members of said committee shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be paid their necessary traveling and other expenses. The sum of $500 is hereby set aside from the contingent fund of the Senate, and a like sum from the contingent fund of the Assembly, and made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses, if any, of such committee and committeemen, which expenses shall be paid equally from such contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly, and the State controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the members of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11—Relative to securing the aid of the United States government in establishing a basis for execution of the coordinated plan for development of the water resources of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Relating to securing the aid of the United States government in establishing a basis for execution of some comprehensive plan for development of the water resources of California.

WHEREAS, The joint legislative committee of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, under Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, has submitted its report; and,

WHEREAS, During its deliberation said committee fully realized that many features of any comprehensive plan for the development of the water resources of California involve matters coming within the jurisdiction and concern of the federal government; and,

WHEREAS, Governor Young, in his inaugural address, recognized the paramount importance of some comprehensive plan for the conservation and development of the water resources of California in the following words:

"The solution of this problem can no longer be left to haphazard and unrelated development. There is no doubt that it is high time to seek some comprehensive plan which will meet the needs of both our great central valleys. The water which falls so bountifully during our winters, and which now wastes itself in bay and ocean, if properly stored and controlled and placed upon the land, would be sufficient to water every irrigable foot of this vast area, beside practically eliminating all future danger from winter floods.

This enterprise, however, is so vast that it can be financed by no one agency alone. The farmer whose lands are benefited can not meet the expense, as he

largely does in the case of minor irrigation projects. The county whose cities are dependent upon local agricultural prosperity must also do its share. The State must take the leadership in coordinating and planning the whole. The federal government possibly must be asked to advance the money for the initial construction, just as is proposed in the Boulder Canyon project."

Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and the Assembly, jointly, That this Legislature commend to the Governor that he communicate with the President of the United States and invoke the cooperation and aid of the federal government in working out some approved and comprehensive plan for development of the water resources of California.

Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for resale to hunters and 'anglers'," approved May 20, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 466 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226 and 227 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 224*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 573 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to federal taxation of community property in California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Relative to federal taxation of community property in California.

WHEREAS, The community system of property prevails in the State of California; and

WHEREAS, In the other community property states the husband and wife are still and for a long time have been permitted by the treasury department, to return one-half of the community property income each for purposes of federal income taxes; and

WHEREAS, In the other community property states, only one-half of the community property passing to the wife on the death of her husband is, and for a long time has been subjected by the treasury department to the federal estate tax, and

WHEREAS, The treasury department has only permitted the husband and wife in California, during the limited period of two months from March 27, 1924, to May 27, 1924, to return community income for purposes of federal income taxes as heretofore and still permitted in the other community property states, and is now questioning the legal correctness of the divided returns of California taxpayers filed in that limited period; and

WHEREAS, The United States District Court for the Northern District of California in Blum versus Wardell (270 Fed. 309) held that in California only one-half of the community property passing to the wife on the death of her husband is subject to federal estate tax, and

WHEREAS, This decision was approved by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (276 Fed. 226) and certiorari therein was denied by the United States Supreme Court (258 U. S. 617), and

WHEREAS, The treasury department ignores the effect of these decisions in the case of Blum versus Wardell and claims the right to subject to a federal estate tax the whole of the community property so passing to the wife in California, and is opening old cases heretofore settled for the purpose of claiming the larger tax on the whole community property; and

WHEREAS, The substantive rights of the husband and wife in community property in California are so similar in fact to the substantive rights of husband and wife in community property in the other community property states that, in the opinion of the people of the State of California there is no reasonable basis for distinguishing California from the other community property states in matters of federal taxation; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of California in its various enactments upon the subject of community property has consistently recognized that the wife in California during the continuance of the marriage relation has an interest in community property much more definite and certain than the expectancy of an heir, as evidenced by the provisions of sections 161 and 682 of the Civil Code as adopted in 1872 and by the provisions of section 161*a* which were added to the Civil Code at this legislative session, and

WHEREAS, The Supreme Court of the State of California in the recent decision in Stewart versus Stewart (240 Pac. 197) recognized that the interest of the wife in community property in California during the continuance of the marriage relation was a much more definite and present interest than that of an ordinary heir; and

WHEREAS, By the phrasing of section 1212 of the revenue act of 1926 taxpayers in the other community property states who filed divided income returns were confirmed in all the privileges and benefits thereof as to income for any period before January 1, 1925, and by virtue of the position of the treasury department like privileges and benefits have been and will be denied to California taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California are gravely concerned with the invidious distinction of California in these matters, now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of California, jointly, That we respectfully urge upon the Congress of the United States an early and careful consideration of the palpable injustice to California taxpayers in the matter of federal taxation; and such an amendment of the revenue acts as will put the California taxpayers as to past and future federal taxes in a position of equal security with the taxpayers in the other community property states, and that we also respectfully request of the Congress in this behalf, such remedial legislation as will indemnify California taxpayers for any federal taxes heretofore collected from them on any other basis than that which has been applied in the other community property states, and be it further

Resolved, That certified copies of the text of this joint resolution be communicated by the Governor of the State of California to the President of the United States, the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, the President of the Senate of the United States, the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States and to each member of the Congress representing the State of California therein

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16.

Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects.

WHEREAS, In the past several years the State of California by and through its Board of Public Works, Department of Engineering and Irrigation, and the United States by and through its Department of Interior, Bureau of Reclamation, have cooperated in investigating irrigation and reclamation projects, and the salt water barrier project, and preliminary reports have been made available on the physical features and financial feasibility of the above mentioned projects will shortly be available; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Reclamation, in studying the water problems in the State of California, have expressed a willingness and desire that cooperation between the United States and the State of California should continue in connection with these projects and with all projects which have for their object the conservation and application of the waters of the State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby expresses its desire to the national government that cooperation between the United States and the State of California shall continue with reference to the projects herein mentioned and especially the salt water barrier project herein mentioned and to all other projects in the State which have a like purpose and effect, to the end that a comprehensive and coordinated plan may be developed for conservation and application of all waters in the State of California to beneficial uses for the public purposes and advantages of both nation and State.

Senate Bill No. 865—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as pro chein ami or next friend acting for and on behalf of the Indians of California, to bring suit or suits against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same and making an appropriation to cover expenses incident thereto

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 865 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 888—An act to provide for a survey of the works on the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 888 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relative to salaries in the Insurance Commissioner's office.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 52 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Murphy, and Sewell—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 107—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b*, respectively, relating to licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 107 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Gant, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Little, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, and Wherrell—22.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 293 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 412 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 318 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker.—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 439—An act to provide that the Department of Natural Resources, through the State Park Commission, shall have control of the State park system; to establish and define the State park system; to define certain powers and duties of the State Park Commissioner; to make an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act; and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 439 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen,

Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 440—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey and repealing an act entitled "An act relating to the acquisition by the State of forest land for park purposes; authorizing the State Board of Forestry to make a survey and report on all suitable forest park sites in the State; providing a method for procuring such parks by purchase, gift, devise, donation or condemnation proceedings, or proceedings in eminent domain and for procuring money for the acquisition and maintenance thereof, and prescribing the procedure therefor; reserving certain rights to the owners of land adjacent to the lands so acquired; providing for assistance by the Attorney General; vesting the State Board of Forestry with jurisdiction and control of such parks after their acquisition by the State and of any funds provided for the purchase or maintenance thereof; providing for the expenses of said board in carrying out the purposes of this act; and prescribing the procedure for carrying out the provisions of this act," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 440 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 741—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13½, to an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the collection of facts, information, and statistics to promote the education, employment and general welfare of the deaf.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 741 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen,

Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 805—An act relating to the Supreme Court, to amend sections 749, 755 and 756 of the Political Code, and to provide for the appointment, employment and compensation of phonographic reporters, assistants, secretaries and librarian and other employees of the Supreme Court of the State of California, and for the salaries and expenses incurred by the said court under the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend section 767 of the Political Code to provide for the salaries of the reporter and assistant reporters of the decisions of the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal, and repealing sections 739, 751¼, 769, 770, 2313, 2314, 2315 and 2316 of the Political Code, and sections 265, 266 and 268 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 805 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kenton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 263 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Kenton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 266—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 266 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 356—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide for the transportation of lawfully killed deer from an open district into a closed district, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection, and providing a penalty for violation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 356 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 583—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 583 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Jespersen—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 82—An act to amend section 817 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 82 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Jespersen—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 66 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Jespersen—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 19x5 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 9 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 19x5. In counties of the fifth class there shall be one probation officer and seven assistant probation officers.

The salaries of said officers shall be as follows:

Probation officer, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and each of said assistant probation officers, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum.

The said probation officer is hereby allowed one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, two stenographers at salaries of one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum, and one clerk whose salary shall be one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 802, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Walters asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 802, at this time, without reference to print.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 802 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr Speaker—62.

NOES—Jespersen—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 513 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rochester, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—Bishop, Clowdsley, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Mixter, Murphy, Parkman, Patterson, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 799—An act to amend section 592 of the Political Code, relating to the place of the office of the Insurance Commissioner

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 799 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy,

Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 714—An act to create a new section, to be numbered section 876*a*, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to depository funds of cities of the sixth class in banks.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 714 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State park, providing for the management of the same by a commission; prescribing the duties and powers of such commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in the third line of the title, strike out the words "a commission", and insert in lieu thereof the following "the department of natural resources"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in the fourth line of the title, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "department".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "a board of three commissioners to be appointed by", and also strike out all of lines 10 and 11, and insert in lieu thereof the following "the department of natural resources".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "department".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert in lieu thereof the word "department".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 48, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Walters asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 48, at this time, without reference to printer.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 48 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 443—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 5, 6, 6*a*, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12 and 13 of and to add three new sections to be numbered 6*h*, 6*m*, and 17 to an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 443 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 893—An act granting an easement for a pier at Pacific Beach, San Diego County, to the Crystal Pier Amusement Company, a corporation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 893 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 724—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1751*a*, relating to attendance at high school.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 724 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 701—An act to amend Political Code by adding thereto a section to be known as section 633*aa*, relating to license to act as life insurance broker.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 701 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Clowdsley, Deuel, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Lenehan, McDonough, Melville, Murphy, Noyes, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, and Williamson—14.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 259—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group life insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 259 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 261—An act to amend section 629*a* of the Political Code, relating to group life insurance and valuation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 261 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 734 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 605 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 538 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger,

Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Heisinger—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Patterson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "seventeen", strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following words: "shall be an agent within the meaning of this act."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Patterson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 539, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

PATTERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 32 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Brock, Keaton, Kelsey, Rochester, and Sewell—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 510—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons,

and all ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalties, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 510 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Gant, Hawes, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Brock, McDonough, Melville, Murphy, Roland, Sewell, Smith, and Wright—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 823—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*i*, providing for the supervision of ports by the Department of Public Works.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 823 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Jost, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jewett, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, and Woolwine—25.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 884—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*ag*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts and donations and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 884 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Feigenbaum, Flynn, Miller, James A., and Williamson—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notice of administration proceedings and demand thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 476 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 691—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 410, relating to foreign corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 691 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 889—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6 1907, as amended, relating to certain narcotic drugs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 889 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 740—An act to amend an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 5*a*, 9*a*, 28*a*, 33*b*, 33*c*, 36*a*, and 372, relating to rate of interest on bonds, the construction of improvements in portions, the issuance of immediate possession bonds, the entering of stipulated judgments in condemnation suits and hearings thereon, the issuance of bonds for acquisitions and improvements, and the entering of more than one final judgment in a condemnation action.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 740 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relating to judgments in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 418 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 362—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals in habeas corpus cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 362 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., and Coombs—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 377 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—McDonough—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 725—An act to regulate and license the maintenance and operation of commercial hunting clubs and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game protection and restoration.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 725 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Adams, Bishop, Cloudman, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hornblower, Jost, Kelsey, Mixter, Roland, Scofield, Smith, and Walters—16.

Senate Bill No 780—An act to amend section 122 of the "Bank Act," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to the location of the principal office of the State Banking Department.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 780 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Smith:

WHEREAS, The forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California is about to adjourn sine die, and

WHEREAS, Many members of the Legislature have felt the strain and intenseness of the session and in some instances have unintentionally injured the feelings of co-members; and

WHEREAS, There appeared in a Sacramento newspaper an article purporting to have been signed by a member of the Assembly, criticizing the activities of another member, to wit, Honorable Fred B. Noyes, representing the Eighth Assembly District, for his activities in opposition to a measure before the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this body that it was not the intention of the member so criticizing to injure the said Honorable Fred B. Noyes among his friends and constituents; and

WHEREAS, The said Honorable Fred B. Noyes has honestly, conscientiously, fearlessly and ably represented his district in this, as well as in previous sessions of the Legislature; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California, That it is the sense of this body that the said Honorable Fred B. Noyes should be, and he hereby is, given a unanimous vote of confidence by this body; and he is commended to his friends and constituents for the able manner in which he represents his district.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Smith unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jacobson moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 709 was passed be reconsidered.

HON. HENRY E. CARTER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and four minutes p.m., Hon. Henry E. Carter, member of the Assembly from the Seventy-first Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 709 was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Croter, Easley, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Sewell, Smith, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—28.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eddy, Fisher, Foster, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, and Witter—42.

Senate Bill No. 709 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 708—An act to repeal that certain act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 708 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Gant, Heisinger, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, and Wright—50.

NOES—Burns, Cloudman, Croter, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Oliva, Parkman, Sewell, Smith, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "thirty-three", and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eighteen", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 27, strike out the word "by-law", and insert in lieu thereof the words "by law".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 417—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill as amended, strike out lines 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 4 The salary of the chairman and the salary of the secretary of said commission shall be fixed by the commission with the approval of the department of finance.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "seventy-five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 819—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park in Contra Costa County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 14 to 22, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 3 There is hereby created a Mount Diablo state park fund. Whenever there shall be deposited in the said Mount Diablo state park fund any sum of money other than the appropriation made hereunder the controller shall transfer from the general fund to the said Mount Diablo state park fund an amount equal to one-half of said amount so deposited in said Mount Diablo state park fund. The state treasurer is hereby authorized to receive contributions in any amount and from any source whatsoever and credit the same to said Mount Diablo state park fund. All expenditures from said Mount Diablo state park fund shall be made solely for the acquisition of land contiguous to said park as hereinabove provided. Such expenditures from said fund shall be made upon the written order of the said commission and audited by the state board of control or other proper authorities who must allow the same and direct payment thereof to be made and the controller shall draw warrants therefor on the state treasury for the payment of the same to the said Mount Diablo state park commission out of the said Mount Diablo state park fund.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 29, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 4. In the event of the creation by law, of a department of natural resources, said department shall succeed to and is hereby invested with all the

powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the Mount Diablo state park commission and of the several officers, deputies and employees of said commission, and whenever by the provisions of any statute or law now in force or that may hereafter be enacted a duty or jurisdiction is imposed or authority conferred upon said commission or the officers, deputies or employees thereof by any statute the enforcement of which is transferred to the department, such duty, jurisdiction and authority are hereby imposed upon and transferred to the department of natural resources and the appropriate officers thereof with the same force and effect as though the title of said department of natural resources had been specifically set forth and named therein in lieu of the name of said commission, or any officer, deputy or employee thereof. Said commission and offices, the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of which are so transferred and vested in the department of natural resources, and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees thereunder, shall upon such transference be thereafter abolished and shall have no further legal existence, but the statutes and laws under which they may have existed and all laws prescribing their duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction, together with all lawful rules and regulations established thereunder are hereby expressly continued in force.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District;" to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for said purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out the following "thence south", and strike out lines 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and the following in line 18 "branch of the Southern Pacific railroad", and insert in lieu thereof the following "thence south one mile to the southeast corner of section sixty-five of said rancho, thence east one-half of a mile; thence south three-quarters of a mile, thence east one-quarter mile, thence north one-quarter mile to the center line of a road running east and west through the center of section sixty-three of said rancho thence east one-quarter mile along the center line of said road, to the east line of said section sixty-three; thence continuing along the center line of said road, in a northeasterly direction to the southeast corner of section sixty-one of said rancho, thence along a straight line in a northeasterly direction to the quarter section corner on the east side of section fifty-eight of said rancho, thence east one-half mile, thence south to the north bank of the American river, thence down and along the north or right bank of the American river to its intersection with the

northerly production of the line between sections five and six, township eight north, range six east, thence south along the section line between sections five and six, and between seven and eight of said townships and range to the centerline of the Placerville branch of the Southern Pacific railroad,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, after the period following the word "situated.", insert the following. "If any lands be included in a zone which shows no benefits and a zero percentage to be raised from such lands for the payment of principal and interest on bonds, it shall be the duty of the board of trustees to exclude such lands from the boundaries of the district in the manner hereinafter provided before the calling of a special election to submit to the qualified electors of said district the proposition of issuing bonds as provided in section 10 hereof.

The said trustees shall prepare a notice of intention to exclude such lands from the boundaries of the district and set a date for the hearing of all interested parties as to whether said lands should be excluded or not. The said notice, which shall contain a statement of the time and place of said hearing, shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said district, over a period of two weeks at least once each week.

After the said hearing, the board of trustees, if it believes that such lands will not be benefited by remaining in the district, shall by resolution passed by unanimous vote declare said lands excluded from the district. The exclusion of such lands shall not affect the organization of the district nor invalidate any of the proceedings which may have theretofore been or thereafter be taken by the said board or any other body pursuant to the provisions hereof.

The said resolution shall be subject to judicial review as to the facts contained therein and as to the regularity of the proceedings pursuant to which it was passed, by any court of competent jurisdiction."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "July", and insert in lieu thereof the word "January".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 894—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes and correcting the lighting in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sixteen", and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "lighting", insert the following: "and installing ventilating systems".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 871—An act providing for the acquisition by the State, by purchase, condemnation, gift or other legal means, of any land or other property or right determined to be essential to the protection of the interests of the State for purposes of flood control, river flow control and equation, irrigation, reclamation, power development or any one or more of such or other public uses; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments in valuation thereto and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "empowered", insert the following: "in its discretion".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "acquire", insert the following: "within two years from the date when this act shall become effective".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "uses", and insert a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, in case any such acquisition is made by condemnation any proceeding to condemn may be commenced within two years from the date when this act shall become effective."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "California", insert the following: "in its discretion, within two years from the date when this act shall become effective,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "condemn", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or commence proceedings in a court of competent jurisdiction to condemn,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", *provided* that any portion of said amount not so expended within two years from the date this act becomes effective except so much thereof as may be necessary to prosecute proceedings in condemnation theretofore commenced, shall be returned into the general fund of the state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating $200,000 to be expended by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works for the purpose of operating and maintaining such of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District as may by law be imposed upon the State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 314—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Earl Gates as executor of the last will and testament of P. H. Kerrigan, deceased, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 586—An act to provide for the purchase by the State of California under certain conditions of certificates of sale of property sold for delinquent assessments of irrigation districts, and for the disposition through the State Land Settlement Board of property acquired by the State pursuant to the purchase of such certificates, and for the management by the California Bond Certification Commission, under certain conditions, of irrigation districts in which the State has so acquired an interest in lands.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 764—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 781—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L. B. Collins.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 859—An act to amend section 2533 of the Political Code, relating to the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 873—An act to provide for the impounding and utilization of the waters of the American River for flood control, river flow control and equation, domestic use, irrigation, reclamation, power development, or any one or more of such or other public uses; authorizing the State Department of Finance to acquire for the State property useful in connection therewith; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments and of public and private agencies in relation thereto; authorizing the leasing of property of the State for any one or more of such uses and specifying certain terms and conditions to which said lease shall be subject; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 895—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4276*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 891—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 892—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 890—An act to amend the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917 as amended, by adding two new sections to be known as sections 36½ and 55½, relating to authorization to the State Compensation Insurance Fund to insure against liability under, and to the Industrial Accident Commission to assist in the enforcement of the United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Worker's Compensation Act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or damages".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the laws of the United States and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "of this state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "insure", insert the word "California".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution of the State, relating to the compensation of county officers and jurors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.
MIXTER.
FISHER
SPALDING.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
WEST.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll-bridge franchises by boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

HON. JAMES A. MILLER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Hon. James A. Miller, member of the Assembly from the Thirty-second Assembly District, in the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Edgar C Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll-bridge franchises by boards of supervisors.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 846 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts,

Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Jones, McDonough, Nielsen, Roland, West, Witter, Woolwine, and Wright—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 839—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into congressional districts, and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 25, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. Section 117 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

117. The state is divided into eleven congressional districts, which shall be designated and constituted as follows:

1. First—The counties of Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Tuolumne and Yuba shall constitute the first congressional district

2 Second—The counties of Napa, Yolo, Sacramento, Solano, Contra Costa and San Joaquin shall constitute the second congressional district

3. Third—All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco comprising the twenty-eighth, thirty-first, thirtieth, thirty-second, thirty-third and twenty-second assembly districts, as such districts are constituted by section 78 of this code, as amended at the regular session of the Legislature commencing January 3, 1927, shall constitute the third congressional district.

4. Fourth—All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco not included in the third congressional district shall constitute the fourth congressional district

5. Fifth—The county of Alameda shall constitute the fifth congressional district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 30, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

6. Sixth—The counties of Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare and Kern shall constitute the sixth congressional district

7. Seventh—The counties of San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Benito, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura shall constitute the seventh congressional district.

8. Eighth—All that portion of the county of Los Angeles comprising the fifty-eighth, fifty-ninth, sixtieth, sixty-second, sixty-third, sixty-fourth, sixty-sixth and sixty-seventh assembly districts shall constitute the eighth congressional district.

9. Ninth—All that portion of the county of Los Angeles comprising the fifty-first, fifty-second, fifty-third, fifty-fourth, sixty-first, sixty-eighth and sixty-ninth assembly districts shall constitute the ninth congressional district.

10. Tenth—All that portion of the county of Los Angeles not included in the eighth and ninth congressional districts shall constitute the tenth congressional district.

11. Eleventh—The counties of San Bernardino, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Mono, Inyo and Imperial shall constitute the eleventh congressional district.

SEC. 2 The provisions of this act shall become effective at the same time as an act entitled "An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the state into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act" enacted at the forty-seventh regular session of the Legislature in 1927 and shall not go into effect until or unless the above mentioned act becomes effective.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 839, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

The question being on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Wright, Melville, McPherson, Jost and Oliva demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Lyons, Heisinger and Byrne, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the report of Select Committee of One and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report of Select Committee of One and amendments refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Baum, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Jones, Keaton, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Wherrell, Witter, and Woolwine—21

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, James A, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roland, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

These proposed amendments—a copy of the Baum bill—is the most unfair reapportionment proposition I have ever seen, and I say this with an experience of four terms working on reapportionment measures.

Under them District No. 1 embraces 27 counties, which is nearly one-half the number in the State, these counties having a population, as per the 1920 census, of over 350,000 people; other districts proposed in the amendments have less than 250,000 population which shows a disparity of over 100,000 as between districts.

No bill of such unfair apportionment should receive our consideration.

Therefore we should defeat these amendments.

S. L. HEISINGER.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

We are not opposed to a fair reapportionment of congressional districts and stood ready to support the so called "Baum" bill—A. B. No. 4—to give an additional Congressional District to Los Angeles County if amended to constitute a fair redistricting of all the territory in the State, or to support a resolution to withdraw that bill from committee with the assurance from the author that he would so amend the bill, but the sponsors of the Baum bill voluntarily refrained from attempting to amend or to withdraw the bill.

We can not, however, at this late date in the session support any controversial amendment to Senate Bill No. 839, the uncontroverted purpose of which bill is

simply to make the boundaries of the present congressional districts conform to the new assembly district lines, as fixed by the provisions of Senate Bill No. 490 passed at this session, in conformity with the State constitution, section 37 of article IV.

To adopt the proposed amendment at this time would jeopardize, if not defeat, the final passage of Senate Bill No 839.

J. J. MURPHY.
CHRIS N. JESPERSEN.
R. F. FISHER.
VERNON F. GANT.
D. P. ANDERSON.
B. S CRITTENDEN.
F. C. CLOWDSLEY.
S. L HEISINGER.
FRANK L. COOMBS
R. P. EASLEY
VAN BERNARD
CHAS A. FOSTER.
H. E. DILLINGER.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE.

Senate Bill No 839—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into congressional districts, and defining and establishing such districts.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 839 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Ball, Burns, Carter, Hornblower, and Lyons—5.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 856—An act transferring the operation and control of certain of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District to the Department of Public Works, and providing that the cost thereof shall be paid by the State and relieving said district and the Reclamation Board and its members from responsibility and liability for operation or maintenance of flood control works; providing for the cancellation of bonds of said district authorized but not sold; authorizing the Reclamation Board to levy a supplementary assessment and to order called assessments levied in connection with Project No. 6; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said district based on and secured by assessments upon the land within the boundaries of Project No. 6 of said district; authorizing the validation of said bonds; authorizing the State Board of Control to purchase and invest in warrants and bonds of said district; authorizing land owners within said Project No. 6 to pay assessments in warrants or bonds of said district; adding to, taking away from and altering an act known as the Reclamation Board Act, approved December 24, 1911, as amended, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 856 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley,

Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Carter, Davis, and Woolwine—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 723 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Cloudman, Dillinger, Flynn, Foster, Hornblower, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Reindollar, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, and Woodbridge—14.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, Melville, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, West, Wherrell, Witter, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Reindollar moved that Senate Bill No 717 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

The question being on re-referring Senate Bill No. 717 to Committee on Education.

Motion carried

Senate Bill No. 885—An act providing for the investigation by the California Highway Commission of the operation of toll bridges in California and any matters connected therewith, and for the submission of a report thereon to the forty-eight session of the Legislature embodying recommendations with reference to the taking over of any existing bridge or bridges by the State with a plan for financing acquisition of same and the amortization of the costs by tolls or the construction of toll bridges and any other pertinent matters relating to the same problem.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 885 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Neilsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, Roscoe J., Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Duval, Eddy, Gant, Jost, Kelsey, Little, Lyons, Melville, Murphy, Patterson, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Walters, Witter, and Woolwine—22.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 409 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Burns, Flynn, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Oliva, Reindollar, Spalding, and Wherrell—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of the superior judge in Contra Costa County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 597 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for non-conformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Gray, Wagy and McKinley, and that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following:

That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendment and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 14, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 18, 1927, after the word "structure", strike out the comma and the balance of the line; also the words "owned or operated" in line 47.

WOOLWINE,
SEWELL,
LITTLE,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

GRAY,
WAGY,
McKINLEY,
Senate Committe on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report of Committee on Free Conference.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*ccc* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino, Orange and Sacramento—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 290?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 6 to 8, of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the semicolon in line 6, and the words "three thousand dollars of which shall be

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended April 4, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "three hundred dollars of which shall be paid by the"; also strike out lines 15 and 16, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 290 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to

amend sections 514, 515, and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the superintendent of public instruction—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put. Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 920?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, after the title of the printed bill, insert the following:
"The people of the State of California do enact as follows:"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 920 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Remdollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 677?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and comma "commission,", insert the following "in the manner hereinafter provided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 8 to 11, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "hereinbefore provided for. There is hereby created a Tamalpais state park fund. Whenever there shall be deposited in the said Tamalpais state park fund any sum of money other than the appropriation made hereby the controller shall transfer from the general fund to the said Tamalpais state park fund from the appropriation made hereby an amount equal to one-half of said amount so deposited in said Tamalpais state park fund. The state treasurer is hereby authorized to receive contributions in any amount and from any source whatsoever and credit the same to the said Tamalpais state park fund. All expenditures from said Tamalpais state park fund shall be made solely for the acquisition of land suitable for the said park hereinbefore provided for. Such expenditures from said fund shall be made upon the written order of the president of said commission and audited by the state board of control, or other proper authorities, who must allow the same and direct payment thereof to be made, and the controller shall draw warrants therefor on the state treasury for the payment of the same to the said Tamalpais state park commission out of the said Tamalpais state park fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 41 to 52, and strike out all of page 4 of the printed bill, as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 10. In the event of the creation by law, of a department of natural resources the said department shall succeed to and is hereby invested with all the powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the Tamalpais state park commission and of the several officers, deputies and employees of said commission, and whenever by

the provisions of any statute or law now in force or that may hereafter be enacted a duty or jurisdiction is imposed or authority conferred upon said commission or the officers, deputies or employees thereof by any statute the enforcement of which is transferred to the department, such duty, jurisdiction and authority are hereby imposed upon and transferred to the department of natural resources and the appropriate officers thereof with the same force and effect as though the title of said department of natural resources had been specifically set forth and named therein in lieu of the name of said commission, or any officer, deputy or employee thereof. Said commission and offices, the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of which are so transferred and vested in the department of natural resources, and the positions of all officers, deputies and employees hereunder, shall be abolished and shall have no further legal existence, but the statutes and laws under which they existed and all laws prescribing their duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction, together with all lawful rules and regulations established thereunder are hereby expressly continued in force.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 677 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend sections 30 and 77 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to the Chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles and registration fees—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 775?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "sections thirty and", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 3 and 4, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the following: "chief of the division of motor vehicles and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended, strike out lines 1 to 21, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 77 of the "California vehicle act", approved May 30, 1923, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 775 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Supreme Court justices—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 76?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3, 4, and 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"736. The annual salary of the chief justice of the supreme court is the sum of twelve thousand dollars and the annual salary of each of the associate justices of the".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 76 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 948?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words "and Napa".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 27, 1927, strike out the comma at the end of said line; also strike out lines 7 and 8, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 948 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*xx*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 657?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, after the words and letter "thirty-seven *x*", insert the letter "*x*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, after the figures and letter "737*x*", insert the letter "*x*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, after the figures and letter "737*x*", insert the letter "*x*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1927, strike out lines 5, 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "hundred dollars."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 657 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehau, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1291?

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1291 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 737*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Alpine—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1287?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1927, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend section seven hundred thirty-seven *a* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Alpine.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1927, strike out lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section 737*a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1287 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1239?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "annum".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1239 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1152?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the words "one-half of which shall be"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1152 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1060?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1927, at the end of line 4, strike out the comma; also strike out lines 5, 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1060 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant,

Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of the superior court in and for Merced County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the comma at the end of said line; also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1927, after the words "judge of", insert the following: "the superior court in and for".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 907?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out the following: "declaring the policy of the state in respect to old age pensions,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 25, inclusive, and on page 2, strike out lines 1 to 51, inclusive, and on page 3, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out the following: "Sec. 3.", and insert in lieu thereof "Section 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, as amended April 26, 1927, strike out lines 15 to 26, inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 907 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737e of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in the county of San Mateo—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 881?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "lars."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 881 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737p of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 758?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "per annum".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 758 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*uw*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 739?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, after the words and letter "thirty-seven *u*", insert the letter "*w*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, after the figures and letter "737*w*", insert the letter "*w*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, after the figures and letter "737*w*" insert the letter "*w*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following; "dollars each."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 739 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 729?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "dollars."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 729 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738a of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 655?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half of which", also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 655 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 560?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "of", preceding the word "arrest", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "of", preceding the word "arrest", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the words "deputy office", and insert in lieu thereof the words "office deputy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out the word "Marysville", and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 560 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 461—An act providing for the organization and government of public service districts for the purpose of establishing and maintaining and providing for the sanitation of public labor camps—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 461?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the amended printed bill, following "taining", insert the following: "and providing for the sanitation of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 49, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "make such changes in the boundaries of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "exclude such territory from".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 19 to 24, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC 8. The trustees shall establish, construct and maintain a labor camp as defined in section 2 of the act and shall provide for the supply of water to such camp and provide the necessary sanitary facilities and for such purpose the trustees shall have the power and authority to enter into contract and to expend money and incur liabilities in behalf of the district, shall have the power to adopt an official seal and shall make such rules and regulations as shall be necessary for the management of the district and generally to do all things necessary to properly establish, maintain and conduct the labor camp and maintain a proper water supply and sanitary conditions.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6 of the amended printed bill, strike out lines 37, 38 and 39, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thereupon include in the annual tax levy a tax of not to exceed five mills per dollar in any one year upon all of the property within such district sufficient in their opinion to raise the amount of money necessary for the purposes of the district."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 461 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*z*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 428?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words and letter "thirty-seven *r*", and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-seven *z*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the figures and letter "737*r*", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "737*z*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the figures and letter "737*r*", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "737*z*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "one-half"; also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 428 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 427?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "one-half"; also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 427 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 395?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "life:", insert the following: "*provided, however*, this section is to apply to all persons now serving sentence in a state prison for murder of the second degree and the sentence of such persons may be modified or reduced to conform to this section."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 395 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 296?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma at the end of said line, also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 296 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 256?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the word "one-", also strike out lines 6 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 256 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes" approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto, two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4, relating to the manner of entering into such joint construction agreements and authorizing the incurring of an indebtedness for the purpose of constructing any such building—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 195?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 5, 1927, strike out the word and period "therefor.", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for the purpose of constructing any such building."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 195 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to

add a new section to be numbered 737*ll* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 188?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the words and letter "thirty-seven *l*", insert the letter "*l*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the figures and letter "737*l*", insert the letter "*l*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures and letter "737*l*", insert the letter "*l*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half of"; also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 188 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 7?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half", and all of lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 7 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 49?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half of", and all of lines 5, 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 49 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*qq*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 62?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "the sum of two thousand five hundred"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 62 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add

a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737s, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put. Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 63?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "the sum of two thousand five hundred"; also strike out lines 7 and 8, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 63 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737r, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 64?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the comma and the words "the sum of two thousand five hundred"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 64 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737l, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 73?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half of", also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 73 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor · Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 75?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the words "four thousand dollars of which shall"; also strike out lines 7 and 8, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 75 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the words "one-half of which"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 153?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the words and letter "thirty seven *r*", insert the following: "*r*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the figures and letter "737*r*", insert the letter "*r*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures and letter "737*r*", insert the letter "*r*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the words "one-half of which"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 153 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code, which section was added to said code by chapter 877 of the Statutes of 1921, and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1206?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the words "Political Code", insert a comma and the following: "which section was added to said code by chapter 877 of the statutes of 1921,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Political Code" insert a comma and the following: "which section was added to said code by the provisions of chapter 877 of the statutes of 1921,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the words "one-half of"; also strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 10 to 12, of the printed bill, strike out the comma in line 10, and the following: "one-half of which shall be paid by the state and the other half thereof by the county of Fresno.", and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1206 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 778?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1927, strike out the semicolon; also strike out lines 5 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 778 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved

June 15, 1923, as amended to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges trading in butter, cheese or eggs—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 826?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1927, strike out all of lines 36 to 40, inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 826 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend sections 2440 and 2460 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, powers, duties, compensation and expenses of the Board of Pilot Commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia and of the officers and employees of said board, creating a special fund in the state treasury for the receipt of moneys collected by said board and providing for the disbursement of the moneys in said fund—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1256?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 9, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend sections two thousand four hundred forty and two thousand four hundred sixty of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, powers, duties, compensation and expenses of the board of pilot commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia and of the officers and employees of said board, creating a special fund in the state treasury for the receipt of moneys collected by said board and providing for the disbursement of the moneys in said fund.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 20, 1927, strike out lines 1 to 21, inclusive; also strike out pages 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Section 2440 of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2440. There must be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice of the Senate, three experienced and competent shipmasters or nautical men, citizens of the United States, and residents in either of the cities of San Francisco, Oakland, Vallejo or Benicia, or of the towns of Brooklyn or Alameda, a board of pilot commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island, and Benicia. Each of the members of said board shall receive as compensation for their services such amount as may be determined from time to time by the board. The board shall have the power to appoint and fix the compensation of a secretary, a treasurer and such other employees as may be necessary. The members of the board and its officers and employees shall be allowed their actual necessary expenses in the performance of their duties.

SEC. 2. Section 2460 of said code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2460. Every pilot of the harbor of San Francisco, Mare Island, Vallejo, and Benicia must, once in each month, upon blanks to be furnished to them by the board

of pilot commissioners, render a verified account to the board of all moneys received by him, or by any other person for him, or on his account, and pay five per cent thereof to the board, in full compensation for its official services, for the services of its secretary and treasurer, and all incidental expenses. Such account shall give the name of each vessel piloted, and the master thereof, and of each vessel for which pilotage has been charged or collected, and the amount charged to or collected from each, and any rebates made and allowed and the amounts thereof, where the same is registered, the depth of its draft, its tonnage, whether inward or outward bound, and whether the amount so received, collected, or charged is for full pilotage or half-pilotage, and the secretary shall record such account in full detail in a book prepared for that purpose, which book shall at all times be open to public inspection. Any and all moneys received by the board under the provisions of this section and any and all other moneys received by the board under or pursuant to the provisions of any other act or law, shall be accounted for at the close of each month to the state controller in such form as the controller may prescribe and at the same time, on the order of the controller, shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the board of pilot commissioners' special fund, which fund is hereby created.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1256 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioner—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 66?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the period and the word "oaths", strike all of lines 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In counties of the second class he shall have such assistants and be allowed all such expenses as are necessary for the proper performance of his duties, such assistants to be appointed by a majority of the judges of the superior court. The salaries of such assistants and the expenses incurred shall be paid out of the general fund of the county on orders signed by the presiding judge or by a majority of the judges of the superior court."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 66 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add

a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 109?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "dollars."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 109 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737*o* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 586?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the words "thirty-seven", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thirty-seven *o*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out lines 3 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu theerof the following: "sand dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four", and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Judges" and insert the word "Judge".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Counties" and insert the word "County".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and Mona R. Five", and insert the words "is four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the County of Inyo,", and insert the words "the salaries of judges of the superior court of the counties of Inyo and Mona are each".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 586 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*e*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 105?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the word "two"; also strike out lines 6 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 105 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 160?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the semicolon and the words "one-half"; also strike out lines 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the word "salaries", and insert in lieu thereof the word "salary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 28, 1927, strike out the word "judges", and insert in lieu thereof the word "judge".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 160 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 869?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended, after the word and comma "things,", add the following: "that if the purchaser has taken advantage of the benefits of the California veteran welfare act or of an act entitled "An act to provide educational opportunities for persons who served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, both of which acts were adopted by the forty-fourth session of the Legislature of the State of California, he shall before entering into possession or control of such farm or home return to the California veterans' welfare board an amount of money equal to that received by him for such educational aid, provided said amount shall not exceed the sum of $100. Any money so returned shall be deposited in the veterans' farm and home building fund and used in carrying out the purposes of this act. The contract shall also provide among other things".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 869 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1075?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 25, 1927, strike out the words "not to", and in line 27 strike out the word "exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "copyists", insert the words "and clerks", and in line 38, after the semicolon, insert "and such index clerks as the tax collector may appoint at a compensation of", and strike out the balance of the line, and in line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "rolls", insert the following: "and copied by such index clerk.", and in line 40, before the word "clerks", strike out the word "index".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 5, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "on", strike out the words "the presentation", and insert in lieu thereof the word "presenting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "and", strike out the words "said index".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, strike out all of line 48 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "clerks shall be paid on presenting and filing of claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out all the balance of that line following the word "month", and all of line 4, down to and including the comma after the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 21, of the printed bill, following the word "assessors", insert a comma, and strike out the balance of the line, and strike out all of lines 22 and 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "clerks and copyists, shall be paid out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid on the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 10, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 1, 1927, strike out all of lines 49, 50, 51 and 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 11 of the printed bill, beginning with line 1, strike out everything down to and including the word "the" in line 28, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The sheriff six thousand dollars per annum. All mileage for service of papers in civil actions arising either inside or outside of the county, excepting actions in which the county is interested. All fees for service of papers in civil action. All expenses incurred in criminal cases and mileage in criminal cases, for each mile actually and necessarily traveled by automobile, ten cents per mile. *Provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One undersheriff at a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month; one deputy sheriff at a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; two deputy sheriffs at a salary of two hundred dollars per month each; one deputy sheriff to act in criminal cases, at a salary of two hundred dollars per month; one deputy sheriff to act as day jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; one deputy sheriff to act as night jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; two deputy sheriffs to act as bailiffs at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars each per month; two deputy sheriffs at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month each; one stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; one office stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month; *provided*, that the sheriff may employ from one to five persons to act as deputy sheriffs at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day each, when in the judgment of the sheriff such deputies are necessary; *provided, however*, that the total amount of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 11, line 50, of the printed bill, after the word "month", strike out the balance of the line, and all of lines 51 and 52.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 12, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 12, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and such copyists as the county recorder may appoint at a salary of four dollars and twenty-five cents per day, each; *provided, however*, that the total salary on a per diem basis paid to such last named copyists, shall not exceed the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and such last named copyists, employed on a per diem basis, shall be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county,

of their duly verified claims therefor, from the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid. The salaries of the other deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for, shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 12, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 12, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not to exceed", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 13, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the words "not to exceed five", and insert in lieu thereof the words "three and one-half". And on same page, same line of the printed bill, after the semicolon, insert the following: "and such clerks as the tax collector may appoint at a salary of four dollars per day each:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 13, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "at not to", and in line 22, same page, strike out the word "exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 13, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twelve and", and in line 51, same page, strike out the words "one-half", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 14, strike out all of lines 41, 42, 43 and 44 of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such additional deputy assessors at a salary of seven and one-half dollars per day each, and such additional clerks at a salary of four and one-half dollars per day each, and such additional copyists at a salary of four dollars per day each as the assessor may appoint; *provided, however*, that the total compensation of said additional deputy assessors, clerks and copyists shall not exceed the sum of seven thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 17, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not to exceed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 18, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twelve", and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 18, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and one-half".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 18, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following "*provided, however*, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to or limit the provisions of paragraph sixteen of this section, providing for mileage of supervisors in counties of this class."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1075 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 204 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Witter, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-nine minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, April 29, 1927.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 29, 1927.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Foster, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—70.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Anderson, Roscoe J., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. George Miller, father of Assemblyman James A. Miller, of Aurora, Oregon, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Mrs. Roscoe J. Anderson, wife; Leland Anderson, son, and Veda Lucille Anderson, daughter of Assemblyman Roscoe J. Anderson, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mrs. H. C. Dunlap, daughter of Frank L. Coombs; David C Dunlap, Frank L. Dunlap and Johnie Dunlap, sons of Mrs. Dunlap, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eddy:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

WHEREAS, The Reverend A. Watson Brown, Chaplain of the Assembly during the forty-seventh session, has by his prayers each morning brought to this body valuable inspiration, and has reminded the members of their obligations not only to their God, but to their fellow men, to the State, and the nation; and

WHEREAS, His intellectual attainments and depth of thought have compelled the admiration of all within his hearing and have won the personal regard of all the members; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly hereby expresses appreciation of his services as Chaplain and assures him that the members will forever retain kind remembrances of him; and it is further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to have printed 250 booklets containing the prayers offered at this session, and that he send one of said booklets to each member of the Assembly and to each Desk Clerk of the Assembly, and the remaining booklets to Reverend A. Watson Brown.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Eddy unanimously adopted.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution, relating to manner of fixing compensation of certain officers and jurors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to compensation for injured employees suffering from preexisting injury, disability or condition;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to declare provisions in contracts of employment whereby either party undertakes not to join, become or remain a member of a labor union or of any organization of employers or undertakes in such event to withdraw from the contract of employment, to be against public policy and void.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, and 10 of an act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in State lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of State lands; to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, as amended, relating to leases, repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith and making this act an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property, requiring written instructions, the prepayment of fees, and notification to the sheriff and registrar of titles when the property is registered under the Land Title Law, as adopted by initiative act at the election of November 3, 1914.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No 17—Relative to federal taxation of community property in California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes,

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, Statutes of 1927.

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 865—An act to authorize the Attorney General, as pro chem ami or next friend acting for and on behalf of the Indians of California, to bring suit or suits against the United States in the Court of Claims in the event that the Congress of the United States authorizes the same, and making an appropriation to cover expenses incident thereto;

Also: Senate Bill No. 888—An act to provide for a survey of and works on the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and authorizing the appointment of a committee to confer with commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington for the purpose of considering and recommending the enactment of effective and uniform laws governing the traffic in narcotic drugs and related matters;

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of the constitution of said State by amending section 3 of article XII thereof, relating to the liability of stockholders and directors;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11—Relating to flood protection on the lower Colorado River.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 281—An act to add a new section to be numbered 8½ to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 298—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the levy of taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 299—An act to amend sections 1830, 1836 and 1840 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to elementary and district school funds and taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 1612*a* of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to the time of preparing and filing school budgets;

Also: Senate Bill No. 377—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted;

Also: Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant;

Also: Senate Bill No. 513—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 687—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10*a*, and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 12, relating to the formation and dissolution of county fire protection districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom and the satisfaction of the obligations thereof;

Also, Senate Bill No. 701—An act to amend Political Code by adding thereto a section to be known as section 633*aa*, relating to license to act as life, accident or health insurance agent.

Also: Senate Bill No. 740—An act to amend an act of the Legislature of the State of California known and designated as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 28¾, 33*a*, 33*b*, 33*c*, 36¾ and 37*a*, relating to the issuance of immediate possession bonds, the entering of stipulated judgments in condemnation suits and hearings thereon, the issuance of bonds for acquisitions and improvements, and the entering of more than one final judgment in a condemnation action.

Also: Senate Bill No. 802—An act to amend section 19*x*5 of the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to compensation and expenses of probation officers, their deputies, assistants and employees in counties of the fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Imperial;

Also: Senate Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 737*w* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend section 738*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Monterey;

Also, Senate Bill No. 48—An act reserving certain lands situated in Mission Bay, in the county of San Diego, to be used as a State park, providing for the management of the same by a commission, prescribing the duties and powers of such commission;

Also Senate Bill No. 82—An act to amend section 817 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers;

Also Senate Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*cc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges,

Also, Senate Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 738*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Tulare and Kings;

Also: Senate Bill No. 263—An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of park, recreation and parkway districts and annexations thereto and withdrawals therefrom, designating and setting forth the powers of the governing bodies of such districts and providing for the levying and collecting of taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof,

Also, Senate Bill No. 206—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927

MR SPEAKER, I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 327—An act to amend section 1280*a*, of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds, providing that bail bonds shall constitute lien on property, and providing for the filing of notice with the county recorder, the justification of sureties on bonds, and for subsequent release of lien by the court;

Also: Senate Bill No. 417—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses,

Also: Senate Bill No 573—An act to amend sections 224, 226 and 227 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 224*m*, to the Civil Code, relating to adoption;

Also: Senate Bill No 585—An act to authorize cities, counties, and cities and counties, to establish official master plans and to appoint planning commissions; prescribing the powers and duties of said planning commissions; providing for the approval of plats, for penalties for nonconformance thereto, that building permits shall conform to official master plans, for establishing and enforcing future street lines, for the appointment of regional planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties,

Also Senate Bill No. 597—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 819—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park in Contra Costa County;

Also: Senate Bill No. 823—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*a*, providing for the supervision of ports by the Department of Public Works.

Also Senate Bill No. 846—An act to add four new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 2882, 2883, 2884 and 2885, respectively, relating to the extension of toll bridge franchises by boards of supervisors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 856—An act transferring the operation and control of certain of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District to the Department of Public Works, and providing that the cost thereof shall be paid by the State for a limited period and relieving said district and the Reclamation Board and its members from responsibility and liability for operation or maintenance of flood control works during said period; providing for the cancellation of bonds of said district authorized but not sold, authorizing the Reclamation Board to levy a supplementary assessment and to order called assessments levied in connection with Project No. 6; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said district based on and secured by assessments upon the land within the boundaries of Project No. 6 of said district; authorizing the validation of said bonds; authorizing the State Board of Control to purchase and invest in warrants and bonds of said district; authorizing land owners within said Project No. 6 to pay assessments in warrants or bonds of said district, adding to, taking away from and altering an act known as the Reclamation Board Act, approved December 24, 1911, as amended, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 871—An act providing for the acquisition by the State, by purchase, condemnation, gift or other legal means, of any land or other property or right determined to be essential to the protection of the interests of the State for purposes of flood control, river flow control and equation, irrigation, reclamation, power development or any one or more of such or other public uses; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments in valuation thereto and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose;

Also: Senate Bill No. 894—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes and correcting the lighting in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents,

Also: Senate Bill No. 890—A bill to amend the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917 as amended, by adding two new sections to be known as sections 36½ and 55½ relating to authorization to the State Compensation Insurance Fund to insure against liability under, and to the Industrial Accident Commission to assist in the enforcement of the United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 314—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Earl Gates as executor of the last will and testament of P. H. Kerrigan, deceased, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Wright moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and seven minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 20, 1923—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 32?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 32 by the following vote:

AYES—Ball and Croter—2.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Bernard, Carter, Clowdsley, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—44.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Lenehan, Spalding and Little as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 32.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 32 the following Senators Christian, Allen, J. M., and Ingram, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Christian, Allen, J. M., and Ingram, and that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

LENEHAN,
SPALDING,
LITTLE,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Neilsen, Hawes and Duval as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 32.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 417—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making an appropriation for its expenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 417 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, Roscoe J. Ball, Baum, Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 819—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of additional lands for the enlargement of Mount Diablo Park in Contra Costa County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 819 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

HON. ROSCOE J. ANDERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twelve minutes a.m., Hon. Roscoe J. Anderson, member of the Assembly from the Third Assembly District, in the chair.

FIRST ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Senate Bill No. 883—An act to create a flood control district to be called "American River Flood Control District"; to provide for the control and disposition of storm and flood waters and for the protection of waterways, property, public highways and public places in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property within or without the district; providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds and maintenance costs of said district by special assessments raised in said district, and the enforcement of such bonds and assessments, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the annexation of property to said district; and providing for the government and control of said district; and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; authorizing the incurring of an obligation, not exceeding $25,000, by said district in advance of the authorization of bonds by said district; providing for the redemption of warrants evidencing said indebtedness by the State and for the repayment of one-half of the moneys so advanced by the State for such redemption, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 for said purpose, and declaring this act to be an emergency measure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 883 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fourteen minutes a.m., Hon. Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 894—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes and correcting the lighting in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 894 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 871—An act providing for the acquisition by the State, by purchase, condemnation, gift or other legal means, of any land or other property or right determined to be essential to the protection of the interests of the State for purposes of flood control, river flow control and equation, irrigation, reclamation, power development or any one or more of such or other public uses; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments in valuation thereto and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 871 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Carter, Cloudman, and Little—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating $200,000 to be expended by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works for the purpose of operating and maintaining such of the flood control works of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District as may by law be imposed upon the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 217 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 586—An act to provide for the purchase by the State of California under certain conditions of certificates of sale of property sold for delinquent assessments of irrigation districts, and for the disposition through the State Land Settlement Board of property acquired by the State pursuant to the purchase of such certificates, and for the management by the California Bond Certification Commission, under certain conditions, of irrigation districts in which the State has so acquired an interest in lands.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 586 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Heisinger, Reindollar, West, and Wright—5.
NOES—Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, and Mr. Speaker—51.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 764—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 764 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 781—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L. B. Collins.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 781 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr Speaker—55.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 859—An act to amend section 2533 of the Political Code, relating to the San Francisco Harbor improvement fund.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 859 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 873—An act to provide for the impounding and utilization of the waters of the American River for flood control, river flow control and equation, domestic use, irrigation, reclamation, power development, or any one or more of such or other public uses; authorizing the State Department of Finance to acquire for the State property useful in connection therewith; defining the powers and duties of State officers and departments and of public and private agencies in relation thereto; authorizing the leasing of property of the State for any one or more of such uses and specifying certain terms and conditions to which said lease shall be subject; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 873 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—Melville and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSISTANT CLERK ROBINSON READING.

Senate Bill No. 895—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 4276*b*, relating to the compensation and expenses of the county surveyor in counties of the forty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 895 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball Baum, Bernard, Burns, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—Melville and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 891—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 891 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 892—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 892 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 890—An act to amend the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, as amended, by adding two new

sections to be known as sections 36½ and 55½, relating to authorization to the State Compensation Insurance Fund to insure against liability under, and to the Industrial Accident Commission to assist in the enforcement of the United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 890 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jones, Lenehan, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Cloudman, Easley, Jewett, Keaton, Little, Melville, Mixter, Patterson, and Walters—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution of the State, relating to the compensation of county officers and jurors.

Constitutional amendment read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 27.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution of the State, relating to the compensation of county officers and jurors.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring. That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-seventh regular session commencing on the third day of January, 1927, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 5 of article XI of the constitution be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. The Legislature, by general and uniform laws, shall provide for the election or appointment, in the several counties, of boards of supervisors, sheriffs, county clerks, district attorneys, and such other county, township, and municipal officers as public convenience may require, and shall prescribe their duties and fix their terms of office. It shall regulate the compensation of all such officers, in proportion to duties, and may also establish fees to be charged and collected by such officers for services performed in their respective offices, in the manner and for the uses provided by law, and for this purpose may classify the counties by population; and it shall provide for the strict accountability of county and township officers for all fees which may be collected by them, and for all public and municipal moneys which may be paid to them, or officially come into their possession. It may regulate the compensation of grand and trial jurors in all courts within the classes of counties herein permitted to be made.

Senate Bill No. 234—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualify applicants, with the designation of certified public accountants; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 3; by repealing sections 3*a*, 4 and 5; and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, relating to issuance of certificates, suspension of certificates and violations thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 234 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Duval, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, McPherson, Melville, Patterson, Roberts, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Walters, Wherrell, and Woolwine—21.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Keaton, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Rochester, Roland, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—43.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 539—An act to amend section 663 of the Political Code, relating to licensing of insurance agents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 539 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Ball, Baum, Bishop, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Gant, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Byrne, Crittenden, Croter, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, McDonough, Miller, James A., Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Williamson, and Woodbridge—18.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the Sergeant-at-Arms was authorized to procure and serve luncheon to the members of the Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 269—An act to amend section 67*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the superior court of Los Angeles County, increasing the number of judges thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 269 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts,

Rochester, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolutions by Mr. Melville—*Resolved*, That in order to pay the necessary expenses for the disposition of the closing business of this Assembly after adjournment, and for the payment of all bills, such as supplies from the purchasing department, telephoning, telegraphing, expressage, postage, etc., and for such other bills that may be presented, accompanied by proper vouchers covering such expenses, the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), or such portion of said amount as may be necessary to carry out the above, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same;

Also: *Resolved*, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $31.34 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

Western Union Telegraph Co.	$2 34
Virginia Crossan, illuminating memorials	29 00
	$31 34

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

(Signed out) MELVILLE, Chairman.
FRY.
EDDY.
NIELSEN.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 409?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede by the following vote:

AYES—None.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Clowdsley, Crawford, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Hawes,

Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Patterson, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright and Mr. Speaker—50.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Reindollar, Clowdsley and Jewett as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 409.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 409 the following Senators Weller, Breed and McKinley, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE

The following report of the Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Weller, Breed and McKinley, and that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

REINDOLLAR,
CLOWDSLEY,
JEWETT,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Little, Feigenbaum and Wherrell, as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 409.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 409 the following Senators: Lyon, Christian and Handy, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment of habitual criminals—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate consisting of Senators Lyons, Christian and Handy, and that the Committee on Free Conference agrees upon and recommends that the Assembly concur in the amendments made by the Senate, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 27, 1927, after the comma following the word "felony" in line 3, insert the following: "who shall have been previously twice convicted".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9 of the printed bill, as amended April 27, 1927, strike out the word "for", and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

LITTLE,
FEIGENBAUM,
WHERRELL,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference

LYON,
CHRISTIAN,
HANDY,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Minter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 32 the following Senators: Hurley, West, and Murphy, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Hurley, West, and Murphy, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following:

That the Assembly recede from its amendments and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 27, 1927, strike out line 26, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "industrial accident commission, the sum of fifteen dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 27, 1927, strike out the period following the word "suffered", and add the following: "nor in the event that such disabled officer shall be otherwise engaged in a gainful occupation".

HAWES,
NIELSEN,
DUVAL,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

HURLEY,
WEST,
MURPHY,
Senate Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Snyder, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No 32—An act to amend section 30 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 7, 8, 9 and 10, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "eight members, consisting of four members of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, and four members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "nine members consisting of three members of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly, three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three citizens, two of whom shall be engineers, to be appointed by the governor"

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Parkman, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—47.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 120?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 20 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 120 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys; abolishing the accident prevention fund and disposing of balance in said fund, and making an appropriation for support of Industrial Accident Commission—*and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.*

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1130?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the title of the printed bill, as amended, after the word "fund", insert the following: "; and making an appropriation for support of industrial accident commission."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended, strike out the words "and all appro-", and insert in lieu thereof a period, and also strike out lines 4 and 5.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, after line 5, of the printed bill, as amended, add the following:

Out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, there is hereby appropriated the sum of two hundred four thousand dollars for support of industrial accident commission for the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1130 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss—and respectfully requests *your honorable body to concur in said amendments*

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By A. P. CRANER, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 212?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "earthquake,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the amended printed bill, after the period following the word "way", insert the following: "The insurance shall run in favor of and inure to the benefit of the owners of such personal property."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 212 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J, Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Byrne, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No 896—An act authorizing the Surveyor General of the State of California to lease certain tidelands in the county of San Diego.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Walters asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 896, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Walters:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 896 entitled "An act authorizing the Surveyor General of the State of California to lease certain tidelands in the county of San Diego", presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provisions of that section requiring that the bills shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be forthwith read for the second and third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 896—An act authorizing the Surveyor General of the State of California to lease certain tidelands in the county of San Diego.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 896—An act authorizing the Surveyor General of the State of California to lease certain tidelands in the county of San Diego.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 896 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 897—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1936 to part III, title IV, chapter II, article I of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Adjutant General.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 897, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Wright:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 897 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each house is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the first, second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 897—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1936 to part III, title IV, chapter II, article I of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Adjutant General.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 897—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1936 to part III, title IV, chapter II, article I of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Adjutant General.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 897 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO PRINT BILL.

Mr. Hornblower moved that 500 copies of Assembly Bill No. 393 be printed.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—and appointed Senators Garrison, Hollister and Chamberlin, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Crittenden, Duval and Nielsen as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Garrison, Hollister and Boggs, and that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

CRITTENDEN,
DUVAL,
NIELSEN,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Adams, Bernard and Mixter as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

WHEREAS, On April 22, 1927, the Assembly adopted Concurrent Resolution No. 34, which, according to its title, relates "to the state of conflict of the county of Inyo and the city of Los Angeles over the possession of water in Owens Valley"; and

WHEREAS, The undersigned members of the Assembly voted against said resolution and they desire to make and enter in the Journal this explanation of their votes, and in that behalf they declare.

First—The resolution, despite its title, does not state or show any conflict whatsoever between the two counties named or between any other interests over the possession of water in Owens Valley;

Second—The resolution, in addition to the fallacious and misleading character of its title, recites "that the power and light bureau of the city of Los Angeles has adopted a policy of ruthless destruction of the farm and community life of the Owens River Valley" and yet there was no evidence or showing whatsoever before committee or Assembly that the power and light bureau of that city ever adopted, carried out or had anything to do with any such policy as that alleged affecting said valley.

Third—The resolution is utterly lacking in fairness and candor in that it carefully conceals the fact that the alleged policy of destruction was merely the purchase by the city of Los Angeles from Owens Valley citizens and farmers at voluntary values and at fair and liberal prices lands and water rights in that valley in order to supplement the water supply of that city;

Fourth—Said resolution, being the very embodiment of gross and ridiculous error, unfairness and misinformation, was entitled to the vote of no member of the Legislature, and in justice to truth and fair play, and to the people of California, and particularly the people of the great city of Los Angeles, we felt obliged to vote against said resolution

WM. M BYRNE.
WM B. HORNBLOWER.
JAS. C FLYNN.
FRED C. HAWES.
WALTER J. LITTLE.
GEO W. ROCHESTER.
JOSEPH F BURNS.
JEROME V. SCOFIELD.
FREDERICK M ROBERTS.
H. C CLOUDMAN.
H. L. PARKMAN.
THOMAS J. LENEHAN.
LELAND R. JACOBSON.
B. J. FEIGENBAUM.
RAY WILLIAMSON.
ROBERT B. FRY.
CHARLES A. OLIVA.
H. F. MORRISON.
CLARE WOOLWINE.
HOWARD W. DAVIS.
HENRY E. CARTER.
WILLIS M. BAUM.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The engineers designated by Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, relative to the proposed "American River Flood Control District," reported as follows:

By Mr. Nielsen:

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, April 27, 1927.

To Assembly Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands,
Honorable Robert P. Easley, Chairman.

GENTLEMEN: Your committee yesterday afternoon designated a committee of engineers, consisting of representatives from the State Reclamation Board, the city of Sacramento, and city of North Sacramento, to hear objections to the inclusion of lands within the boundaries of the proposed American River Flood Control District as provided in Senate Bill No. 883, introduced by Senator Inman. Following, is a report of this engineering committee:

A meeting was held in the council chamber, in the city hall at Sacramento, at 9.00 a.m. on April 27th, at which approximately one hundred landowners appeared. Those objecting to having their lands included within the district were given an opportunity to so state, and a record was made of such objections, which are set forth in Exhibit "A" attached.

Senate Bill No. 883 provides for the formation of a flood control district without reference to any particular physical plan of flood control, reclamation or improvement, but providing means by which the problem can be studied and a suitable physical plan be evolved, and providing for the payment of the cost of such preliminary engineering work; that after such a plan has been formulated and approved by the proper authorities, the citizens of the district will have an opportunity to vote on the question of whether or not bonds shall be issued to carry out the proposed plan. The primary intent of the bill is to provide machinery through which a comprehensive study can be made.

Owing to the absence of a definite physical plan so far as the bill under consideration is concerned, the district boundaries should include all areas which might be benefited by any plan which might be selected

It therefore follows that the only feasible and logical basis for determining the preliminary boundaries of the district is to include, as nearly as possible, the areas which might be subject to flood under any circumstance, and under any conceivable plan. It is probable that parts of the area included will not be benefited by the plan finally adopted. However, the bill provides that assessments for the cost of putting such plan into execution shall be levied and collected in proportion to benefits, with the result that should land be included which is not benefited, such lands will be excluded from assessment and from all costs save the nominal cost of preliminary investigations.

Inasmuch as an exact determination of the areas to be benefited can not be made except in connection with a definite physical plan and after a thorough investigation and survey, it follows that it is not possible at this time to fix boundaries which will exclude all lands not benefited. It is the opinion of this committee that the boundary first determined and printed in the bill includes the area which would be subject to damage by flood as near as may be determined at this time.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Your engineering committee recommends that the boundaries of the district be fixed as set forth in the description hereto attached and marked Exhibit "B"

We further recommend that there be incorporated in the bill a provision whereby lands receiving no benefits from the proposed works, as determined in the first fixing of the zones of benefit, shall be permanently excluded from the district before a call is made for a special election to submit to the electors of the district the proposition to incur a bonded debt.

Respectfully submitted.

ENGINEERING COMMITTEE.
A. M. BARTON,
Chief Engineer, Reclamation Board.
A. J. WAGNER.
City Engineer of Sacramento.
W. K. REED,
City Engineer, North Sacramento.

J. N. BIDWELL, Secretary.

EXHIBIT "A."

G. A. Meister; reclamation district; L. Hinsdale.
N. ½ lot 4, 26-27, T and W, Sacramento; John Walther
White and Terry; Duncan, proprietor; at J and E city limit, joining on south; H E. White.
E ½ lot 3, W-X, 22-23; White; H E. White
Helen Simon; between White and Terry and Duncan; Mrs. Duncan.
W. ½ S. ½ lot 5, 22-23, K-L, V. L. Hatfield.
E. ½ lot 6, 28-29, O-P; V. L. Hatfield.
S ½ W. ½ S. 27-28, O-P; V. L. Hatfield.
W. ½ 2, 29-30, S-T, V. L. Hatfield.
J. H Burden, 10 acres, east of Cutter Brothers; J H. Burden.
Three lots, 28, Sacramento; J. H. Burden
C. C Perkins, at Perkins Station; C. C. Perkins.
Perkins & Co., in Sacramento City; C. C. Perkins.
Lots 81, 82, 83, 84, Oak Ridge Acres; S. W. Cole.
Lots 22, 23, Oak Knoll, Del Paso Heights; John and Lidia McKimy.
George Wiseman, east of Perkins Station; George Wiseman.
Caselman, east of Perkins Station; A I Dupenbrock.
Lulu Dwyer, east of Perkins Station; with Devlin and Devlin
Bertha Menke, east of Perkins Station; with Devlin and Devlin.
Josephine Glacken, east of Perkins Station; with Devlin and Devlin.
Lot Oak Knoll, West Del Paso Heights; A. J Burmeister.
5 acres, A, east of Perkins Station, south of American River; M. T. Harding.
Lot 2, K-L, 17-18; W. G. Hornlein.
Lots 5-6, 21, Johnston Heights; J. G. Smith.
Lots 10-11, Rose Avenue Tract; C. Laniger.
5 acres Sec. 11, Rancho Del Paso; John W. Hummel.

10 acres, one mile south of Robla School; Otto Bertholt
5 acres, S. ½ lot 304, Acme Acres; Thomas J. Beechinor.
Lot 5 A, subdivision Sec. 11, R. D. P.; Paul and Lina Matranga.
E. 1 58 acres lot 11, Sub. Sec. 11, R. D.; Paul and Lina Matranga.
Lot 12, Sub. Sec. 11, R. D.; Paul and Lina Matranga.
5 acres, lot 16, Oak Knoll, Del Paso Heights; Fred Standish.
10 acres, lots 20-21, Oak Knoll, Del Paso Heights; Ernst Bachli.
71 acres south of H street bridge; H. S. Moddison.
7 acres inside of levee, south of H street road; H. S. Moddison.
Lots 13-14, J Street Subd No. 5; H S. Moddison
S E. ¼ N.E. ¼ S.E. ¼ Sec. 45; Rancho Del Paso; represented by H. S. Moddison.
Tract 67-68-82, Del Paso Vale No. 1; Jennie S. Hopkins, represented by H. S. Moddison
Lots 12-13-14, Marshall Court, Sacramento City; Jennie S. Hopkins; represented by H. S. Moddison.
W. ½ lots 1 and 2, Marshall Court, Sacramento City; Jennie S. Hopkins; represented by H. S. Moddison.
N ¼, W. 66⅔ ft. lot 1, 18-19, F and G; Jennie S. Hopkins; represented by H. S. Moddison.
S 45 ft N. 50 ft. lot 1, 19-20, E-F; Jennie S. Hopkins; represented by H. S. Moddison.
W. 12 ft. N. 45 ft. S. 50 ft. lot 2, 19-20, E-F; Jennie S. Hopkins; represented by H. S. Moddison.
Lots 1 and 2, Highland Park Subdivision, H. C. Moddison.
Haggmwood, lot 7, block 42, subdivision 8; 5 acres Duffee tract, Hagginwood, Tessa A Duffee.
Five lots, Arcade boulevard, Eleventh street; Charles Anderson.
40 acres in Sec. 11, rancho; 25 acres, Corrine Wicks; 15 acres, Philomene Werley.
Lots 7, 8 and 19, Johnston Heights; Charles L Miller
10 acres, lot 8, section 3, Oak Knoll; C. V. Morrison.
10 acres, lot 8, section 3, Oak Knoll; Charles Mooney; represented by C. V. Morrison.
10 acres, lot 7, section 3, Oak Knoll; Wayne Pimley; represented by C. V. Morrison.
Lots 1 to 60, Edw. Coyle Subd, Sacramento City; Mary A. Coyle.
Lot 2, N-O, 23-24; Mary A. Coyle.
Lot 2, block J, Highland Park; Mary A. Coyle.
Lot 83, South Brighton; Mary A Coyle
40 acres, section 4, rancho; Mrs. W. B. Benning.
42⅔ acres, section 5, rancho; Mrs. W. B Benning.
16 acres, section 10, rancho; Mrs. W. B. Benning.
5 acres, section 10, rancho, George Howard; represented by Mrs. W. B. Benning.
275 acres, north of Brighton; W. S Kendall.
30 acres, inside of levee, East Sacramento; W. S. Kendall.
Lots inside of city; W. S. Kendall.
Property of United Bank and Trust Company; represented by W. S. Kendall.
Cutter Brothers, 91 acres; Eugene G. Cutter.
Lot 23, Cutter Brothers Tract No. 2; Eugene G. Cutter.
1401 Thirty-ninth street; Eugene G Cutter.
1401 Forty-second street, Rayn S Cutter, by Eugene G Cutter.
Lots on Thirteenth, D and E; Jennie H. Nilsson.
5 acres, Junction District, Brighton, H. J. Hammond.
Seventeen lots in block 27, North Sacramento Heights; E. H. Davis.
Four lots in block 17, North Sacramento Heights; E. H Davis
Seven lots, 33-35, south of H, north of N, Sacramento City; Etta Duncan.
1035 Thirty-fifth; G. Simon; represented by Etta Duncan
One lot, S E. at Thirtieth and M; G Simon; represented by Etta Duncan.
One lot S. W. at Thirty-first and M; G. Simon; represented by Etta Duncan.
Lot 20, bet. 3, Sub. 10, N-S; V. C. Cogswell.
Lot 21, bet. 3, Sub. 10; Cogswell, by W. H Benner.
Lots 15-16, block 3, Sub. 10, N-S; Mrs. A. C Brent.
Lot 25, block 4 Sub. 10, N-S; Mrs. E. L Stinson.
Lots 76-77-78, Oakridge Acres; T. C. Taylor.
Lot 75, Oakridge Acres; G. A Neville, by T. C. Taylor.
Lot 8, block 8, Sub No. 3; J. T. Hayne
Lot 5, block 8, Sub No 3; E. L Gerardy, by J. T Hayne.
Lot 6, block 8, Sub. No. 3; E. Bailey, by J. T Hayne.
Lot 3, block 6, Sub. No. 3; Mrs. Fred Turner.
Lot 7, block 6, Sub. No 3; Mrs. A Zink, by Mrs Fred Turner.
Lot 2, block 9, Sub. No. 3; Mrs Florence Burkhart.
Lot 1, block 9, Sub. No. 3; Mrs Edith Gaba, by Mrs. Florence Burkhart.
Lot 3, block 9, Sub No. 3; Mrs. W. Van Gilder.
Lot 13, block 9, Sub. No 3; Mrs L A McKee, by Mrs. W. Van Gilder.
Portion A and B Sub. 3; Mrs. W. M. Callahan.

10 acres, N.E. ¼ N.E. ¼ Sec. 65, R. D. P.; E. R. Lewis.
Block 8, West Del Paso Heights; J. E. Westoby.
Block 11-12 N. B. N. C., Sacramento; E. M. Cunningham, by T. J. Cunningham.
350 acres, section 11, R. D. P.; Einar Hondale, by M. Brooke.
Part of Robla Acres, S. ½ Sec. 10; Dr. F. G. Baird, by M. Brooke.
Part of N.E. ¼ Sec. 10; B. W. Crowe, by M. Brooke.
Lots 2 and 3, Brooke Court; M. Brooke.
507 West El Camino avenue, N. S.; Mary E. Brooke, by M. Brooke.
Tract 13, Swanston Acres, Sec. 65, P. S. Carlson.
American River Reclamation District No. 1, all reclaimed; by Charles A. Bliss, trustee.
City of Sacramento (except property north of Southern Pacific Company B street embankment); by Charles E. Wright.
Lots 43 and 44, Klotz tract; A. W. Campbell.
Lot 38, Klotz tract; Ella A. Campbell.
Lot 37, Parkside; Elizabeth C. Page.
Haggin Bottom Land Company.

EXHIBIT "B."

DESCRIPTION OF DISTRICT BOUNDARIES.

Section 1. A flood control district is hereby created to be called "American river flood control district," within the county of Sacramento, and the boundaries of and territory included within said district shall be as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly boundary line of reclamation district No. 1000, with the south line of fractional section thirty-one, township ten north, range five east, and running thence easterly along the south line of said section thirty-one to the westerly boundary line of section six of the Rancho del Paso, the map or plat of said Rancho del Paso being filed in the office of the county recorder of Sacramento county; thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of said section six to the southwest corner thereof, thence along the section line common to sections five, six, nine and ten of said Rancho del Paso two miles to the northeast corner of section ten of said rancho; thence south one and one-half miles to the quarter corner common to sections eleven and eighteen of said Rancho del Paso; thence east one-quarter mile; thence south one-half mile; thence west one-half mile; thence south one-quarter mile; thence east one-quarter mile to the section line between sections twelve and seventeen of said rancho, thence south one-half mile to the center line of a road running east and west; thence east along the center line of said road to the intersection of said center line with the center line of the old Marysville road (so called), thence southwesterly along the center line of said road to the south line of section seventeen of said rancho, thence east along said south line of said section seventeen and section twenty-six of said rancho, to the westerly right of way line of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence along the said westerly right of way line of the said Southern Pacific railroad southwesterly to the one-half section line running east and west through the center of section sixteen of said rancho, thence along said one-half section line, westerly to the quarter corner common to sections thirteen and sixteen of said rancho, thence south one-half mile to the southwest corner of said section sixteen, thence east one and one-quarter miles, thence south one-half mile, thence west one-quarter mile; thence south one-quarter mile, thence east one-half mile, thence south one-half mile, thence east one-quarter mile, thence north one-quarter mile, thence east one-quarter mile to the southeast corner of section twenty-eight of said rancho, thence south one mile to the southeast corner of section sixty-five of said rancho, thence east one-half of a mile, thence south three-quarters of a mile, thence east one-quarter mile; thence north one-quarter mile to the center line of a road running east and west through the center of section sixty-three of said rancho, thence east one-quarter mile along the center line of said road, to the east line of said section sixty-three; thence continuing along the center line of said road, in a northeasterly direction to the southeast corner of section sixty-one of said rancho; thence along a straight line in a northeasterly direction to the quarter section corner on the east side of section fifty-eight of said rancho, thence east one-half mile, thence south to the north bank of the American river, thence down and along the north or right bank of the American river to its intersection with the northerly production of the line between sections five and six, township eight north, range six east; thence south along the section line between sections five and six, and between seven and eight of said townships and range to the center line of the Placerville branch of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence southwesterly and westerly along the center line of said railroad to its intersection with the section line common to sections fourteen and fifteen, township eight north, range five east, thence south on said section line to the southeast corner of said section fifteen, thence westerly one mile to the southwest corner of said section fifteen, the same being the southeasterly corner of the boundary of the city of Sacramento, thence westerly along the said southerly boundary of said city to the center line of the channel of the Sacramento river; thence northerly along the center line of the channel of the Sacramento river to a point on the center line of said channel opposite a point on the left or easterly bank of the Sacramento river where

the southerly boundary of reclamation district number one thousand intersects said left or easterly bank, thence in an easterly and northerly direction to said point and along the southerly and easterly boundary of said reclamation district number one thousand to the place of beginning, and containing approximately twenty-one thousand acres, more or less, and being composed of the city of Sacramento, the city of North Sacramento and contiguous unincorporated territory in Sacramento county.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Melville:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $155.00 in favor of William J. McQuillan, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly, to pay the amount as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

Hart's Lunch, Incorporated.....$155 00

Resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Melville.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in the sum of $155 00 in favor of William J. McQuillan of the Assembly, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

Hart's Lunch, Incorporated.....$155 00

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out) MELVILLE, Chairman.
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FRY
NIELSEN.

Mr. Melville moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Fry:

Resolved, That Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, be and is hereby authorized and empowered to receipt for any warrants that may be due members, officers, or other attaches of the Assembly, after the close of the session, or that may be drawn upon the contingent fund of the Assembly.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Messrs. Carter and Jost:

WHEREAS, The T. & D. Jr Enterprises, Incorporated, and the West Coast Theatres, Incorporated, have contributed to the entertainment of the members of the Assembly during their stay in Sacramento by granting admission to their places of amusement; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Assembly hereby express their appreciation of the courtesy extended to them by the T. & D. Jr. Enterprises, Incorporated, and the West Coast Theatres, Incorporated, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to each of the said parties.

Resolution read, and unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Assembly hereby extends its thanks to Louis F. Erb for the efficient, painstaking and constantly evidenced geniality with which he has performed the duties of Minute Clerk of the Assembly during the forty-seventh session of the Legislature.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Carter unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Bishop:

WHEREAS, Madge Cross, as Chief Stenographer, and her corps of efficient stenographers have at all times and under all conditions served each and every member of the Assembly with greatest possible dispatch, efficiency and uniform courtesy; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Assembly, extend to them our sincere thanks and appreciation for the splendid services they have performed during this session.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Bishop unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Walters:

Resolved, That the Assembly extends to the Sergeant-at-Arms, William J. McQuillan, its thanks for the efficient and courteous manner in which he and his assistants have performed the duties of their office.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Walters unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Gant:

Resolved, That the members of the forty-seventh session of the Assembly extend herewith a vote of thanks to our bookkeeper, Theodore Reindollar, for his efficient work during the session.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Gant unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Reindollar:

WHEREAS, It is due in great part to the faithfulness and efficiency of the officers, attaches and employees of the forty-seventh session of the California Assembly that the Legislature has progressed with its work and will be able to adjourn at an early date; now, *therefore*, be it

Resolved, That the members of the Assembly appreciate the services of the Chief Clerk, the clerks at the desk, of the engrossing and enrolling committees, of the Sergeant-at-Arms, his deputies and the several employees under him.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Reindollar unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Davis:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are hereby tendered to Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, for the painstaking, efficient and courteous manner in which he has conducted the business of his office during the session.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Davis unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Jacobson:

Resolved, That the Assembly hereby extends its thanks to the Honorable William M. Byrne for the uniform courtesy and constantly evidenced geniality with which he has presided over the Assembly as Speaker pro tempore and that we heartily appreciate his courtesies when presiding over this House.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Jacobson unanimously adopted.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Hon. William M. Byrne, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

By Mr. Jones:

WHEREAS, The members of the Assembly recognize and appreciate the ability, uniform courtesy, impartiality and fairness with which the Honorable Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, has presided over the deliberations of this House; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are hereby tendered to Honorable Edgar C. Levey.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Jones unanimously adopted.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Jones moved that the Journals of Friday, April 22, 1927, Monday, April 25, 1927, Tuesday, April 26, 1927, Wednesday, April 27, 1927, and Thursday, April 28, 1927, be approved, as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Lenehan:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are extended to the Hon. Frank N. Killam, Superintendent of the Capitol Building, for the efficient manner in which he has conducted the business of his office.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr Feigenbaum:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are extended to Hon. Charles A Whitmore, State Printer, Robert Alexander, Chief Clerk, and the entire force of the State Printing Office for the cooperation and efficient manner of handling the printing of this session of the Legislature.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Jones asked for and was granted unanimous consent to introduce Assembly joint resolution, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to the flood control of lands bordering the Mississippi River.

REQUEST TO TAKE UP BILL.

Mr. Jones moved that the Assembly grant permission to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 at this time.

The question being: Will the Assembly grant permission to take up for consideration Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 under provision of Assembly Rule 43?

The roll was called, and permission to consider Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 was granted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James

A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to the flood control of lands bordering the Mississippi River.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gaut, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 18.

Relative to flood control for lands bordering the Mississippi River.

WHEREAS, The disastrous floods of the past few days along the Mississippi River have wrought great devastation and loss of life, and have become a matter of grave concern to all the people of this nation; and

WHEREAS, The work of restraining these floods is a matter of such magnitude that it can not adequately be accomplished except by federal aid; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That we hereby urge upon the Congress of the United States the adoption of such legislation as may prevent any future possibility of recurrence of such flood damage along the Mississippi; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the President of the United States and to each of the Senators and Congressmen representing California in the Congress of the United States.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 the following Senators: Boggs, Ingram, and Inman, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Boggs, Ingram and Inman, and that the Committee on Free Conference agreed upon and recommends that the Senate recede from its amendments, and that the following amendment be adopted:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed resolution, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following "and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid equally from the contingent funds of the Senate and of the Assembly and the state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee and the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same."

ADAMS,
BERNARD,
MIXTER,
Assembly Free Conference Committee.

BOGGS,
INGRAM,
INMAN,
Senate Free Conference Committee.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report and amendment adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jespersen, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Rochester, Roland, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 314 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, Roscoe J., Ball, Baum, Bernard, Bishop, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Clowdsley, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eddy, Feigenbaum, Fisher, Flynn, Fry, Gant, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jewett, Jones, Jost, Keaton, Kelsey, Lenehan, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, James A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Parkman, Patterson, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Snyder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Wherrell, Williamson, Woodbridge, Woolwine, Wright, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known as section 3493c, providing for the levying of assessments in reclamation districts according to fair market value—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

EASLEY, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 3465 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

EASLEY, Chairman.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, relating to petition for formation of district;

Also. Assembly Bill No 554—An act to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District Act" creating a consolidated, irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and power district subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as "San Jacinto Valley Conservation District," for the purpose of acquiring or taking over all the water rights and water system and properties of the Lake Hemet Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders or certificate holders thereof, of the Hemet Town Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fruitvale Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, of the Fairview Land and Water Company, a corporation, and/or of the stockholders thereof, or of any of them, and of any other water rights and water systems; for conserving water; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable lands of the San Jacinto Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, protecting all the lands within the district and the water system from flood waters of the San Jacinto River and its tributaries, and for protecting the water sheds from fire; and for developing and using electrical power and for selling any surplus power, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, conservation, protection, reclamation and electrical power systems through a single district organization; and for the issuance of bonds for any or all of the aforesaid purposes, and providing for the payment of all such indebtedness; providing for the leasing or selling such portions or all of the water rights, water system and electrical power system or any other property as the board of trustees of the San Jacinto Valley Conservation District deem advisable; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized and for the organization, management and control of the district through the board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments, and providing also a means for dissolving said district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 795—An act to amend sections 3 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to require owners of forest lands to provide a fire patrol therefor," approved June 6, 1923, relative to protection of forest lands from fire;

Also: Assembly Bill No 877—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No 878—An act to prevent the unnecessary flow of water from subterranean sources from artificial wells and prescribing penalties therefor, and defining artificial wells and unnecessary flow;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of natural resource districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, development, diversion, storage conservation, and distribution of natural gas and petroleum products underlying the surface, and for the generation, distribution and sale of electric energy and fuel by combustion or other use of such natural gas and petroleum products; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts the terms of which are contrary to the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1049—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

NOYES, Chairman.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 450—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the Commissioner of Corporations and the Surveyor General; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893 and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 451—An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office, fixing the salaries of the clerks and providing the manner of fixing the salaries of the phonographic reporter, the stenographers and the service agent;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of an assistant and deputies in such office, by fixing the salaries of such assistant and of the chief deputy; and providing for the manner of fixing of the salaries of the additional deputies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 702—An act providing for a Commission on Pensions of State Employees; providing for the appointment of members thereof; prescribing the powers and duties of such commission, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2985, relating to the holding of annual meetings of the health officers of cities, counties, cities and counties and incorporated towns;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 818—An act to amend an act entitled "An act establishing and creating a department of the State Mining Bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production, providing for the appointment of a State Oil and Gas Supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers; fixing his compensation;

providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation; providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental ruling; creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 824—An act providing for the appointment by the Judicial Council of a director and an executive secretary of said Judicial Council, for the compensation thereof and for the prescribing of the duties thereof by said Judicial Council;

Also Assembly Bill No. 910—An act creating a commission for the investigation and study of the laws of the State, describing the duties of such commission, providing for the appointment of the members thereof and fixing their salaries and making appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to create a State Building Department; providing for the appointment of the members of such department, prescribing the powers and duties of such department; providing for the issuance of licenses by such department and fixing the fees for such licenses; providing the method for revocation of such licenses; prescribing the punishment for violation of the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1114—An act to amend the act known as "The California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923 as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 29*a*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Public Works certain duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction in respect to the enforcement of certain provisions of the act heretofore vested in the Division of Motor Vehicles of the Department of Finance;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1115—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 360*h*, relating to the Department of Finance;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1116—An act to amend sections 364, 364*a*, 364*b*, 364*c* and 364*d* of the Political Code and to add new sections to said code to be numbered sections 364*e* to 364*i*, inclusive, relating to a Department of Industrial Relations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1117—An act to amend section 7 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913, as amended

Also Assembly Bill No 1118—An act to add new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 692 to 692*p*, both inclusive, relating to a Compensation Insurance Fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*i*, embracing sections 372 to 372*e*, relating to a Department of Health;

Also. Assembly Bill No 1122—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*h*, embracing sections 367 to 367*g*, both inclusive, relating to a Department of Social Welfare.

Also Assembly Bill No 1123—An act to add a new article to chapter III of title I of part III of the Political Code, to be numbered article II*j*, embracing sections 373 to 373*b*, relating to a Department of Natural Resources,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act to amend the act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers,' approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 6*a*, transferring to and vesting in the Department of Public Works certain of the powers duties, functions, responsibilities and jurisdiction heretofore vested in and exercised by the State Regulation Board;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California, to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an aircraft department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof," approved June 3, 1921;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1139—An act to create a Department of Publicity, providing a board of managers and defining the duties of said managers and appropriating money to carry out the purposes of this act

Also Assembly Bill No 1255—An act to be known as the "Estate Tax Act," to establish a tax on legacies, inheritances bequests devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed, and to repeal chapter DCCCXXI of the laws of the

session of the Legislature of California of 1921, approved June 3, 1921, as amended, effective August 13, 1923, and July 24, 1925, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act creating a board of Naturopathic Examiners, providing for the appointments, term of office, filling of vacancies and qualifications of members of the board, empowering the Governor to remove members of board, providing for the appointment of the first board, meetings of the board, offices and suboffices, legal proceedings against the board, designation of applicant by number, examinations, licenses, applicants failing to make required grade, educational requirements and examination fee; examinations, length of course and subjects required, signing of license by board and authority for seal; authorizing the board to approve or disapprove of schools and providing for court appeal upon such decisions, providing for exemption clauses, defining practice as referred to in this act; providing for the recording of licenses, empowering the board to refuse to grant or revoke or suspend any license to practice; providing for reciprocity, providing for powers and privileges of naturopaths, providing for per diem and expenses of board and secretary's salary; powers of board to adopt rules and regulations; providing for prosecution of violators of this act, monthly report to State Controller of moneys received, definition of naturopathy; payment of renewal license fees; neglect or refusal of licentiate to pay annual renewal fee; providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act,

Also Assembly Bill No 1294—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to create the office of State Fire Marshal, to provide for his powers and duties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 23, 1923, relating to the appointment of fire inspectors:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relating to the investigation of the funds and practices of the chiropractic board—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FEIGENBAUM, Chairman.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BYRNE, Chairman.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 13—An act to amend section 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the term for which certain lands may be leased;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1202, relating to the raising of the American flag over polling places;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to add a new section to be numbered 335*a* to the Code of Civil Procedure and to amend section 337 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the time in which actions must be commenced;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 116—An act requiring owners of certain motor vehicles and trailers to furnish security for their civil liability on account of personal injuries caused by negligent operation of their motor vehicles and trailers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to repeal sections 4463 and 4465 of the Political Code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 245—An act to amend section 1729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estates by the public administrator;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 246—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 294—An act to amend section 4300*f* of the Political Code, relating to fees of jurors;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 391—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 640, to the Political Code, to create a State Bar Commission of the State of

California for the purpose of enforcing the laws of the State of California as to attorneys and counselors at law and to assist in securing a greater degree of public service from and higher ethical conduct of such attorneys and counselors by the use of educational and cooperative methods and providing that said commission shall be known and designated as the "State Bar Commission of California," and that this act may be known and cited as "State Bar Act," and to provide for the organization, powers and duties of such State Bar Commission and prescribing obligations of attorneys and counselors at law to and in connection with such State Bar Commission, and providing for the payment by attorneys and counselors at law of a monthly license fee to be paid said State Bar Commission of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 1191 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon lots or tracts of land for street, highway or sidewalk improvement;

Also Assembly Bill No. 415—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to define finance companies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a Finance Department and the office of Finance Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and to repeal all acts or portions of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to provide for the licensing of marine surveyors, cargo surveyors and cargo appraisers by the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 501—An act to add a new chapter to title XIV of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to be numbered chapter II*a*, embracing section 2980, relating to conditional sales;

Also: Assembly Bill No 575—An act to amend sections 1578 and 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate petitions for leave to mortgage or lease;

Also: Assembly Bill No 616—An act to add to the Political Code a new section, to be numbered ____ and relating to newspapers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 963 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relative to interlocutory decrees of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No 686—An act to amend section 10 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No 694—An act to amend section 1463 of the Penal Code, relating to disposition of moneys collected in municipal courts, as bail, fines and forfeitures;

Also: Assembly Bill No 699—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by amending sections 983, 984 and 985 thereof and by adding new sections thereto, numbered 986, 987, 988, 988*a*, 988*b*, 988*c*, 988*d*, 988*e*, 988*f*, 988*g*, and 988*h*, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 653*a*, relating to theaters, and other places of public entertainment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to amend section 4131 of the Political Code, relating to the recording of instruments by the county recorder;

Also Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 599 of the Civil Code, relating to what may be provided for in the by-laws, ordinances, constitutions or articles of incorporation of corporations now organized or that may hereafter be organized for purposes other than profit;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury;

Also: Assembly Bill No 794—An act to amend section 230 of the Civil Code, relative to the adoption of illegitimate children;

Also: Assembly Bill No 814—An act requiring owners of motor vehicles to file with the Division of Motor Vehicles a contract of indemnity, indemnifying persons suffering damages to property, injuries to person, and loss by death, by negligence of operators of such vehicles; fixing the maximum liability under such indemnity contract, the terms thereof and requirements of the insurance carrier; prescribing penalties for operating vehicles without such indemnity contract;

Also Assembly Bill No. 815—An act providing contracts in violation of any usury law of the State or charge of interest in excess of the rate and amount allowable by the laws of this State shall be void and that this act shall be a cumulative remedy to any law in relation to contracts for unlawful payment or collection of interest;

Also: Assembly Bill No 821—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10, 11, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 3432 of the Civil Code;

Also. Assembly Bill No 876—An act to amend section 2010 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees charged for publication;

Also: Assembly Bill No 885—An act to amend section 1875 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judicial notice;

Also: Assembly Bill No 891—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 896—An act recognizing and establishing that the unpaid expenses of the convention which framed the constitution of the State of California,

including the unpaid per diem of the delegates to such convention for the full term thereof, are obligations against the State, providing that suits may be brought against the State to determine by judgment the amount and ownership of claims for such unpaid expenses and per diem;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 929—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 789 of the Civil Code, relating to the termination of estates;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 952—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to liens of apartment house keepers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the licensing of real estate brokers and salesmen,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1003—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed, and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as thereafter amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 712, relating to covenants and conditions restricting the use, occupancy, title or possession of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1057—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 712, relating to conditions restricting the use or occupancy, of any estate in real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act authorizing a biennial conference of justices and judges of courts of record of the State or a representative conference of such justices and judges annually, for the purpose of conferring together and of studying and promoting the best and most efficient methods of administering the laws in State courts, of coordinating the work of such courts, of cooperating with the Judicial Council, and the chairman thereof in the work of the Judicial Council, and providing for necessary expenses of such conferences;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 1240 and 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to proceedings in eminent domain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of the superior court;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1133—An act to amend section 46 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1140—An act to define the word "hotel" and to impose penalties for the unlawful use of the word "hotel" in connection with a business sign;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1141—An act to be known as the "True Name Bill," which makes it unlawful for any person or persons to register at any hotel, inn, boarding house, lodging house or apartment house under any name other than their own name;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 1861*a* of the Civil Code, relating to liens of keepers of furnished or partly furnished apartment houses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to license and regulate the business of making loans in sums of $300 or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than twelve per centum per annum, prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned, when given as security for any such loan;

Also Assembly Bill No 1195—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 562, relating to the approval of bond required to be filed with sheriff in attachment, garnishment, execution or other actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1198—An act to amend section 258 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to court commissioners,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1218—An act to add a new section to be numbered 791*a* to the Political Code, relating to notaries public,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1228—An act to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered sections 329, 330 and 341½, relating to the bringing of actions for the violation or failure to comply with any covenant, condition forfeiture clause or defeasance clause, relating to the use, occupancy, title or possession of real estate and judgments in respect thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1278—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appointment of receivers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend section 167 of the Civil Code, relating to community property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 59—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 149, relating to trials of actions for divorce involving the custody of minor children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third classes, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to the duties of grand juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No 89—An act to amend section 1308 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate of wills;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1861*b*, allowing keepers of furnished apartment houses or furnished bungalow courts to take possession of baggage and other property of their guests or tenants for the purpose of enforcing all liens thereon;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 227—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1859*a*, limiting the liability of keepers of furnished apartment houses and furnished bungalow courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 248—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 2080, relating to the introduction of evidence as to the value of real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to marriage licenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 161 of the Civil Code, relating to the interests of husband and wife in property, and providing for the powers of management thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 682 of the Civil Code by declaring expressly the equal vested interest of the wife in the community property and providing for the powers of management thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 1379 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to nomination of administrators;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 13, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended, relating to exclusion of territory from such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 8, to an act entitled "An act to provide for public cemetery districts," approved March 6, 1909, relating to exclusion of territory from such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 1925 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 427—An act to amend sections 851 and 854 and to repeal section 858 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings in justices' courts

Also Assembly Bill No 426—An act to amend section 896 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to taxation of costs in justices' courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of the fact of death

Also Assembly Bill No 437—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to persons entitled to administer the estates of decedents

Also Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, relating to age of majority;

Also Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3440*a*, relating to transfers of personal property presumed fraudulent,

Also Assembly Bill No 453—An act to amend section 284 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens of an attorney;

Also Assembly Bill No 454—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 531*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments,

Also Assembly Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of the sheriff;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 456—An act to amend section 132 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decrees of divorce;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 462—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 472—An act adding a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be known as section 1822*b*, providing for the sale or mortgage of real property of missing persons;

Also Assembly Bill No 490—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 68*a*, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 494—An act to amend section 1763 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardians of insane and other incompetent persons;

Also: Assembly Bill No 496—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales;

Also Assembly Bill No 497—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 551—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to April 1, 1927, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 827 of the Civil Code;

Also Assembly Bill No. 617—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 230*b*, relating to the adoption of persons of full age,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 618—An act to add a new article to be numbered article V, embracing section 149, to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 620—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 230*a*, relating to the adoption of persons of full age;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 625—An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, including among others those persons known as inside shop operatives, and to repeal the act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies," approved June 7, 1915;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 632—An act to amend section 3245 of the Political Code, relating to hours of labor on public work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 697—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the constitution of municipal courts and the compensation of judges, officers and attaches of such courts in cities or cities and counties of the first and one-half class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 698—An act to add five new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c* and 928*d*, providing for the establishment of small claims courts in cities and counties where municipal courts are established;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 705—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this state; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter CXLV of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 2*a* and 2*b*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 747—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 770—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees in justices' courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 771—An act to amend section 136 of the Civil Code, relating to maintenance of wife and children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 879—An act to amend section 831*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the change of venue in small claims courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees charged in the small claims court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens for farm laborers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 953—An act to amend section 1559 of the Civil Code, relating to contracts for the benefit of third persons;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 954—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers as agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to amend section 1624 of the Civil Code, relating to the contracts of real estate brokers or agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the control of the husband thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 988—An act to amend section 161 of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the ownership of property by husband and wife;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 989—An act to amend section 172 of the Civil Code, relating to community property and the ownership and control thereof by the husband;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1010—An act to provide that counties may take over and manage county cemeteries and public cemeteries, prescribing the method thereof and providing for the support and management by the county of such cemeteries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1014—An act to amend section 981*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of appeals from justice's court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 465 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings subsequent to complaint;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1017—An act to amend section 890*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the entry of judgment of dismissal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1018—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to amend section 670 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment roll;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1032—An act to amend section 2031 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to depositions and the serving of notice of taking thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to amend section 206 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to amend section 204 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to jury lists;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 3051*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the lien of garage keepers for services rendered on account of automobiles under section 3051 of the Civil Code in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the duty of recorders on filing of transcript of docket of judgment in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1054—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to penalty for refusing to give memorandum on attachment or garnishment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the duty of the sheriff in garnishment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1136—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on collateral inheritances, bequests and devises, to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds," approved March 23, 1893, Statutes 1893, page 193, and all acts amendatory thereto. Also:

Act 8439. An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and for suits to quiet title against claims of lien arising hereunder; to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on collateral inheritances, bequests, and devises, to provide for the collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds," approved March 23, 1893, and all amendments thereto, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act (approved March 20, 1905, Statutes 1905, page 341. Repealed 1911, page 713) and all acts amendatory thereto. Also:

Act 8440. An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and for suits to quiet title against claims of lien arising hereunder; to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens arising hereunder; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to establish a tax on collateral inheritances, bequests, and devises, to provide for the collection, and to direct the disposition of its proceeds,' approved March 23, 1893, and all amendments thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved March 20, 1905, and all amendments thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved March 20, 1905, and all amendments thereto and all acts and parts of acts

in conflict with this act (approved April 7, 1911, Statutes 1911, page 713. Repealed June 16, 1913, Statutes 1913, page 1083) and all acts amendatory thereto. Also:

Act 8441. An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder or under an act hereby repealed, to be known as the "Inheritance Tax Act"; to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens, arising hereunder; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers; to provide for its collection, and to direct the disposition of its proceeds, to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder; to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a tax on collateral inheritances, bequests and devises, to provide for the collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds,' approved March 23, 1893, and all amendments thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act, approved March 20, 1905, and all amendments thereto, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 7, 1911 (approved June 16, 1913, Statutes 1913, page 1066. Amended 1915, pages 418, 435. Repealed May 23, 1917, Statutes 1917, page 880) and all acts amendatory thereto. Also:

Act 8442. An act to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder or under an act hereby repealed, to be known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and to repeal chapter DVC of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1913, approved June 16, 1913, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," and all amendments thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act. (Approved May 23, 1917, Statutes 1917, page 880. In effect July 27, 1917. Repealed 1921, Statutes 1921, page 1500. Also:

Act 8443. An act to be known as the "Inheritance Tax Act," to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the "Inheritance Tax Act" and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act. And all acts amendatory thereto are hereby repealed. Also:

Chapter CCLXXVIII of the laws of 1925, an act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department and all acts amendatory thereto are hereby repealed. Also:

Chapter CCLXXXIV of the laws of 1925, an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 2½ (approved by the Governor May 22, 1925), and all acts amendatory thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act defining security receipts and equipment trust certificates; prescribing the rights of holders of such receipts and certificates and relating to the effect of the transfer, under certain conditions of such security receipts and equipment trust certificates as herein defined,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to the exercise of the power of sale in mortgages and trust deeds and providing for personal service or mailing of notice in addition to other notices heretofore required,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 4131½, relating to the manner of filing, recording and issuance of certified copies of legal documents, plats, maps or other instruments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writ of execution in civil cases;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 873 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trials in justices' courts,

Also: Senate Bill No. 116—An act to amend section 4300*f* of the Political Code relating to fees of jurors,

Also, Senate Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters;

Also: Senate Bill No. 161—An act creating a commission on uniform State laws and prescribing the power and duties thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 172—An act to amend section 437 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the contents of the answer of the defendant,

Also: Senate Bill No. 190—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1775*a*, relating to the management of the estate of an incompetent ward, to expenditures that may be made therefrom, and the procedure to be followed in obtaining the order of the court for such expenditures;

Also: Senate Bill No. 275—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 1381 and relating to who shall be deemed a party of interest in the matter of estates of deceased persons, incompetent persons, and minors and making the same an urgency measure,

Also: Senate Bill No. 288—An act to amend section 3649 of the Political Code, relating to the assessment of escaped property,

Also, Senate Bill No. 472—An act to amend section 1163 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of justices' courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of justices' courts,

Also: Senate Bill No. 534—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," submitted by the initiative and adopted and approved by the electors of the State of California, November 2, 1920, as amended, by adding two new sections numbered 9*a* and 9*b*,

Also: Senate Bill No. 575—An act to amend section 394 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the place of trial of certain actions or proceedings to which a county, city and county, city or public corporation or district is a party,

Also: Senate Bill No. 581—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1983, relating to the burden of proof in certain cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the collection of property taxes,

Also, Senate Bill No. 726—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges;

Also: Senate Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries

Also: Senate Bill No. 810—An act to amend section 323 of the Political Code, relating to time when statutes take effect;

Also: Senate Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1387 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to executors and administrators;

Also, Senate Bill No. 821—An act to repeal section 1756 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of guardianship;

Also: Senate Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to devises for charitable purposes,

Also: Senate Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises for charitable uses;

Also Senate Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 1033 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to costs;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 138—An act regulating the stock and bond brokerage business, licensing persons engaged in such business, providing for the enforcement of the act by the State Superintendent of Banks, and providing penalties for the violation of such act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, relating to security of deposits;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 710—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, relating to security of deposits;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 67 of the "Bank Act" of the State of California, as amended, relating to limitations on loans;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1004—An act to add a new article to be numbered article VI, embracing sections 150 to 165 inclusive to an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to a depositors' guaranty fund and the liquidation of banks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to branch banks;

Also: Senate Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, relating to deposit of moneys in banks;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1 and 10, and to add two new sections to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the indication by the registered qualified electors of their choice for nomination by their respective political parties for President of the United States through the election of the delegates of said political parties to their respective national conventions, and to repeal an act approved December 24, 1911, known as the Presidential Primary Act, and also to repeal all other acts or parts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved April 28, 1915, as amended, relating to party principles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to amend section 1126 of the Political Code, relating to authorizing supervisors to consolidate election precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to amend sections 1357, 1358, 1359, and 1361 of the Political Code, relating to absent, injured and disabled voters;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ADAMS, Chairman.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 903—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the registration of brands and earmarks, the licensing and regulating of cattle slaughterers and sellers of meat; prescribing duties of the Department of Agriculture in relation thereto, and penalties for the violation hereof" approved June 3, 1921, and generally known as "The Hide and Brand Law," by adding a new section thereto numbered 5*a*, providing for marking under the supervision of the Director of Agriculture the dressed carcasses of all bovine animals over one year of age so as to indicate whether the carcasses are those of a steer heifer, cow, stag or bull;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to define "person," "tuberculin," "accredited herd," "tuberculosis eradication area," "tuberculosis modified area," "test," "grade animal," "grade herd," "purebred animal," "purebred herd;" to regulate the sale of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to provide for reports of test of tubeculin;

to restrict the use of tuberculin; to regulate the sale of milk or products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide regulations for accredited herd work (voluntary); to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas (compulsory); to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to provide for the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FISHER, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: *Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred* Senate Bill No. 218—An act appropriating money to be expended by the Reclamation Board for general administrative purposes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 427—An act to authorize the Governor to appoint a commission to prepare the plans and to select the site for a separate penal institution for women offenders;

Also: Senate Bill No. 590—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of George W. Root against the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 853—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 136—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the bag limit on game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 187—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 457—An act to amend section 15 and 37 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 626*m* of the Penal Code, relating to fishing and hunting at night;

Also: Senate Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 631*e* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 608—An act to amend section 637 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 547—An act to repeal section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the taking of sea-lions;

Also: Senate Bill No. 604—An act to define certain words and phrases used in laws governing the protection of fish and game in the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 668—An act to authorize the California Fish and Game Commission to select certain areas within the State to be designated as resting places or loafing grounds for migratory water fowl and to establish such areas as game preserves;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 703—An act to prevent all persons not eligible to citizenship in the State of California, or in the United States of America, from catching or taking fish or shellfish in the waters of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 786—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code relating to the protection of seals in Santa Barbara channel;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of striped bass and shad;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1073—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of trout;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the Fish and Game Commissioners and their assistants and employees and prescribing their duties and powers;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish,
Also: Assembly Bill No. 506—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 508—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,
Also: Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 545—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,
Also: Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 659—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the regulation of use of lines, nets, and seines;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1098—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 634½, relating to the protection and propagation of fry,
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1103—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code as amended relating to extending the season allowed by law for quail hunting;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1240—An act to amend section 52 of and to add a new section to be designated section 52½ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith'," approved May 19, 1915, approved May 28, 1917, as amended;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game, and making the same an urgency measure;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 45—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the hunting of wild birds and animals and to provide revenue therefrom for game and fish preservation and restoration," approved March 22, 1909, as amended, relating to fees for hunting licenses;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 124—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½ and 6 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to fish and game districts and defining the boundary lines of fish and game districts one, one and one-half and one and one-half "D";
Also: Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the bag limit on game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act to amend section 628*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13—Relative to deputy game wardens—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the taking and catching of game fishes and to define game fish and to provide revenue therefrom for fish preservation and restoration," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to fees for game fish licenses;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 754—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to the protection of fur-bearing wild animals;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 612—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, by amending sections 4 and 5 thereof and adding a new section to be numbered section 8;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the open season for the hunting of doves;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 631*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No 789—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild animals; to provide bounties for the killing thereof; making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties; providing a penalty for making a false affidavit under the provisions of this act; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith;
Also Assembly Bill No. 790—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1155—An act to amend section 631 of the Penal Code, relating to game;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

OLIVA, Chairman.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 9—An act to provide for the registration, licensing and examination of persons engaging in the business of repairing motor vehicles; providing rules and regulations therefor; providing for the appointment of a Motor Vehicle Mechanics' Examining Board and to provide a fund to be known as the Motor Vehicle Board Fund; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the disposition of license taxes
Also: Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to regulate the closing and locking of doors of motor vehicles operated for the purpose of carrying passengers for compensation or hire and provide a penalty for the violation thereof.
Also Assembly Bill No 231—An act to amend sections 2090 and 2096 of the Civil Code, relating to the gratuitous carriage of persons;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to require all motor vehicles to be equipped with a life saving device and providing a penalty for violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 543: An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, by amending sections 33, 36, 37, 38, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 55, 56 and 57, and repealing section 52 thereof, relating to the registration of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers, and setting up a system of title certificates and requiring the owner of every such vehicle in this State to secure such certificate of title and various other matters connected therewith and with the provisions of said California Vehicle Act and providing penalties for the violations thereof, and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisons of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 773—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to suspension of operator's and Chauffeur's licenses in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 776—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 782—An act to amend section 95 of the California Vehicle Act, relating to horns and warning devices on motor vehicles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend section 111 of the California Vehicle Act, relating to red lights visible from the front of motor vehicles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 785—An act to add a new section to the California Vehicle Act, to be numbered section 95½, relating to signs upon fire department and fire warden vehicles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended, and approved May 16, 1925, by adding thereto a new section numbered 25½, relating to magistrates as the term is used in said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended, and approved May 16, 1925, by amending section 145, relating to powers of boards of supervisors and legislative bodies of cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 138 of "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of an owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus, or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles or for work or repair done therein; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages; to provide penalties for violation of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines, and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act." approved May 30, 1923, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles; or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the object of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act." Approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires;

Also: Assembly Bill No 947—An act to repeal section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers

and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" Approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act to amend section 141 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to duties in case of accident;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered one hundred forty-one *a*, relating to duty to give information in case of accident involving only property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1149—An act to amend sections 58, 60, 61, 63 and 69 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, as amended May 16, 1925, relating to drivers' licenses and the examination of applicants for drivers' licenses; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the creation of a committee for the purpose of making a comprehensive study into the subject of grade crossing accidents and delays and reporting thereon to the Legislature of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation.

NIELSEN, Chairman.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 85—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter DLXXXIX of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, by adding a new section to be known as section 6*a*, relating to the tax on the personal property of nonresidents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 131—An act levying an excise or license tax upon the production of petroleum, or other crude oil, or mineral oil, and of natural gas, providing for the collection and disposition of such excise taxes, providing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend sections 3746 and 3756 of the Political Code, as amended, relating to the published notices of the tax collector of delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to authorize assessors and tax collectors to accept checks, bank drafts and money orders in payment of taxes, assessments, and licenses, and relating to the manner of making collection thereon and settlement therefor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize assessors and tax collectors to accept checks, bank drafts and money orders in payment of taxes, subject to the due honor thereof and relating to the manner of making collection thereon and settlement with the county treasurer therefor," approved May 24, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 488—An act to amend "An act appropriating money for the purpose of payment of that part of the principal and interest of any bonded indebtedness created and outstanding by any city, city and county, county, town,

township or district, on the eighth day of November in the year 1910 which is provided in section 14 of article XIII of the constitution of this State and as provided in an act of the thirty-ninth session of the Legislature entitled 'An act to carry into effect the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 8, 1910, providing for the separation of State from local taxation, and providing for the taxation of public service and other corporations for the benefit of the State, all relating to revenue and taxation'," approved June 7, 1913, by amending its title and sections 1 and 2 thereof, all relating to revenue and taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend section 3804 of the Political Code, relating to refund of erroneously collected taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 600—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend sections 3652, 3672, 3682, 3714, 3732, 3737, 3746, 3748, 3756, 3758, and 3759, of the Political Code of California, relating to the assessment of property, fixing rates of taxation and the collection of taxes thereon;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 737—An act providing for the certification by the street superintendent of delinquent assessments for public improvements in amounts under $25 to the tax collector of the city or county wherein such assessments originate and providing that such delinquent assessments shall be payable with, when and as the general municipal or county taxes are payable, and providing a penalty on such delinquency;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 904—An act to amend section 3629 of the Political Code, relating to including names and addresses on statement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 905—An act to amend section 3650 of the Political Code, relating to listing name and address of property owner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to amend section 3898 of the Political Code, relating to sale of land for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 995—An act providing for the placing in assessment books and on tax bills of all counties, and cities and counties, of a statement of all public taxes, assessments and bond delinquencies not otherwise required by law to be placed on or included in assessment books of counties, cities, or cities and counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 355—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relating to partial redemptions from sales to State for delinquent taxes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WEST, Chairman.

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 727—*An act to amend section 453hh of the Civil Code, relating to land value* insurance corporations

Also: Senate Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 452*b*, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and providing that such associations shall not pay or agree to pay any remuneration for solicitation of membership applications until they have complied with section 609 of the Political Code, and shall have procured a certificate of authority from the Insurance Commissioner, and shall have complied with all of the laws of this State applicable to such associations,

Also: Senate Bill No. 748—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and the manner in which and the conditions upon which such associations may do business in this State,

Also: Senate Bill No. 598—*An act to amend the Workmen's Compensation,* Insurance and Safety Act of 1917,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

ROLAND, *Chairman*

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 35—*An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled* "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909, relating to form of insurance policy,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 144—*An act to amend section 9 of the* "Workman's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended

Also: Assembly Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 3 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the classifying of tuberculosis as an injury,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 635—An act to add a new section to be numbered 594*b*, relating to hospital associations and benefit societies,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 808—*An act to amend the Civil Code of the State of* California, division I, part IV, title II, chapter VI thereof, by adding a new section

thereto, to be numbered section 453*q*, providing for a guaranty surplus fund of corporations formed to carry on mutual insurance business on the assessment plan, and deposit thereof with the State Treasurer under the supervision of the Insurance Commissioner and relating to the provisions of contracts of such corporations maintaining such guaranty surplus fund.

Also Assembly Bill No 840—An act to amend an act known as "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disability indemnity and death benefits.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 453*hh* of the Civil Code, relating to land value insurance corporations.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

ROLAND, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 847—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 452*b*, relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and providing that such associations shall not pay or agree to pay any remuneration for solicitation of membership applications until they have complied with section 609 of the Political Code, and shall have procured a certificate of authority from the Insurance Commissioner, and shall have complied with all of the laws of this State applicable to such associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No 848—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code relating to mutual benefit and life insurance associations, and the manner in which and the conditions upon which such associations may do business in this State.

Also: Assembly Bill No 849—An act to amend section 602 of the Political Code, relating to insolvency of insurance companies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to provide protection on the lives of children by fraternal benefit societies.

Also: Assembly Bill No 906—An act to prohibit any person, firm or corporation issuing surety bonds from requiring security in addition to payment of premiums thereon, and providing penalties for violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1013—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the duration of liability for medical treatment under said Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ROLAND, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to amend section 633 of the Political Code, relating to the licensing of insurance and surety agents and solicitors;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1104—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to reporters of the Industrial Accident Commission, their duties and salaries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend section 59 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," as amended, relating to referees of the Industrial Accident Commission, their duties and salaries;

Also Senate Bill No 60—An act to amend section 19 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," relating to evidence;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ROLAND, Chairman.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1042—An act to amend section 2843 of the Political Code, relating to obtaining of authority to construct a toll bridge or operate a ferry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to amend sections 2436 and 2468 of the Political Code, relating to pilotage;

Also: Senate Bill No 120—An act granting to the city of Los Angeles the tide lands and submerged lands of the State within the boundaries of said city;

Also: Senate Bill No. 562—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and

assist such works of reclamation: granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin-South Basin Canal and Reclamation District;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2524½, relating to the power of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 393—An act creating the port district of San Francisco, and providing for its government; granting in trust to the port district of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; and granting to said district certain tide and submerged lands in San Mateo County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 416—An act to provide for the direct accomplishment of the work of direct improvement of San Rafael Harbor, and appropriating the sum of $100,000, to be expended under the supervision and direction of the State Board of Finance for such purpose;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 594—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the leasing by the State of California of salt marsh and tidelands adjoining salt marsh and tidelands sold pursuant to an act approved April 1, 1870, entitled 'An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to survey and dispose of certain salt marsh and tidelands belonging to the State of California,' approved March 30, 1868, and lying between the boundary line of the land so sold pursuant to said act and the line of mean low tide of the stream upon which said lands to be leased border," approved June 13, 1923;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relating to the creation of a joint committee of the Senate and Assembly to prepare and submit changes in the California Vehicle Act in the interests of safety, and to submit recommendations on the advisability of the enactment and enforcement of laws relating to the use and operation of vehicles on the public highways in this State, and to submit recommendations as to the advisability of the adoption of a law requiring financial security on the part of persons operating motor vehicles upon the highways of this State and making appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relating to investigation by the Attorney General into the legality of Assembly Bill No. 1206, chapter LXV, of the 1925 session of the Legislature, and the contract entered into pursuant to said bill for the sale of the Folsom Reservoir site—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JACOBSON, Chairman.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 28, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to repeal section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the asexualization of inmates of State hospitals for the insane, the Sonoma State Home, of convicts in the State prisons, and of idiots, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to permit asexualization of inmates of the State hospitals and the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble-minded Children, and of convicts in the State prisons,' approved April 26, 1909," approved June 13, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the asexualization of inmates of State hospitals for the insane, the Sonoma State Home, of convicts in the State prisons, and of idiots, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to permit asexualization of inmates of the State hospitals and the

California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble-minded Children, and of convicts in the State prisons," approved April 26, 1909," approved June 13, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 752—An act to amend section 1373 of the Penal Code, relating to the expenses of insane persons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 556—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MORRISON, Chairman.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend section 78 and to repeal section 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 117 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State of California into congressional districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CRITTENDEN, Chairman.

ON UNIVERSITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 125—An act to establish a College of Mining at or near Redding, California, to be known as the Northern Branch of the University of California, to provide for the purchase of land therefor and the construction of buildings and other improvements in connection therewith, to provide for the equipment, conduct and management thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 126—An act to appropriate money for the annual expenses of the College of Mining, Northern Branch of the University of California, at or near Redding;

Also Assembly Bill No. 487—An act appropriating $125,000 for the purpose of building and equipping certain buildings on the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles, to be devoted to the teaching of sub-tropical horticulture;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 755—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation of storm drain systems, levied upon the property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch, on Vermont Avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CROTER Chairman.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 5 of article XI of the constitution of the State, relating to the compensation of county officers and jurors;

Also Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 25½ of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into fish and game districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 12 of article XIII of the constitution of such State, relating to poll taxes;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 3—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 3 of article IV of the constitution of said State, relating to the term of office of judges of courts of record;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending article IV, section 1 of the constitution, relating to the initiative and referendum;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 1, 3 and 4 of article X thereof, relating to the State Board of Prison Directors;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 6—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 4 of article VI thereof, relating to jurisdiction of and divisions of supreme and appellate courts;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 7—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article VI thereof, relating to powers of judges in charging juries;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 8—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 7 of article I thereof, relating to trial by jury;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article I thereof, relating to rights of persons accused of crime and the taking of depositions in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 10—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by amending section 7, article I thereof, to provide that three-fourths of a jury may render a verdict in all civil cases and five-sixths of a jury may render a verdict in all criminal cases excepting where as a result of such verdict the death penalty might be imposed;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by amending section 19 of article VI, relating to the charging of juries by judges;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding to article XIII thereof a new section to be numbered 14½, relating to a State Firemen's Pension Law;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section to be numbered 15, relating to the powers of a municipal corporation to provide new or additional benefits or standards of employment in behalf of any or all employees in its public schools including retired teachers;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment of section 6, of article IV, of the constitution of the State, relating to the apportionment of the State into Assembly and Senatorial districts;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to article XIII of the constitution of the State of California relative to revenue and taxation;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 7 of article IX of the constitution, relative to textbooks, county boards of education and granting of teachers' certificates;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to article XIV of the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 1½, relating to the conservation, storage and equitable distribution of the unappropriated and surplus waters, in order that the same may be utilized to the best advantage for the promotion of the general welfare of the public;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 23—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding to article XIII thereof a new section, to be numbered 1¾*a*, relating to exempting from taxation all property owned and used for club rooms and meetings of war veterans;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V, relating to salaries of State officials;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article V, relating to appointment of State officials;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 26 of article VI, relating to the nomination and election of judges.

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by amending section 2 of article IV of the constitution of California, relative to sessions of the Legislature,

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 3 of article VI of the constitution of said State, relating to the term of office of judges of courts of record.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation.

ANDERSON, ROSCOE J., Chairman.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No 175—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, powers and duties of the board, 11 and 15, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915;

Also Senate Bill No. 178—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 20, 1913, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 61—An act to regulate the occupations and practices of hairdressers and cosmeticians, cosmetologists, and the branches of cosmetology; to create the State Board of Cosmetology, and to provide for the issuance by said board of certificates of registration and licenses entitling the holders thereof to engage in and to teach such occupations and practices; to insure the better education of hairdressers and cosmeticians, to provide for rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of cosmetological establishments, schools of cosmetology, and places where the occupations of hairdressers and cosmeticians are practiced; prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FRY, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 99—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FRY, Chairman.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 8—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from the south bank of the San Joaquin River at or near the Antioch bridge via Antioch, Pittsburg, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek and to the Alameda County line via Tunnel road to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 12—An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 24—An act appropriating money for the resurvey and an estimate of the construction of the State highway known as the King's River Canyon road;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 61—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to lay out, construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from a point on the existing State highway, which extends from the town of Cordelia, Solano County, westerly through Jamison Canyon to the city of Napa, Napa County, said point of beginning being approximately three-quarters of a mile westerly of said town of Cordelia, thence extending in a general southwesterly direction through the American Canyon to the westerly end of said canyon, thence in a general southerly direction to the northerly bridgehead of the Carquinez Straits bridge, now being constructed across Carquinez Straits. Also commencing at said westerly end of the American Canyon and extending in a general northwesterly direction to a point on the intersection of the county highway which extends northerly from the city of Vallejo, Solano County, with the State highway, which extends from the town of Cordelia, Solano County, to the city of Napa, Napa County; said point of intersection being commonly known as the Napa wye;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 77—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Weed to Calor, near the Oregon state line, to be a State highway; providing for the construction of the same and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 82—*An act to authorize the making of a survey and the* preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek, on the Oregon-California line, by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act declaring and establishing a State highway from a point near Chester, in Plumas County, to a point on the boundary line of Lassen Volcanic National Park near Drakesbad;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 94—An act declaring the county road in El Dorado County, extending from Cool, through Georgetown and Wentworth Springs to Lake Tahoe to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 97—An act to amend sections 2 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade *and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown* in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester; and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, relating to the powers of such boards to employ a county forester, deputy county forester, and to fix their salaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 98—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to reconstruct and repave the uncompleted section of the existing State highway which extends from the town of Rio Vista, Solano County, to the town of Fairfield, Solano County, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 107—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 13 of "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 31, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to establish the Lassen Volcanic National Park Highway, and to declare the same to be a part of the State Highway System, and to provide for the survey and construction of such highway, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 129—An act declaring the highway extending from or near the town of Burney, Shasta County, California, to a place within said county known as Burney Falls, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 132—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the West Side Highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 146—An act providing for a resurvey, relocation and construction of that State highway known as "The Kings River Canyon Road";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 2639 of the Political Code, relating to maintenance of county roads;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 174—An act to amend section 365*d* of the Political Code, relating to maintenance of highways in counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to provide for the survey, location, construction, widening, straightening and maintaining of the Junipero Serra boulevard from

its intersection with Sloat boulevard, in the city and county of San Francisco, to the northerly boundary line of the city of Burlingame, county of San Mateo declaring and establishing the same as a State highway, or State highways, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 215—An act appropriating money for the purpose and things set forth in an act entitled "An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way, or rights of way, for a highway, or highways, from the county line of the city and county of San Francisco, in, to and through San Mateo County, and to construct the same at a location, or locations, to be selected by said commission; declaring and establishing the same as a State highway, or State highways; authorizing any county, or city and county, to contribute money or property toward the cost of construction and maintenance of said highway, or highways; authorizing the California Highway Commisson to accept said contributed money, or property, and to place the same and any other unappropriated money which may come under the control of said California Highway Commission in the general fund of the California Highway Commission, which fund is hereby created," approved May 18, 1923, and authorizing the State Controller to draw warrants and authorizing the State Treasurer to pay said warrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 399—An act declaring the public highway known as "Elm avenue" extending from or near the city of Fresno, Fresno County, California, to or near the town of Lemoore, Kings County, California, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 411—An act declaring the public highway extending from Los Banos, in Merced County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Newman, Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 458—An act requiring the State Engineer to make surveys and soundings in Richardson's Bay, and to submit plans for a terminal and for increasing transportation facilities along the waterfront of said Richardson's Bay, and making appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 539—An act relating to the Piute Pass highway; making a survey, location and estimate of cost of the highway to be known as the Piute Pass highway, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act declaring the county road in Amador and Sacramento counties extending from its intersection with the State highway, at a point about three miles west of Ione, northwesterly to its intersection with the Perkins-Michigan Bar road, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Yuba City, Sutter County, to Woodland, Yolo County, to be a State highway; providing for acquiring of rights of way and construction of a causeway with approaches, on said highway, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 643—An act declaring the public highway extending from or near Minturn, Madera County, to its intersection with that portion of the State highway known as the "Merced-El Portal" to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 679—An act to amend section 36*5g* of an act entitled "An act relating to eminent domain actions by the California Highway Commission," approved May 19, 1925, by adding a new subdivision entitled subdivision (*d*);

Also: Assembly Bill No. 750—An act declaring the public road commencing at or near Kane Springs, in Imperial County, and extending through Julian, in San Diego County, to Riverside, in Riverside County, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees growing and to be grown upon the roads, highways, grounds and property within the State of California; and for the planting, care, protection and preservation of shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers growing and to be grown in and upon such roads, highways, grounds and property; and to create county boards of forestry for such purposes; and to describe the duties and powers of such boards; and to authorize such boards to appoint county foresters; and to prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of county forester, and to empower such boards to enforce all laws and adopt and enforce any and all lawful and reasonable rules for the protection, planting, regulation, preservation, care and control of such shade and ornamental trees, hedges, lawns, shrubs and flowers," approved April 28, 1909, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 2687 of the Political Code, relating to compensation of viewers and surveyors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend sections 2781, 2782 and 2783 of the Political Code, providing for the approval of all plans, routes and specifications of toll roads by the California Highway Commission, providing for the fixing of tolls on such roads and for the reversion of such roads to the State or county;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 868—An act declaring and establishing the public highway extending from the city limits of Susanville in the county of Lassen to the city limits of the city of Alturas in the county of Modoc, by way of Ravendale and Likely, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 884—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a

State highway, and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No 893—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J A Murray and others with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County, and making an appropriation therefor.

Also. Assembly Bill No 898—An act to provide for competition on public works on which patented materials, patented mixtures, patented processes, or patented structures are specified, to regulate and provide conditions under which the State Highway Commission or the county board of supervisors, or officers of any city, town, or municipality shall specify, ask for bids, and use any such patented materials, mixtures, or processes for street, road, avenue, or alley construction, to provide for the filing of license agreements by owner, agent, or licensee of such patented materials, mixtures, processes, or structures and to provide a penalty for rebating royalties or prices as set forth in such filed license agreements.

Also Assembly Bill No 927—An act to provide for the construction of a paved highway by the joint highway district comprising the counties of Napa and Sonoma; said highway to commence at the town of Calistoga, in the county of Napa; thence running along the present traveled county road of Napa to and through Knights Valley and Alexander Valley, in the county of Sonoma, and to Sausal Creek in said Sonoma County, connecting with the paved road leading to the Redwood highway northerly of the town of Healdsburg; to appropriate the sum of $200,000 to be used therefor in connection with the further sum of $300,000 to be appropriated by the joint highway district comprising the counties of Napa and Sonoma.

Also Assembly Bill No. 979—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory or a county or the territory of a county or the territory of another municipality whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes, and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements," amended May 23, 1925;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1007—An act declaring the public highway extending from the town of Broderick, Yolo County, to Corning, Tehama County, to be a State highway;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1022—An act to provide for the organization and government of road districts and to provide for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of roads in such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to amend section 2651 of the Political Code, relating to the purposes for which the general road fund of a county may be used.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to amend section 2655 of the Political Code, relating to county taxes for highway purposes.

Also. Assembly Bill No 1088—An act declaring a certain public highway, extending from Santa Monica to the easterly boundary of the city of Los Angeles, to be a State highway;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1089—An act to create a highway district to be called Los Angeles Metropolitan Highway District; to provide for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of highways and of all necessary or desirable incidents thereto; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collection of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district and to define the duties and powers of the officers thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1159—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary

therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," approved May 25, 1923, as amended, relating to bridge and highway districts, by adding section 3¼ thereto, permitting the withdrawal of certain counties or cities and counties from such a district under certain conditions.

Also Assembly Bill No 1191—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from a point at or near Shavers Well on a certain State highway extending from or near the town of Mecca to or near the city of Blythe, known as route 64, to a point at or near the town of Indio on a certain State highway extending from or near the city of San Bernardino to or near the city of El Centro, known as route 26, to be a State highway and providing for the construction and improvement of the same;

Also Assembly Bill No 1241—An act relating to the advertising and specifications for bids for patented materials or processes for paving or surfacing of public highways, roads and streets and requiring the advertisement and specifications for bids to admit bids for unpatented pavements or surfacing materials,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HAWES, Chairman.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 11—An act to repeal section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to the imposing of sentences in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter;

Also Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny;

Also: Assembly Bill No 91—An act to amend section 264 of the Penal Code, relating to crimes against the person;

Also Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code relating to grand larceny;

Also Assembly Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 800 of the Penal Code of California, relating to the limitation of prosecution in felony cases,

Also Assembly Bill No 136—An act to amend section 647 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to vagrants,

Also Assembly Bill No 237—An act to amend section 57*a* of the Penal Code, relating to officers of election aiding in wrongdoing;

Also Assembly Bill No. 314—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same and providing penalties therefor,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to the definition of the crime of grand larceny,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 321—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1044, relating to the duties of judges in the trial of criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend section 1049 of the Penal Code, relating to time allowed defendant to prepare for trial in criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No 324—An act to amend sections 1246 and 1252 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1256, and to repeal sections 1247, 1247*a*, 1247*b*, 1247*c* and 1247*d* of the Penal Code, relating to appeals in criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No 325—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds;

Also Assembly Bill No 326—An act to amend section 1280 of the Penal Code, and to repeal section 1280*b*, of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon;

Also Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1280*a*, of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds, providing that bail bonds shall constitute lien on property, and providing for the filing of notice with the county recorder, the justification of sureties on bonds, and for subsequent release of lien by the court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 328—An act to amend section 1278 of the Penal Code, relating to bail bonds and prescribing the form thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1050, and to repeal section 1052 of the Penal Code, relating to trials and continuances of criminal cases;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 330—An act to amend section 861 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which preliminary examination must be completed,

Also Assembly Bill No. 331—An act to amend section 1008 of the Penal Code, relating to the amendment of indictment or information;

Also Assembly Bill No 332—An act to amend section 1191 of the Penal Code, relating to time for pronouncing judgment in criminal cases.

Also Assembly Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 1180 of the Penal Code, relating to the effect of an order granting a new trial in criminal cases.

Also Assembly Bill No 334—An act to amend section 1168 of the Penal Code, relating to sentences under the indeterminate sentence law and prescribing minimum terms of imprisonment to be served in certain cases before parole is granted

Also. Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 1156 of the Penal Code, relating to special verdict in criminal cases.

Also Assembly Bill No 336—An act to amend section 1151 of the Penal Code, relating to general verdicts in criminal cases.

Also Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend sections 1006 and 1011 of the Penal Code, relating to demurrers in criminal cases and effect of overruling thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 995 of the Penal Code and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 995*a*, relating to indictments and informations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 339—An act to repeal section 1077 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges to individual jurors in criminal cases.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 340—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1506, relating to appeals and habeas corpus cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to amend section 960 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 959 of the Penal Code, relating to the sufficiency of indictments, informations, and complaints.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend section 1306 of the Penal Code, relating to forfeiture of bail bonds.

Also: Assembly Bill No 344—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for murder;

Also Assembly Bill No. 345—An act to amend section 809 of the Penal Code, relating to the filing of informations in criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No 346—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of persons convicted of two or more offenses

Also Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 1243 of the Penal Code, relating to stay of execution pending appeal in criminal cases.

Also Assembly Bill No. 348—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 969*a*, relating to pleading prior convictions in indictments or informations and providing for the filing of supplemental information charging prior conviction which may have been omitted in original indictment or information.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 349—An act to amend section 668 of the Penal Code, relating to added punishment of criminals because of prior convictions outside of this State

Also Assembly Bill No. 350—An act to amend sections 1070, 1089, and 1098 of the Penal Code, relating to number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No 351—An act to amend section 952 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment or information.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 352—An act to amend sections 954 and 956 of the Penal Code, relating to pleadings and form of indictment, information, or complaint in criminal cases.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 353—An act to amend section 951 of the Penal Code, relating to the form of indictment or information in criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No 354—An act to repeal sections 941 and 942 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 355—An act to amend sections 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489 and 490 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 490*a*, defining the crime of theft and prescribing punishment therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 1287 of the Penal Code, relating to form of bail bonds and justification of sureties thereon after returning and filing of indictment by grand jury;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 644 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of habitual criminals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to the time of filing of transcripts of testimony and delivery of copy thereof to defendant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 359—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1275, relating to bail bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 360—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*b*, relating to punishment for criminal offenses;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 361—An act to amend section 1123 of the Penal Code, relating to alternate jurors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 1096 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1096*a*, relating to reasonable doubt and the presumption of innocence, and the manner of charging juries concerning them;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 363—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to the granting of probation after conviction in criminal cases and permitting the pleading of said conviction where the defendant is prosecuted for a subsequent offense;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to amend section 1078 of the Penal Code, relating to selection of jurors by trial judge;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1181 of the Penal Code, relating to the grounds upon which new trials may be granted and providing for modification of verdicts in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to enforce the attendance of witnesses in felony cases in another state or territory of the United States, and providing penalty for failure to comply with the Governor's subpena issued for attendance of such witness;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 367—An act to amend section 969 of the Penal Code, relating to pleading of prior convictions in indictments or informations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 1281 of the Penal Code, relating to discharge of defendant in criminal cases on allowance of bail;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 369—An act creating the California Crime Commission, defining its duties, and making appropriation for its expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 370—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026*a*, relating to release of defendant committed to State institution for insane in criminal case;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 371—An act to amend sections 1016, 1017, and 1020 of the Penal Code, to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1026, and to repeal section 1167 of the Penal Code, relating to procedure when defendant in a criminal case claims insanity as a defense;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 162*a*, relating to the duty of district attorneys to disclose material evidence in criminal cases and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 432—An act to amend section 1070 of the Penal Code, relating to the number of peremptory challenges in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 165 of the Penal Code, relating to bribery of public officials;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend sections 915 and 925 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of grand juries and requiring transcript of testimony before same to be made and copy thereof to be delivered to an indicted defendant

Also: Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 859 of the Penal Code, relating to the postponement of preliminary examinations for purpose of obtaining counsel;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 681*a*, relating to trials in criminal cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 825 of the Penal Code, relating to the time within which a defendant must be taken before a magistrate;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 1278*a*, relating to the form of undertakings of bail.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 721—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1305*a* concerning the notice to defendant or surety of the forfeiture of a bail bond or deposit in lieu of bail, or of the commencement of an action for the recovery of the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 722—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 1280*c*, relating to the recordation of bail bonds, making a lien on property and providing for the release of the lien;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 1280 of the Penal Code, relating to examination of sureties on bail bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 724—An act to amend section 1297 of the Penal Code, relating to money deposited in court in lieu of bail;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend section 1302 of the Penal Code, relating to the return of money deposited with the clerk of the court in lieu of bail;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 862*a*, relating to the powers and duties of the magistrate at the time of fixing the amount of bail;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 727—An act to amend section 1280*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the contents of affidavits made at the time of justification of bail.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 766—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1102*a*, prescribing what evidence of confessions and admissions may be admitted in evidence upon the trial of any criminal cause, and regulating the mode of obtaining such evidence and presenting the same to the trial court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 767—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1543, excluding personal property taken, seized, or obtained in violation of the provisions of section 19 of article I of the constitution of California and the further provisions of chapter III of title XII of part II of the Penal Code, from use in evidence upon the trial of criminal causes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 781—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to the setting of backfires;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to the wilful and malicious burning of buildings and structures under circumstances not amounting to arson;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 601 of the Penal Code, relating to malicious use of explosives and inflammable substances;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 846—An act to amend section 647 of the Penal Code, relating to vagrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1126—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the sentence imposed in cases of conviction of two or more crimes

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1138—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to amend section 669 of the Penal Code, relating to the sentence imposed in cases of conviction of two or more crimes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1147—An act to add a new section to be numbered 273*b*, to the Penal Code, relating to the publication of names of persons under 16 years of age charged with crime;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 465, relating to unlawful entry of premises where narcotics are kept;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1181—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 537*c*, relating to removal of property;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 100—An act to appropriate money for the erection of an additional building or buildings and for other improvements at the Veterans' Home at Yountville;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Alvah H. Mitchell against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 405—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 433—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of John A. Ingelhart against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Highlands Fruit Association, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 441—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale

of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to salary of Corporation Commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No 568—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 762, relating to the appointment of law secretaries by judges of the Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No 569—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 763, relating to the salaries of law secretaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to provide for the destruction by the State Fish and Game Commission of certain fish in Clear Lake, in the county of Lake, State of California; for the disposal thereof; to pay a bonus therefor, and appropriating moneys in order to carry out the provisions of this act.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the conduct of research and investigation of sewage and industrial wastes to determine upon proper methods for treatment and disposal, and providing for an advisory council;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of the Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 872—An act to amend section 756 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of deputy clerks of supreme court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1109—An act to appropriate $20,000 to be used to make surveys for and to be used in the construction of a breakwater at the mouth of the Navarro River, for the purpose of properly protecting fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act appropriating $1,410 to pay the claim of Lyman C. Meek against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1213—An act making an appropriation for the construction and equipment of buildings for the San Diego State Teachers College;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. L. and Louis Price against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to appropriate money to pay the claims of corporations, arising from exemptions under the provisions of section 14, article XIII of the constitution for the return of corporate license tax erroneously collected;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the State Corporation Department and the Commissioner of Corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. A. Howell against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Gorham Brothers against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WRIGHT, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to imitation milk, imitation condensed or evaporated milk, imitation dried milk, imitation cheese, imitation ice cream, renovated butter, and oleomargarine, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms, symbols, and illustrations in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 477—An act to prevent the unnecessary flow of water from subterranean sources from artificial wells and prescribing penalties therefor, and defining artificial wells and unnecessary flow, and repealing all acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 797—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2985, relating to the care and treatment of tubercular persons in private sanitariums and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this section;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 719—An act to provide for the examination and licensing of plumbers, the construction, alteration and maintenance of the plumbing and drainage of buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated cities, counties, and cities and counties, and to provide the penalties for violation thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FRY, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 909—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 6 and section 10 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of artificially colored butter and neutralized butter;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 102—An act creating a Board of Examiners to examine and license barbers; prescribing its duties; providing for a license to barbers to practice their trade or calling, and providing punishment for a violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 606—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, as added to said Code by an act entitled "An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4225*a* authorizing the appointment of public health nurses by boards of supervisors and providing for the determination of their duties, qualifications and compensation," approved April 30, 1919, relating to the duties of county public health nurses;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FRY, Chairman.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 35—An act to regulate employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State and prescribing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 27, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 198—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 69*b*, providing for the filing of a health certificate before marriage licenses are issued, and making the issuance of false certificates a felony;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 409—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered 1½, relating to the ownership of pharmacies or drug stores;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12½ and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 21¼ to an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulations,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," as amended, June 14, 1923, relating to issuing certificates to practice orthodontia and midwifery; defining orthodontia; providing educational requirements and examination of applicants to practice orthodontia;

Also: Senate Bill No. 135—An act to add a new section to be numbered 7*m* to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to a chief narcotic enforcement officer;

Also: Senate Bill No. 176—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to the ownership of pharmacies or drug stores;

Also: Senate Bill No. 310—An act to amend the State Medical Practice Act, approved June 2, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section known as section 11*a*, relating to the recognition of a certificate of examination issued by the National Board of Medical Examiners of the United States;

Also. Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, and amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

LENEHAN, Chairman.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 19—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 20—An act limiting the hours on duty of employees and members of paid fire departments of any county, city and county, city, town, district, or other political subdivision of the state; fixing the length of weekly leaves of absence and yearly vacation without loss of pay, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 21—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 39—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 234—An act to amend sections 23, 25, 27, 61 and 62, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the costs thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 303—An act authorizing municipalities to declare any accumulation of stagnant water, manure, garbage, offal, rubbish, or filthy or offensive matter of any kind upon private property within municipalities to be a public nuisance and creating a lien upon the property upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same;

Also: Senate Bill No. 765—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks;

Also Senate Bill No. 766—An act to amend sections 15 and 19 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the

cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relative to the filing by contractors and others of bonds or certified checks.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 547—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to the power of the city council to overrule a majority protest by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of its members, and to omit the provision giving the council such power therefrom;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 792—An act to amend sections 60 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 880—An act providing that the legislative body of any municipality or county shall transmit to the tax collector thereof a statement of the real property within such municipality or county against which assessment has been made for public improvements and providing that such statement in condensed form shall be stamped on tax bills for the purpose of giving notice to property owners of such assessments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 917—An act to amend section 876 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to duty of treasurer in cities of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 923—An act to amend the title and sections 1, 2 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance by municipalities of lighting systems along public streets, alleys and other public places and for lighting thereof by electric current, gas or other illuminating agent; and for the assessment of the cost and the expense thereof upon the property benefited and the manner of collecting such assessment," approved May 16, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No 971—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations" (Statutes 1883, page 93), relative to record and notice of action taken under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 972—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved March 11, 1909, relating to records of such proceedings;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of incorporated towns and cities by the annexation of uninhabited territory thereto, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part of such municipality, and for the districting,

government and municipal control of annexed territory," which became a law under constitutional provision without Governor's approval, on March 2, 1899, relative to record of annexation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend sections 1 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to incorporated towns and cities and for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part of such municipalities and for the districting, government, and municipal control of annexed territory," approved March 19, 1889, relative to record of annexation and to apportionment of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relative to record of consolidation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 978—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for changing the boundaries of cities and municipal corporations, and to exclude uninhabited territory therefrom," approved June 11, 1912, relative to record of exclusion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to provide for the establishment of set back lines by any county, city or city and county along any present or proposed street or highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to provide for an election between property owners affected to determine whether any street work for any improvement of any nature whatsoever which contemplates the issuance of bonds or the levying of an assessment or other charge shall or shall not be undertaken and to provide procedure for the calling and holding thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act granting to the city and county of San Francisco all the lands known as Channel or Channel Street, southwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seventh Street, in said city and county.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of incorporated and/or unincorporated territory to municipal corporations and for the incorporation and consolidation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WOOLWINE, Chairman.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs used for feeding live stock and poultry and to establish a standard therefor, and providing for the branding and labeling of same, and requiring the obtaining of a permit from the State Department of Agriculture by any manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State said commercial feeding stuffs and requiring every manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person who shall mix for another or sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this State such commercial feeding stuffs to register the name, brand of trade mark under which such commercial feeding stuffs are mixed for another, sold, offered or exposed for sale or distributed in this State and empowering the State Department of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act and providing for penalties for the violation of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 960—An act establishing and creating the deciduous fruit experiment station, providing for investigation, research and demonstration in regard to deciduous fruits and nuts, including olives and figs, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act, and to repeal those two certain acts designated respectively as chapter DLXXI of the Statutes of 1919 and entitled "An act appropriating money for investigation, research and demonstration by the Department of Agriculture of the University of California, in regard to deciduous fruits and nuts including olives and figs," approved May 27, 1919; and chapter DCCXLIV of the Statutes of 1921, entitled "An act appropriating money for investigation, research, and demonstration by the Department of Agriculture of the University of California with regard to deciduous fruits and nuts, including olives and figs," approved June 3, 1921;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JOST, Chairman.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 10—Relating to the immigration policy of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WITTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax Act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WITTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the development of the Colorado River and memorializing Congress to adopt legislation providing for such development—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WITTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8—Relative to the elimination of surcharges and surtaxes on Pullman fares and chair car fares—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WITTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19—Relative to an act of Congress of the United States, restraining immigration of aliens ineligible to citizenship—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WITTER, Chairman.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to secure to native-born and naturalized citizens of the United States the exclusive right to be employed in any department of the State, county, city and county and city government in this State, except in certain schools, to validate certain acts and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment, and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or service in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 302—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman,

or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, so as to make the act apply also to manufacturing, mechanical and mercantile industries, sanitariums, relief homes, asylums, banks, general and professional offices, insurance offices and real estate offices;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 816—An act regulating the employment of railroad, interurban, tramway and street car flagmen and signalmen;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1143—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics; providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, as amended, to be numbered section 5*a*, relating to children under fourteen years of age appearing as actors and/or actresses upon any stage;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1145—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, excluding nonprofit corporations or organizations from the effect of this statute;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McDONOUGH, Chairman.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 577—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, Statutes 1897, page 254, as amended, by amending the title of said act and adding thereto six new sections to be numbered 108*a*, 108*b*, 108*c*, 108*d*, 108*e*, 108*f*, to provide for the construction, reconstruction, betterment or improvement of an irrigation system, or systems or the purchase or acquisition of an irrigation system or systems already constructed, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to prevent the pumping of water from any well or wells in such undue quantities as to render unfit for use the supply of fresh water contained in any other well or wells or cause the fertility of any overlying or adjacent land to be diminished by reason of the incursion of salt water into the underlying basin due to the lowering of the said water table;

Also: Senate Bill No. 852—An act authorizing the Department of Finance to appropriate unappropriated waters of the State looking to the development of a general coordinated plan of utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act to amend section 5 of the "California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to the number of directors in irrigation districts of five hundred thousand acres or more;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MIXTER, Chairman.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to article XIII of the constitution of the State of California relative to revenue and taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 1665*b* to the Political Code, relating to the teaching of the theory that mankind either descended or ascended from a lower order of animals in the public schools, colleges, universities and other institutions of learning supported in whole or in part by public education funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to amend section 1563 of the Political Code, relating to compensation of teachers while attending institutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 151—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*a*, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to special classes in schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 220—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code, relating to annexation of common school districts to high school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to organization of high school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and of city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 1577 of the Political Code, relating to the formation of new school districts and providing for board and lodging for school children under certain conditions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 479—An act to amend sections 1618, 1551, 1817, 1764, 1858, 1532, 1761, 443, and 1760 of the Political Code, relating to education, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein, approved May 27, 1921," by amending section 8 thereof, relative to the powers of the junior college board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 517—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of school property unoccupied by any public school, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1617½ relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 1669, to the Political Code, relating to courses of instruction in schools, colleges, universities, and other educational institutions of the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the California School for the Deaf, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings;

Also Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1607*c*, relating to schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another,

Also Assembly Bill No. 745—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time education in high schools,

Also Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds and the temporary transfer of funds to the credit of school districts

Also: Assembly Bill No. 831—9n act to amend section 1613 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of the use of school buildings,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to provide for the registration of minors who are deaf, providing for duties of superintendents of schools in relation thereto and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No 914—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service holding positions requiring certification qualifications;

Also: Assembly Bill No 919—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to high schools and high school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 946—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the formation and prohibit the existence of secret, oathbound fraternities in the public schools," approved March 13, 1909, relating to membership in organizations not included in the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1009— An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1535, relating to the cooperative purchase of school supplies in districts not governed by a city board of education;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1145—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, excluding nonprofit corporations or organizations from the effect of this statute;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to amend sections 443, 1750*b*, and 1761 of the Political Code, relating to the apportionment of school funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act authorizing the establishing of special adjustment schools by school districts, providing for the admission of pupils to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BYRNE, Chairman.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 30—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to consent to parole—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

KELSEY, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to the parole of prisoners from the State prison—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

KELSEY, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 546—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled, 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915, by amending section 1 thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

KELSEY, Chairman.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1078—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

PATTERSON, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to prohibit the railroads in the State of California from collecting the surcharge or surtax on Pullman sleeper and chair car fares within the State

Also Assembly Bill No. 295—An act requiring private service corporations to tender receipts for all charges paid and specifying the amount of State taxes thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 499—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining 'food commodities,' and 'food warehouseman'; declaring food warehousemen to be public utilities and subject to control and regulation by the Railroad Commission as specifically provided, prohibiting the storage of food commodities except in accordance with the provisions of this act; making unlawful certain discriminating and monopolizing practice by food warehousemen and those dealing with food warehousemen, except as provided by the Railroad Commission; requiring food warehousemen to file schedules showing certain rates, charges, and other matters with the railroad commission and to keep the same open to public inspection, and providing for the uniform operation of such rates and charges, and prohibiting the business of storing food commodities unless such schedules are filed and made public, and empowering the Railroad Commission to fix the rates, charges, rules and regulations of food warehousemen, to change the form of such schedules and forbidding, except as otherwise ordered by the Railroad Commission, changes in or departures from such schedules except on certain conditions, and forbidding acceptance of rates or charges differing from the rates or charges in such schedules by those dealing with food warehousemen, subject to exceptions by the Railroad Commission; declaring certain contracts illegal and void and forbidding recovery thereon, providing for applications and complaints and other procedure before the Railroad Commission and the courts in matters wherein authority is conferred by this act upon the commission, defining the duties of the Attorney General upon the violation of certain provisions, providing for actions to enjoin violations of certain provisions and to recover damages for such violations; making the violation of certain provisions a misdemeanor and providing penalties; and declaring the purpose and effect of this act," approved May 5, 1919;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 567—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California, by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925;

Also Assembly Bill No. 572—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended, relating to the number of employees on passenger, mail or express trains, and the number of employees on freight, mixed or work trains of various lengths;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 5 and to add a new section to be numbered 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved February 20, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to regulate telephone service, the taking of names when giving "number service," and providing penalties for the violation thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1071—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV. of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 5 and 11 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for

the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to definition and regulation of transportation companies;

Also Assembly Bill No 1093—An act to amend section 47 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties, and the rights, remedies and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons or corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act to amend section 52 of the Public Utilities Act; approved December 23, 1911, as amended, relating to the issuance of securities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to amend section 1 of an act known as the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, declaring bridges and public utilities subject to the jurisdiction, regulation and control of the Railroad Commission;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1144—An act regulating freight or other carrier charges on commodities manufactured at one point and assembled at another; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the provisions thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund" and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part VI of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the commission to award reparation;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 29 of the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915;

Also: Senate Bill No. 258—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 63½, to the Public Utilities Act, approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to increase in rates;

Also: Senate Bill No. 863—An act to provide for the escheat to the State of California of all moneys collected by any public utility in excess of the rate fixed by the Railroad Commission or other rate fixing body which shall have remained unclaimed for more than four years after the final determination of the legality of such rates and to provide procedure for the collection and disposition thereof and the filing of reports in respect thereto and to provide penalties for the violation of the same;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MILLER, JAMES A., Chairman.

ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, APRIL 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 740—An act to require the State Printer to print, and provide for sale and distribution to the public, the decisions of the Supreme Court, the district courts of appeal, and the codes and general laws of the State;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DUVAL, Chairman.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 187—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of and to add a new section to be numbered 11 to an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex-Union soldiers, sailors, and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended, relating to compensation of person appointed to supervise burial;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 911—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex-Union soldiers, sailors, and marines dying without sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

KEATON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to preference to be given veterans in the employment of labor for the construction of buildings at the Veterans' Home, Yountville, county of Napa, State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

KEATON, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC MORALS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to ascertain the opinion of the people of the State as to the modification by Congress of the federal act to enforce the Eighteenth amendment of the constitution of the United States, so that the same shall not prohibit the manufacture, sale, transportation, importation or exportation of beverages which are not in fact intoxicating as determined in accordance with the laws of the respective states;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 119—An act to amend section 330 of the Penal Code, relating to gambling;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any spirituous, vinous, malt or other alcoholic liquor is unlawfully sold, served, or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such liquors; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances," approved April 28, 1915;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, D. P., Chairman.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 111—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4041*b*, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties, and cities and counties;

Also Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 184—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the forty-second class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to amend section 1940 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and deputy probation officer in counties of the fortieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to add a new section, to be known as section 4219½, to the Political Code, relating to and defining the powers and duties of the county surveyor pertaining to and concerning the preparation of plans, specifications, drawings and estimates for the building and construction of roads, highways and bridges, the superintendence of the maintenance, repair and construction of permanent highways in the county and providing for the designation by the board of supervisors

of the surveyor as the person to prepare plans specifications, drawings and estimates for the building, construction, repair and maintenance of any road highway or bridge and to supervise the building, construction, repair and maintenance of such road, highway or bridge;

Also Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to amend sections 18 and 19a40 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Juvenile Court Law,' and concerning persons under the age of 21 years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend section 2322*x*36 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of horticultural commissioners, their deputies and assistants in counties of the thirty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 875—An act to amend section 19*x*15 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also Assembly Bill No. 935—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1005—An act to amend section 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the boards of supervisors to levy a tax for exposition purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1066—An act to amend section 4223 of the Political Code, relating to the establishment of a uniform system of county and township governments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 4236*h* of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees and expenses of district attorney in counties of the seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 228—An act to amend section 4143 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the coroner;

Also Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½ to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto;

Also Senate Bill No 345—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ROCHESTER, Chairman.

ON CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 392—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 26*a*, relating to appeal to the superior court from decisions of the Commissioner of Corporations and providing procedure therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporation and providing for compensation therefor," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 857—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act to regulate the business of installment investment companies; to require the issuance of permits; to prescribe rules and regulations for the transaction of business and to prescribe penalties for violation of the terms hereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

GANT, Chairman.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing ginger ale, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 218—An act to add a new section to be numbered 10, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the filing of names, marks or other devices used to indicate ownership, providing for certain benefits therefrom, and prescribing penalties for violating the provisions hereof; repealing an act approved March 21, 1911, entitled 'An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons and kegs used in the sale of olives, olive oil, salad oil, soda waters, mineral or aerated water, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, white beer or other beverages, repealing "An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons, and kegs used in the sale of soda waters, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer, or other beverages," approved March 31, 1891, also repealing an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, siphons, and kegs, used in the sale of soda waters, mineral and areated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer or other beverages, approved March 31, 1891, by adding thereto a new section after section 4 thereof relating to deposits, to be numbered as section 5 of said act, by renumbering section 5 of said act as section 6 thereof, and amending the same relating to assignments, and by renumbering section 6 of said act as section 7 thereof," approved March 5, 1903,' approved May 26, 1921," relating to the enforcement of the provisions of the act by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California and authorizing said department to accept and use in the enforcement of the act funds voluntarily subscribed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 676—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 4, to an act entitled "An act to prevent the adulteration of paints, oils, varnishes and pigments," approved March 22, 1907, relating to labeling of paint containers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BURNS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 34— An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3236, relating to preference on public contracts and furnishing supplies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

BURNS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to promote the manufacture and distribution of pure fruit beverages as a means of broadening markets for California fruits; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto, including the collection of fees; prescribing penalties for violations hereof, and making provisions for use of necessary funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BURNS, Chairman.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 532 of the Penal Code, relating to obtaining money, labor or property by false pretenses, so as to make the hiring of additional employees without advising them of outstanding labor claims

that the employer has been unable to meet prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, making it a violation of this section for an employer of labor to neglect to communicate to any employee any condition which will make it impossible to meet his pay roll when due, or highly improbable that he can do so, also clarifying procedure under the section—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 651—An act to regulate the signing of criminal bonds by professional bondsmen, their agents or representatives; to regulate the fees charged for professional bonds by professional bondsmen, their agents or representatives; requiring reports of statements to be filed with certain public officers and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 887—An act to add a new section to be numbered 8a to an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended, relating to the payment of expenses of the sheriffs of the several counties incurred in the forwarding of copies of finger prints, descriptions of persons arrested or of fugitives from justice or other information to the State Bureau of Criminal Identification;

Also: Senate Bill No. 12—An act to amend section 487 of the Penal Code, relating to grand larceny;

Also: Senate Bill No. 540—An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of machine guns; providing for the registration of sales of machine guns; prohibiting the possession and use of machine guns, except by lawfully authorized persons, and to provide for their confiscation and destruction in certain cases; prohibiting the ownership, use or possession of machine guns by certain classes of persons; authorizing the granting of licenses to possess or carry machine guns; to provide for the licensing of retail dealers of such weapons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 376—An act to amend section 1180 of the Penal Code, relating to the effect of an order granting a new trial in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HORNBLOWER, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to flood control for lands bordering the Mississippi River.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By W. R. LINDERSMITH, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 29, 1927.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relative to memorializing Congress for federal aid in the construction of a breakwater in Monterey Bay at or near the city of Monterey—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Approving two certain amendments to the

charter of the city of San Luis Obispo, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held on the fourth day of April, 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act making appropriation to pay the claim of Thomas B. Dozier against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of licenses to take Pismo clams for purposes other than for sale or profit in order to provide revenue therefrom for the preservation, protection and restoration of Pismo clams, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act relating to the service of county free libraries;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1163—An act to amend section 3064c of the Political Code, relating to the State Board of Equalization;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Pacific Colony Act' to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to prescribe penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for subsidies, of the Bureau of Tuberculosis of the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act authorizing suits against the State to quiet title against it to real property purchased under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to survey and dispose of certain marsh and tidelands belonging to the State of California," approved March 30, 1868, or any of the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and regulating the procedure therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the location of the town site of Crescent City," approved February 12, 1859, as amended or supplemented, relating to the sale, exchange or gift of unclaimed lands by the common council of Crescent City;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Tryon and Brain against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1244—An act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, and 26 and to repeal sections 12 and 29 of an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, relating to license fees and the administration of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1251—An act prescribing the terms upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to practitioners of barbering, creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and declaring its powers and duties, prescribing penalties for violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1262—An act legalizing and validating the formation and organization of Sacramento Municipal Utility District in the county of Sacramento, State of California; declaring the same created; fixing, defining and establishing the boundaries thereof; and providing for its management and control subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of California, relative to municipal utility districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses of the legislative committee appointed pursuant to provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, adopted at the forty-seventh session of the Legislature, expenses incurred in employment of clerical or other help thereof, witness fees and other miscellaneous expenses;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-third class

Also Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to add two new sections to be numbered 9 and 10 to an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, relating to the status of prisoners at prison road camps and making an appropriation for the maintenance of such road camps;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend sections 751 and 851 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to titles of officers of cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 16 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison directors to transfer to the California Highway Commission from the appropriations for the support of San Quentin Prison or Folsom Prison an amount or amounts, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of providing compensation for such convicts as may be in the custody of the California Highway Commission in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923," as amended, and as the same may be amended from time to time;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Also Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 736a of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to amend sections 6 and 32 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California, to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into

effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Also Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the maintenance of schools for the children of migratory laborers engaged in seasonal industries in the rural districts of the State and making an appropriation therefor, and creating a revolving fund and providing for the apportionment of school funds.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the sixth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city;

Also Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536c, relating to the handling of funds received for farm products sold on consignment.

Also Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to amend sections 6, 9, 10 and 11 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, as amended relating to cemetery districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and expenses of officers of counties of the fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 of the General Dairy Law of California, relating to milk and products of milk and containers thereof, labeling, adulterants, dairy plant sanitation, pasteurization, licenses, testing milk and cream, and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Also Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 9*a*13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries in the State of California and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide county library systems,' approved April 12, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved February 25, 1911, as amended, relating to the salary of the county librarian in the counties of the thirteenth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 430—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 2322*r*6 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies, inspectors, and clerks of the counties of the sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend sections 948 and 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to repeal section 947 of the said code, relating to undertakings upon appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to amend sections 537 and 538 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes, and disposition of money received;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to amend section 3816 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of redemption moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to provide for the promotion and maintenance of classes for children with defective speech, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 2322*x*26 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the county horticultural commissioner, his deputies and inspectors and clerks, of the counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of county and township officers, and organization of townships in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Grace E. Kelshaw, as county treasurer of the county of San Luis Obispo, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend sections 5, 10, 26, 31, 36, 45, 48, 49, and 60 of the "State Housing Act" approved June 15, 1923, as amended, relating to garages, air intakes, sinks, exits, ceiling heights, gas heaters and ventilation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to validate the organization and existence of municipal improvement districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend sections 1, 8, 10 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of

county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storm, tornadoes and earthquakes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend section 1 of and to add two new sections to be designated section 2 and 3 to an act entitled "An act granting to municipal corporations of the State of California the right to construct, operate and maintain water and gas pipes, mains and conduits, electric light and electric power lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and sewers and appurtenances thereof across, along, in, under or upon any road, street, alley, avenue, or highway or across any railway, canal, ditch or flume, and providing for the means by which the terms, conditions and location of such use shall be determined," approved May 2, 1923, by providing the manner by which terms, conditions, location and safety factors shall be determined;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 959—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to grant to the county of San Bernardino for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in San Bernardino;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless either employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of rejection of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4264*b*, relating to highways and the highway tax in counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2655*a*, relating to records of county road districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 26 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to subrogation procedure in workmen's compensation cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1044—An act to amend section 714 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to examination of judgment debtor concerning his property in certain cases;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of El Dorado;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa county;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*qq*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Sutter;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*s*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yolo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 64—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salary of judge of the superior court in and for the county of Yuba;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of jury commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*l*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of Madera County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 737*v* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of superior court judges in the counties of Alameda, Los Angeles and San Francisco;

Also: Assembly Bill No 84—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Marin;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the county of Tuolumne;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Shasta;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to provide for the investigation of the economic problems of agriculture, and the appointment of a commission and the making of an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act to amend section 737*l* of the Political Code, relating to the annual salary of the superior court judge of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to amend section 5 of the Hide and Brand Law, relating to revocation of licenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 188—An act to add a new section to be numbered 737*ll* to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of Nevada County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 194—An act declaring portions of the lands conveyed to the city of San Diego by an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof" approved May 1, 1911, as amended, unavailable for navigation and fishery and excluding such portions from use for navigation, commerce and fishing, and granting such portions of said tidelands to the city of San Diego and county of San Diego for certain county and municipal purposes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to enable counties to join with incorporated cities and towns within such counties in the joint construction of public buildings to be used jointly for county and municipal purposes" approved May 29, 1913, by adding thereto two new sections to be numbered 3 and 4, relating to the manner of entering into such joint construction agreements and authorizing the incurring of an indebtedness for the purpose of constructing any such building;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 212—An act requiring persons engaged in the business of cleaning, tailoring, or dyeing clothing to insure property coming into their possession against loss;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*abc*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Del Norte;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act to amend section 737*eee* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts of the State of California in and for the counties of San Joaquin, San Bernardino, Orange and Sacramento;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*x*, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the county of Kern;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, bonding, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*z*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Calaveras;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Amador;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 461—An act providing for the organization and government of public service districts for the purpose of establishing and maintaining and providing for the sanitation of public labor camps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend sections 170 and 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act to amend section 737*o* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges in Inyo, Mariposa and Mono counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish; and to repeal section 633 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to amend section 738*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of judges of the superior courts in and for the counties of Lassen and Plumas;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*xx*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Modoc;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to issuance of licenses to marry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to provide a stenographer and typist for judges of the superior courts, and providing for their salaries and the payment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 677—An act providing for the creation and management of the Tamalpais State Park, making an appropriation therefor and creating the Tamalpais State Park Commission, with power to acquire land and other property for the creation, maintenance and improvement of said park, and for additions thereto, and to maintain and manage the same, and to appoint a guardian thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 716—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers and employees of counties of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to amend section 737*g* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the judges of the superior court of the county of Santa Cruz.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ww*, relating to the salary of superior judge in Contra Costa County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in and for the county of Stanislaus;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to amend section 77 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, as amended, relating to the registration fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*y*, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of San Benito;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act to amend sections 2*a*, 7, 11, 14, 14*a*, 14*d*, 15½, 36, 37 and 39 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, as amended, to be numbered section 16¼, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges trading in butter, cheese or eggs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification of insurance, and the reserves required in certain classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to validate bonds of municipal improvement districts, and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining powers and duties of Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, as amended, relating to farm and home aid of widows of deceased veterans;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judges of the superior court in the county of San Mateo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act providing for an investigation of old age pension systems, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act to amend sections 514, 515, and 516 of the Political Code, relating to the Superintendent of Public Instruction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to amend sections 1720, 1750*a*, and 1617 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 737*m* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior judges in Solano and Napa counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to amend section 737*j* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior courts of the county of San Luis Obispo;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 737*ab* of the Political Code, relating to salary of the judge of the superior court in and for Merced County.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys; abolishing the accident prevention fund and disposing of balance in said fund; and making an appropriation for support of Industrial Accident Commission.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'Industrial Accident Fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein," approved May 23, 1925;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to amend section 737*n* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Butte;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 412 of the Penal Code, relating to bandages on the hands or arms of contestants in amateur boxing;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code, which section was added to said code by chapter DCCCLXXVII of the Statutes of 1921, and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 737*f*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 633*a* of the Political Code, relating to insurance brokers and agents;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths; the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of state and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the office of State and local registrars of vital statistics to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to applications or petitions to establish births;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Ventura County;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1246—An act authorizing the State Department of Finance, out of any moneys appropriated therefor, to purchase warrants of the Sacramento River outlet Project No. 2 of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and prescribing the duties of the State Reclamation Board in the use of the proceeds of such sale of said warrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1256—An act to amend sections 2440 and 2460 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, powers, duties, compensation and expenses of the board of pilot commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia and of the officers and employees of said board, creating a special fund in the State treasury for the receipt of moneys collected by said board and providing for the disbursement of the moneys in said fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to amend sections 3718 and 3820 of the Political Code, relating to the lien of taxes on real property and improvements and the collection of personal property taxes by the assessor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters situate in Mission Bay (also known as False Bay) and in the bay of San Diego to the city of San Diego in furtherance of navigation, and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 737*a* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court in and for the county of Alpine;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act authorizing the department of finance to appropriate waters in connection with the utilization and conservation of the water resources of the State in the development of a general or coordinated plan; authorizing the State Department of Finance to release or assign such appropriations; authorizing the State Department of Finance to request other departments of the State or state officers to furnish service or assistance to make investigations in connection with the development of a general or coordinated plan for the utilization or conservation of the water resources of the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, with respect to the support of wards of the juvenile court, and the reimbursement of the county for expenditures made, and duration of orders for support;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 231 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend sections 4, 6, 8 and 13 and to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, relating to the making of street improvements;
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to expenses of legislative committee appointed pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16, chapter XXX of resolutions, Statutes of 1927—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to the cooperation between the United States and the State of California concerning conservation and development of water projects;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to federal taxation of community property in California;
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*l*, 4236*n*, inclusive, of the Political Code, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act regulating the weighing of agricultural products, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing the penalties for violation of the provisions thereof, defining the duty of warehouse operators, establishing the terminal weighing fund, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act;
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to flood control for lands bordering the Mississippi River—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating

to the salaries of Supreme Court justices—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*rr*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges in Riverside County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 23, 1925, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 13, relating to licenses for the operation of motor vehicles for transportation for hire or compensation, reports on such operations, the assessment of such operations, certain exemptions and the procedure relating to refunds of taxes or the cancellation of any assessment levied under the provisions of said act;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30—Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate the water problems of the State and to recommend some method of procedure therewith;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 3 of article XIV thereof, relating to water rights—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 267—*An act to amend section 103¼ of the Code of Civil Procedure* of the State of California, relating to clerks of justices' courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes, and appointments, salaries and duties of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 311—*An act to add a new section to be numbered 50¼ to* the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," approved May 23, 1925, relating to the status of territory, for the purpose of this act when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of improvement work in or on, or the acquisition of, public ways in such territory;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act, and to proceedings thereunder;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers of counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management of community real property.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No 533—An act to amend sections 1598 and 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the conveyance of property of decedents by executors or administrators, and the filing of petitions therefor, and the giving of notice thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to persons employed in public school service;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 1, 3, 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 670—An act to add a new section to be numbered 79*m* to an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the status of territory, for the purposes of this act, when the validity of the annexation of such territory to a municipality or city has been questioned, and to the doing of any work or the making of any improvement in, on, along or under any street or place in such territory, under the provisions of said act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 807—An act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 4287 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county and township officers in counties of the fifty-eighth class.

Also Assembly Bill No 1091—An act to amend sections 23, 24, 25, 27, 61, 62 and 76 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities or of which a municipality has possession and the right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, sidewalks, properties or rights of way, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to foreclosure of liens;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend sections 1517, 1518, 1519, 1519*a*, 1520, and 1521 of the Political Code, relating to State educational offices, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1522;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act to amend section 2 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1232—An act authorizing and empowering any city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State of California, to park, and to permit the parking of, vehicles on real property belonging to, or in the possession of, or subject to an easement of, such city, city and county, county or subdivision of the State to lease or grant franchises in real property for such purpose and to construct, and maintain land and buildings for such purpose;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1242—An act creating the Colorado River Commission of California, prescribing its powers, fixing compensation and appropriating funds for its use.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to amend section 43 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities

and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the apportionments of cost of grade separations;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the twenty-ninth day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. Clare Woolwine, Hon. Frederick C. Hawes and Hon. George W Rochester to serve as members of the committee to investigate the advisability of establishing a State prison in the southern counties of the State of California, pursuant to the terms of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon Charles F. Reindollar and Hon. Roy J. Nielsen to serve as members of the committee relative to an investigation of the subject of convict labor, pursuant to the terms of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 29.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. Eugene W. Roland, Hon. Harry L. Parkman and Hon Robert B. Fry to serve as members of the committee relative to an investigation and report on educational facilities for the instruction of the deaf, pursuant to the terms of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. Thomas J. Lenehan and Hon. Z. S. Leymel to serve as members of the committee relative to the suppression of traffic in narcotic drugs and to confer with like commissions from the states of Oregon and Washington, pursuant to the terms of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. T. R. Finley, Hon. John E. Wherrell and Hon. Robert F. Fisher to serve as members of the committee relative to the appointment of the State commission to act for the State in conjunction with the United States commission upon the George Washington celebration to be held in 1932, pursuant to the terms of Senate Joint Resolution No 4.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Bradford S. Crittenden, Van Bernard, Elbert G. Adams and Frank W. Mixter under the terms of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30, relative to investigating the water problems of the State.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. Harry Sewell and Hon. M. J. McDonough to serve as members of the committee to investi-

gate traffic conditions in the State of California, pursuant to the terms of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO PREPARE ARGUMENTS.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members to prepare arguments for and against the proposed constitutional amendments:

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—Hon. Robert B. McPherson, affirmative.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—Hon Crowell D. Eddy, affirmative.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—Hon Bradford S. Crittenden, affirmative; Hon. Harry F. Sewell, negative.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—Hon. Morgan Keaton, affirmative.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—Hon. Raymond D. Williamson, affirmative.

ENGROSSING AND ENROLLING CLERK HAGEMAN READING.

COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Crowley, Chamberlin and Jones, Ray, appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and informed the Assembly that the Senate was now ready to adjourn sine die, and asked if the Assembly had any further message to convey to the Senate.

SPEAKER'S REPLY.

The Speaker informed the committee that the Assembly had practically concluded its labors, and would appoint a committee to wait upon the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That the speaker appoint a committee of three to wait upon the Senate and inform it that the Assembly has concluded its labors and ask if it has any further message to deliver to this body.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Williamson adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to wait upon the Senate: Messrs. Williamson, Davis and Murphy.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out, and that it had been informed that the Senate had concluded its labors and was ready to adjourn sine die.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Woolwine:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of five to wait upon His Excellency, Hon. C. C. Young, Governor of the State of California, and inform him that the Assembly has concluded its labors and awaits his further pleasure.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Woolwine adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to wait upon the Governor: Messrs. Woolwine, Fry, Ball, McDonough and Adams.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and reported that they had waited upon the Governor, and His Excellency had informed them that he had no further communication to convey to the Assembly.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of Friday, April 29, 1927, were read, and on motion of Mr. Jacobson approved.

ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE.

At twelve o'clock m. on Friday, April 29, 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 31, the Honorable Edgar C. Levey, Speaker of the Assembly, announced that the time for final adjournment of the forty-seventh session of the Legislature of the State of California had arrived and thereupon declared the Assembly adjourned sine die.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

EDGAR C. LEVEY,
Speaker of the Assembly.

LOUIS F. ERB,
Minute Clerk of the Assembly.

WILLIAM M. BYRNE,
Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly.

FRANK APPELBAUM,
Asst. Minute Clerk of the Assembly.